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In the matter of:	)	Docket No. 17-AAER-08
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Appliance Efficiency Pre-Rulemaking for	)	Notice of Public Workshop
Spray Sprinkler Bodies	)	
	)	RE: Appliance Efficiency
	)	Regulations for Spray Sprinkler
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## Notice of Staff Workshop on Appliance Efficiency Regulations for Spray Sprinkler Bodies

California Energy Commission staff will conduct a public workshop to seek comments from interested parties on staff analyses proposing appliance efficiency regulations for spray sprinkler bodies. These topics will be considered as possible amendments to the Appliance Efficiency Regulations (Title 20, California Code of Regulations, Sections 1601 through 1609). The workshop will be held on:

**Wednesday, March 14, 2018**

10:00 a.m.

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

1516 Ninth Street

First Floor, Rosenfeld Hearing Room

Sacramento, California

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### Background

On March 14, 2012, the Energy Commission issued an Order Instituting Rulemaking (OIR) to formally begin the process of considering standards, test procedures, labeling requirements, and other efficiency measures for several appliances in a three-phase effort. The second phase of this OIR identified several products including spray sprinkler bodies.

On April 21, 2017, the Energy Commission released an invitation to participate to provide interested parties the opportunity to inform the Energy Commission about the

product, market, and industry characteristics of the appliances identified in the OIR, Phase 2. The Energy Commission reviewed the information and data received in the docket and hosted staff workshops on July 19 through 21, 2017, to vet this information publicly.

On July 18, 2017, the Energy Commission released an invitation to submit proposals for standards, test procedures, labeling requirements, and other measures to improve the efficiency and reduce the energy or water consumption of the appliances identified in the OIR, Phase 2. The Energy Commission reviewed the proposals received in the docket and hosted a staff webinar on October 24, 2017

In February 2018, the Energy Commission released a draft staff report containing analysis of spray sprinkler bodies. Energy Commission staff proposes to test and require minimum water efficiency standards for all spray sprinkler bodies. Staff also proposes product marking and certification requirements for all spray sprinkler bodies.

Any measures resulting from this proceeding will be incorporated into California's Appliance Efficiency Standards in Title 20 of the California Code of Regulations, §§1601 – 1609. For more information, interested parties can visit the Appliance Efficiency web page at: <http://www.energy.ca.gov/appliances/rulemaking.html>.

## Public Comment

Oral comments. Staff will accept oral comments during the workshop. Comments may be limited to five minutes per speaker. Any comments may become part of the public record in this proceeding.

Written comments. Written comments should be submitted to the Dockets Unit by 5:00 p.m. on April 2, 2018. Written comments will also be accepted at the workshop, however, the Commission may not have time to review them before the conclusion of the meeting.

Please note that your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g. your address, phone, email, etc.) become part of the viewable public record. This information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and any other search engines.

The Energy Commission encourages use of its electronic commenting system. Visit the website for spray sprinkler bodies at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Ecomment/Ecomment.aspx?docketnumber=17-AAER-08>

This will take you to the page for adding comments to this docket. Please enter your contact information, any organization name, and a comment title describing the subject of your comments. You may include comments in the box titled "Comment Text" or attach a file in a downloadable, **searchable format** in Microsoft® Word (.doc, .docx) or Adobe® Acrobat® (.pdf). Maximum file size is 10 MB.

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