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Good afternoon,

The Energy Commission will be posting the Express Terms for the “Enforcement Procedures for the Renewables Portfolio Standard for POUs” today. The document will be available on the RPS Proceeding page on the Energy Commission’s website: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/portfolio/documents/index.html>

The Energy Commission filed the complete rulemaking notice package with the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) on February 19th. The notice package included the Notice of Proposed Action (NOPA), the Express Terms for the proposed regulations, the Initial Statement of Reasons (ISOR), which describes the specific purpose and rationale for the proposed regulations, Supporting Materials for the Fiscal Impact Analysis for the proposed regulations, and other supporting documents. If OAL approves the NOPA it will be published in the March 1st California Regulatory Notice Register, which will begin the formal rulemaking process for the proposed regulations, including the 45-day comment period. The NOPA, ISOR, and other supporting documents will also be posted on the Energy Commission website and made available to the public at that time.

If the NOPA is published on March 1st the Energy Commission will host a preliminary hearing on the proposed regulations on March 15th. The regulations are currently scheduled for adoption on May 8th, but that date may change if the regulations are revised and require an additional 15-day comment period.

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