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<b>11-CAI-02</b>	
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***In the Matter of Complaint Against  
ORMAT NEVADA, INC. BROUGHT  
BY CALIFORNIA UNIONS FOR  
RELIABLE ENERGY***

**Docket No. 11-CAI-02**

**Dated: January 31, 2012**

**NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION  
AND  
OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT**

**Notice of Hearing**

On December 5, 2011, the Energy Commission dismissed California Unions for Reliable Energy's (CURE) Complaint and Request for Investigation. (Docket No. 11-CAI-02, Order No. 11-1130-4 (Dec. 5, 2011).) On January 4, 2012, CURE filed a Petition for Reconsideration ("Petition") of that decision.

The Commission will hold a public hearing to consider whether to grant or deny the Petition at the following time and place:

**Monday, February 13, 2012  
Beginning at 9:00 a.m.**

**California Energy Commission  
First Floor Hearing Room A  
1516 Ninth Street  
Sacramento, California 95814  
(Wheelchair Accessible.)**

Members of the public and parties to the Complaint and Request for Investigation proceeding may participate and offer oral comments at the hearing. The Commission also invites the public and any agency or party to submit written comments on the Petition in advance of the hearing.

## Public Comments

Comments may be filed physically or electronically. The Energy Commission encourages the use of electronic filing. Documents under 5MB may be filed electronically as an attachment to an e-mail directed to the Energy Commission's Dockets Office at [docket@energy.state.ca.us](mailto:docket@energy.state.ca.us). All documents filed electronically shall be in either Microsoft Word or Portable Document Format (PDF). Please include the name of the submitting entity or individual in the document file name, and the Docket Number, 11-CAI-02 in the subject line.

Paper copies must be sent to the Energy Commission's Docket Unit at:

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In order to ensure that your comments are considered in advance of the hearing, **all comments must be received physically or electronically at the email or physical address above by noon on Friday, February 10, 2012; a postmark of February 10, 2012 is insufficient.** Oral comments will be accepted at the hearing.

## Procedural Background

Section 1720 of the Commission's regulations allows any party in a proceeding to file a petition for reconsideration of a final decision or order, within 30 days after the decision or order is final. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 20, § 1720, subd. (a).) That section also lists the required contents of such petitions and specifies deadlines for Commission action thereon. (*Id.*, § 1720, subds. (b)-(c).) The Commission must hold a hearing for the presentation of arguments on a petition for reconsideration and must grant or deny a petition for reconsideration within 30 days of its filing. (*Id.*, § 1720, subd. (b).) If the Commission denies the petition, then the original determination stands. If the Commission grants the petition, then it is required to hold a subsequent hearing (which may include the taking of evidence) within 90 days to consider whether to change the original determination (*Id.*, § 1720, subds. (b)-(c).)

## Public Participation

For information on how to participate at the Commission hearing, contact the Commission Public Adviser's Office at 916-654-4489 or toll free at 1-800-822-6228 or by e-mail [pao@energy.state.ca.us]. If you have a disability and need assistance to participate, contact Lourdes Quiroz at 916-654-5416 at least five days prior to the hearing.

Questions of a legal or procedural nature should be directed to Jennifer Martin-Gallardo, Staff Counsel in the Chief Counsel's Office, at 916-651-3748 or by e-mail [jmarting@energy.state.ca.us].

Media inquiries should be directed to the Office of Media and Public Communications at 916-654-4989 or by e-mail [mediaoffice@energy.ca.gov].

Dated: 2/1/12



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***IN THE MATTER OF COMPLAINT AGAINST  
ORMAT NEVADA, INC. BROUGHT BY  
CALIFORNIA UNIONS FOR RELIABLE ENERGY***

**Docket No. 11-CAI-02  
(Revised 9/12/11)**

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## DECLARATION OF SERVICE

I, Janice Titgen, declare that on, February 2, 2012, I served and filed copies of the attached Notice of Hearing on Petition for Reconsideration and Opportunity to Comment. The original document, filed with the Docket Unit or the Chief Counsel, as required by the applicable regulation, is accompanied by a copy of the most recent Proof of Service list, located on the web page for this project at:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, that I am employed in the county where this mailing occurred, and that I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the proceeding.

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Original signed by  
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