



State of California - Department of Fish and Wildlife
NO EFFECT DETERMINATION REQUEST
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California Energy Commission
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Lead agencies or project applicants that anticipate their project having no effect on fish and wildlife may use this form to request a "No Effect" Determination (NED) from the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (Department). This form prompts submittal of required information specified in the California Code of Regulations (Title 14 Section 753.5(c)(1)(A)). The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) document that was prepared for the project or a link to the webpage where the CEQA document has been published must also be provided with the written request.

Requests should be submitted when the CEQA document is released for public review, or as early as possible in the public comment period. Requests should include sufficient documentation to support a no effect determination, and must be submitted to the appropriate [Regional Office](#). Requests for projects with multi-region or statewide impacts should be submitted to the [Habitat Conservation Planning Branch](#).

If insufficient documentation is submitted, or if the project will cause a physical disturbance to habitat regardless of the magnitude of effect or size of a project a NED will not be issued. Please refer to Title 14 California Code of Regulations 753.5(d) for determination criteria.

Date Submitted: _____

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City: Sacramento	State: CA	Zip: 95814	Email: angela.gould@energy.ca.gov
CEQA Lead Agency: California Energy Commission			
Project Name: Regulations Establishing Enforcement Procedures for the Renewables Portfolio Standard for Local Publicly Owned Electric Utilities			
SCH Number and/or Local Agency ID number: 2013042014		CEQA Document Type: Negative Declaration	
<p>Project Location: (Include street address, city, county, lat/long, township/range/section, or other description that clearly indicates the location of the project site. Submit an aerial photograph and/or topographic map showing the project location if otherwise not included with the CEQA document)</p> <p>Statewide. The proposed regulations will apply to all local publicly owned electric utilities within the State of California, as defined in Public Utilities Code Section 224.3.</p> <p>Use "Comment" section on next page if more room is needed.</p>			
<p>Brief Project Description: (Include details on the type of project; e.g. new construction [with square footage], demolition of existing buildings, adaptive reuse of existing buildings, zoning amendments, general plan amendments, conditional use for sale of alcoholic beverages, etc.)</p> <p>The California Energy Commission proposes to adopt new regulations establishing enforcement procedures for the Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) for local publicly owned electric utilities (POUs) pursuant to Senate Bill X1-2 (Stats. 2011, 1st Ex. Sess., ch. 1) and Assembly Bill 2227 (Stats. 2012, ch. 606, sec. 8).</p> <p>Use "Comment" section on next page if more room is needed.</p>			
<p>Justification of No Effect Determination [Explain how the proposed project has no effect on fish and wildlife consistent with 14 CCR § 753.5(d)]:</p> <p>The proposed project, to adopt new regulations establishing enforcement rules and procedures for the RPS, is primarily an administrative process to ensure compliance with RPS goals already set by the Legislature. It will not result in physical impacts and will therefore have no adverse impact on fish and wildlife or other biological resources.</p> <p>Use "Comment" section on next page if more room is needed.</p>			



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No Effect Determination Request Form Instructions	
Applicant Name and Address	Full name and address of the CEQA project applicant
Date Submitted	Date of No Effect Determination Request Form submission
Phone Number	CEQA project applicant's phone number
Email	CEQA project applicant's email address
Fax Number	Primary fax line for the CEQA project applicant
Contact Person and Address	Full name and address of the person that should be contacted should additional information be needed to issue an NED
Phone Number	Contact person's direct phone or cell number
Email	Contact person's email address
Fax Number	Contact person's direct fax number (if available)
CEQA Lead Agency	The agency responsible for primary approval of the project, and for filing the Notice of Determination, or Decision, and any applicable findings
SCH Number and/or Local Agency ID Number	State Clearinghouse Number – "SCH" – tracking number generated by Office of Planning and Research (OPR) when a project's CEQA documents are filed/circulated with/through OPR's State Clearinghouse Local Agency ID Number – tracking/file number generated by the local agency (e.g. city or county) when a local agency is CEQA lead AND the project's CEQA documents will not be filed/circulated with/through OPR's State Clearinghouse
CEQA Document Type	Options include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Negative Declaration,• Mitigated Negative Declaration,• Environmental Impact Report, or• Document for Certified Regulatory Program
Project Location	May be the project's street address including city and county, geographic coordinates (latitude/longitude, UTM), public land survey system coordinates (township/range/section), or other description that clearly indicates the location of the project site Submit an aerial photograph and/or topographic map showing the project location if otherwise not included with the CEQA document
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