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California Energy Commission  
Docket No. 13-AAER-1  
Docket Unit  
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Dear Honorable Members of the California Energy Commission,

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On behalf of the Hewlett-Packard Company, we want to extend our thanks to you and your staff for working closely with our industry on the various appliance efficiency regulation proposals. Most recently we have worked with your staff on the battery charger regulation and our comments today pertain to this within the context of the Proposed Amendments to Appliance Efficiency Regulations. We have been supportive and continue to be supportive of this regulation.

We ask that you clarify three items for us:

- 1) **On page 223 that (f) Filing by Third Parties 1(A) and (B) both are “one-time” submissions.** Are we correct to assume this language does not require annual submissions but only “one-time” submissions? Typically, when we complete forms of this type, such as for the U.S. Department of Energy, we submit a supplier authorization form one-time for each supplier. This authorization applies to all products and/or models the suppliers register with the government agency.
- 2) Pg. 223 (f) Filing by Third Parties (1) (B): “before or with the first submittal made by the third party, the manufacturer submits to the third party and Executive Director. Before the language stated, “Delegation of Authority is sent to CM who then submits Delegation of Authority and 3<sup>rd</sup> party certifier application to CEC”. **Please clarify whether this declaration is required “one-time” and whether this provision requires a dual submission of the form to the Executive Director AND the 3<sup>rd</sup> Party.** HP would recommend that the language require the form be filed “one-time” to the California Energy Commission only. This would be consistent with procedural standards employed by the U.S. Department of Energy.

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- 3) Finally, on page 220, there is an option to file electronically but the Executive Director has to approve the use of a unique digital identifier for this purpose. **Do you have an example of an acceptable digital identifier?**

We truly appreciate your assistance in clarifying these important questions. We thank the CEC for the opportunity to provide written comments and look forward to interacting with Commissioners and staff. For any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at (650) 391-6489 or dickinson@hp.com

Sincerely,



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