



**California Energy Commission
August 17, 2026 Business Meeting
Backup Materials for Yinsight, Inc.**

The following backup materials for the above-referenced agenda item are available in this PDF packet as listed below:

1. Proposed Resolution (attached below).
2. CEQA Memorandum

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION
PROPOSED RESOLUTION: Yinsight, Inc.
RESOLUTION NO: 26-0817-XX

RESOLVED, that the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission (CEC) adopts the staff California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) findings contained in the September 17, 2024 memorandum on this topic, finding the following categorical exemptions apply to this purchase order: (1) 14 CCR 15322, Educational or Training Programs Involving No Physical Changes; and (2) 14 CCR 15323, Normal Operations of Facilities for Public Gatherings; and

RESOLVED, that the CEC approves a \$9,999 purchase order with Yinsight, Inc., to co-sponsor the 2026 ET Summit. As a member of the Energy Transition Coordinating Council, the CEC supports and participates in the summit, which provides an opportunity to highlight the CEC's research and development activities, thus facilitating their commercialization and marketability; and

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED, that the Executive Director or their designee shall execute the same on behalf of the CEC.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this [xth] day of [MM YYYY], by the following vote:

AYE:

NAY:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned Secretariat to the CEC does hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly and regularly approved and adopted by affirmative vote of the CEC at a meeting held on August 17, 2026.

Kim Todd
Secretariat



MEMORANDUM

TO: Chair Hochschild
Vice Chair Gunda
Commissioners Gallardo, McAllister, and Skinner

FROM: Eric Lazarus, Attorney
Chief Counsel's Office
California Energy Commission

SUBJECT: Proposed California Environmental Quality Act Compliance

DATE: July 28, 2026

At the August 17, 2026, Energy Commission (CEC) Business Meeting, staff from the CEC's Energy Research and Development Division plan to propose a purchase order with Yinsight, Inc., to co-sponsor the 2026 ET Summit in Davis.

For purposes of complying with the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA," Public Resources Code § 21000 et seq.), I recommend the CEC find the Co-sponsorship categorically exempt under CEQA. As a member of the Energy Transition Coordinating Council, the CEC supports the summit, which provides an opportunity to highlight the CEC's research and development activities, thus facilitating their commercialization and marketability. The event shall be held at an existing facility under normal operations for which the facility was designed. This event will not result in any physical alterations to the facility in question, or, at most, only cause minor changes to the interiors of this facility. For all of these reasons, the co-sponsorship is categorically exempt under CEQA per Title 14, California Code of Regulations, § 15322 for Educational or Training Programs Involving No Physical Changes, and § 15323 for Normal Operations of Facilities for Public Gatherings.