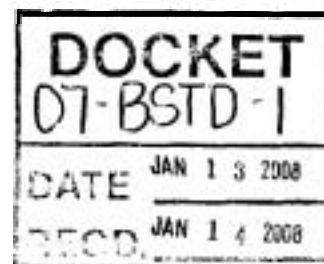


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To whom it may concern:

It is my understanding that under the subject Docket, the CEC plans to implement a system for controlling the HVAC in my private home. Even the idea of such a device is inconceivable to me and certainly constitutes a massive invasion of privacy. My personal life choices are my own, and how I want to live in MY private residence is not the business of the CEC in any way, shape, or form. The idea of a government entity trying to control the temperature at which I wish to keep my home at is despicable, **Orwellian**, and certainly not even close to what our founding fathers has envisioned in established the rights of citizens in this great nation of ours.

We all know that power is a continuing concern in this State, but the real answer lies in doing what every other country in the world has already recognized, namely that electricity derived from nuclear power is as cheap as our current systems, more reliable, and pollutes less with new modern designs. Of course, the intelligent-impaired in Sacramento and the CEC, including the clueless voters of this State who continue to elect our current group of worthless "leaders", see nuclear power as some overarching evil, rather than a viable path forward.

These and countless other horror stories of the nanny government that is permeating our beautiful and vibrant state have forced me to put in place my plans to leave this state once my business is sold. I will be but one of many who will leave as the state converts to the Socialist State of California.

A concerned citizen, NOT a subject!

Eric Schmidt