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Staff Report **Mechanical Acceptance Test Technician Certification Provider 2019 Updates Review: National Environmental Balancing Bureau** CEC-400-2020-002

The 2016 Building Energy Efficiency Standards (Energy Code), §10-103.2(d)2, requires that approved acceptance test technician certification providers (ATTCPs) submit a 2019 update report to the California Energy Commission (CEC) reporting what adjustments have been made to the training curricula to address adopted updates to the Energy Code. ATTCPs must demonstrate that their acceptance testing certification services will comply with applicable updates to the Energy Code. The 2019 update reports are subject to the amendment process in Section 10-103.2(f) of the 2016 Energy Code, as the reports are due prior to the January 1, 2020, which is the effective date of the 2019 Energy Code. Amendments containing any substantive changes must be reviewed and approved under the same process as new ATTCP applications in Section 10-103.2(e).

CEC staff has evaluated the training curricula adjustments and other application amendments that the National Environmental Balancing Bureau (NEBB) submitted in its 2019 update report for compliance to Section 10-103.2(c) of the 2019 Energy Code. NEBB's 2019 update report includes application amendments that make nonsubstantive and substantive changes. Staff has found that NEBB's update report complies with all applicable requirements in the 2019 Energy Code. Staff recommends that the CEC approve the training curricula adjustments and other application amendments NEBB is proposing in its 2019 update report.

Section 10-103.2(e)3 of the 2016 Energy Code requires the CEC to give all interested persons a copy of staff's evaluation and provide reasonable opportunity for public comment. As such, the CEC is posting a staff report on the review and evaluation of NEBB's 2019 update report.

The staff report is available free on the CEC's ATTCP update reports webpage.

Public Comment

Oral comments will be accepted during the regularly scheduled business meeting on January 22, 2020, when the CEC will consider approving NEBB's 2019 update report. Comments at the business meeting may be limited to three minutes per speaker. Any comments may become part of the public record in this proceeding.

Written comments should be submitted to the Docket Unit by **5:00 p.m. on January 21, 2020**. Written comments will also be accepted up to and during the aforementioned business meeting; however, the CEC may not have time to review them before the conclusion of the meeting. For additional information, see Docketing Documents with the CEC.

Additionally, written comments may be posted to the CEC's website for the proceeding. Please note that your written and oral comments, attachments, and associated contact information (e.g., your address, phone number, email address, etc.) become part of the viewable public record. This information may become available via Google, Yahoo, and any other search engines.

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