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California Energy Commission
1516 9th St.,
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## Dear Sir:

I recently saw a news item in KFWB.com to the effect that the California Energy Commission had established a rule or a system or something that would force entry into all buildings in California, including private residences, to regulate thermostat settings. These settings would be mandatory. This upsets me greatly. In the first place, how is this consitutional? My home is my castle and I don't want anyone coming in to tell me how to live my life. In the second place, if this is allowed, where does it end? Will someone start telling me how many times I can flush the toilet, use the phone, wash my hands, and will they set regulators on my faucets, my toilet, my shower, my electricity use? Will I be prosecuted for violations?

When is this hearing taking place? I want to be present. I want enough notice so I can plan to be there. This is the worst thing I have ever heard of and I think it is the sneakiest, lousiest, rottenest thing to do it in the flurry of elections, when nobody might notice. Well, I notice and I want to know how it is you think you can come into my dwelling without my permission?

When I tried to call the general phone line, the business office could give me no information, no address of a hearing, no planned date, no agenda and no other information except this e-mail address and a web site.

www.energy.ca.gov/title24/2008standardsindex.html. I have a feeling this web site will be so obscure as to tell me nothing. I can't even find out if I can attend, whether I have a choice, how this came about. Or anything. I think this monstrous.

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I wish you could call me personally, but if you can't (or are to chicken) e-mail me. Please.

Sincerely, Judy Oakland