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JOINT AGENCY WORKSHOP

RE: Energy Equity – Clean Energy in Low-Income Multifamily Buildings

Notice of Joint Agency Workshop on Clean Energy in Low-Income Multifamily Buildings

The California Energy Commission and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) will conduct a joint workshop to discuss a draft framework and potential actions for addressing energy equity and increased access to distributed energy resources in multifamily buildings. The workshop is being conducted as part of the 2018 Integrated Energy Policy Report Update (IEPR) proceeding.

Commissioners from the Energy Commission and the CPUC may attend and participate in the workshop. In the event that a quorum of Commissioners is in attendance, no votes will be taken.

Wednesday, May 30, 2018

10:00 a.m. California Energy Commission 1516 Ninth Street First Floor, Art Rosenfeld Hearing Room Sacramento, California (Wheelchair Accessible) Remote Access Available by Computer or Phone via WebEx™ For details, go to www.energy.ca.gov/webcast.

Background

As required by the Clean Energy and Pollution Reduction Act of 2015 (Senate Bill 350), the Energy Commission adopted the *Low-Income Barriers Study, Part A*, at its December 2016 business meeting. The final report contains 12 recommendations that encourage state agencies to pursue promising approaches to address the challenges faced by low-income customers, including those in disadvantaged communities, in accessing clean energy and the associated benefits. One key sub-recommendation was for the state agencies to develop a comprehensive action plan for developing clean energy and transportation resources in multifamily buildings.

To implement this recommendation, the Energy Commission has taken the lead on working closely with the CPUC, California Air Resources Board, and a number of other state agencies to develop the draft *Clean Energy in Low-income Multifamily Buildings (CLIMB) action plan.* This draft plan provides a framework and a range of potential strategies and associated action items to address the key barriers limiting deployment of energy efficiency and clean energy resources in California's multifamily buildings.

The Energy Commission and partner agencies are seeking feedback on the *CLIMB action plan* with specific emphasis on the following questions:

- 1. Are there any important barriers/challenges, strategies or action items that are not included in the current draft that should be considered?
- 2. Are the associated lead agencies and proposed timelines appropriate for each of the suggested action items?
- 3. How can the Energy Commission and partner agencies best work with local governments and nongovernment organizations to implement the action items?

Agenda

The workshop will feature presentations and panel discussions to help solicit feedback and targeted input on the *CLIMB action plan*. Panels will include industry experts, environmental organizations, community-based organizations, utility representatives, and others with relevant knowledge on the issues affecting low-income customers and clean energy multifamily buildings. The presentations and panel discussions will focus on three themes in support of the strategies described in the CLIMB action plan: research and pilot projects; data, metrics, and benefits; and financing and incentives.

Public Comment

Oral Comments: Commissioners will accept oral comments during the workshop. Public comments may be limited to three minutes or less per speaker and to one person per organization. Any comments will become part of the public record in this proceeding.

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California Energy Commission Dockets Office, MS-4 Re: Docket No. 18-IEPR-08 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

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