CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION

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1516 Ninth Street, Sacramento CA 95814

COMMISSION CERTIFICATION PROCESS

- Two Commissioners have been appointed to conduct noticed, public hearings on this matter and issue a Presiding Member's Proposed Decision (PMPD) containing recommendations on the proposed project.

- The PMPD will be considered and voted upon by the full Commission during a noticed, public hearing.

PMPD FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

- The PMPD must be based exclusively on the hearing record, which includes evidence admitted during hearings. (CEC Regs., §§ 1702, subd. (h), 1751, subd. (a).)

- Ex parte contacts are prohibited.

EX PARTE RULE

While the proceeding is pending there shall be no direct or indirect communication to the Commissioners, their advisors, or the Hearing Officer, regarding any issue in the proceeding,

UNLESS there is notice and opportunity for all parties to participate in the communication

OR

UNLESS the matter is purely procedural and not in controversy.

(Gov. Code, § 11430.10 et seq.; CEC Regs., § 1216)

TODAY'S AGENDA

- Presentations
  - Public Adviser's Office
  - Applicants
  - Energy Commission Staff
  - Center for Biological Diversity
- Discussion of Potential Issues and Proposed Schedule
- Committee Questions and Comments
- Public Questions and Comments