

STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
STATE ENERGY RESOURCES  
CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

RESOLUTION APPROVING  
THE CITY OF GLENDALE'S LOCAL BUILDING ENERGY EFFICIENCY STANDARDS

**RESOLUTION:** California Energy Commission approval of the City of Glendale's locally adopted building energy standards, Ordinance Number 5813 restricted to newly constructed residential buildings, to require greater energy efficiency than the *2013 Building Energy Efficiency Standards, California Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 6, and associated administrative regulations in Part 1, Chapter 10.*

**WHEREAS,** the City of Glendale has submitted an application to the Energy Commission for approval of Ordinance Number 5813 restricted to newly constructed residential buildings; and

**WHEREAS,** Public Resources Code Section 25402.1, subdivision (h)(2) and Title 24, Part 1, Chapter 10, Section 10-106 establish a process for local governments to apply to the Energy Commission for approval to adopt new versions of Building Energy Efficiency Standards that require additional energy efficiency measures or set more stringent energy budgets; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Glendale submitted an application to the Energy Commission for Ordinance Number 5813 restricted to newly constructed residential buildings that meets all of the documentation requirements pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 25402.1, subdivision (h)(2), and Title 24, Part 1, Chapter 10, Section 10-106; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Glendale has made a written commitment to actively enforce compliance both with Ordinance Number 5813 and the *2013 Building Energy Efficiency Standards*; and

**WHEREAS,** the Energy Commission has considered the City of Glendale's determination that adopting Ordinance Number 5813 is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq., because there is no possibility that implementing this ordinance may have a significant effect on the environment due to its anticipated benefits (see Cal. Code Regs., tit. 14, §§ 15050, 15061(b)(3), 15308); and

**WHEREAS,** the Energy Commission finds that the Ordinance Number 5813 restricted to newly constructed residential buildings will require the diminution of energy consumption levels permitted by the *2013 Building Energy Efficiency Standards*; and

**WHEREAS,** the Energy Commission commends the City of Glendale for seeking to achieve additional energy demand reductions, energy savings and other benefits exceeding those of the *2013 Building Energy Efficiency Standards*;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that on July 22, 2014 the Energy Commission approves the City of Glendale's Ordinance Number 5813 restricted to newly constructed residential buildings and that the local building energy efficiency standards it includes may be enforced by the City of Glendale.

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Secretary to the Commission does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a Resolution duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the California Energy Commission held on July 22, 2014.

AYE: Weisenmiller, Douglas, Hochschild, McAllister, Scott

NAY:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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HARRIET KALLEMEYN, Secretariat