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CPUC TO HOLD EN BANC ON CUSTOMER CHOICE

SAN FRANCISCO, June 12, 2018 - The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) will hold an En Banc on Customer Choice, as follows:

When: June 22, 2018, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Where: CPUC Auditorium, 505 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, CA 94102; also available via webcast at www.adminmonitor.com/ca/cpuc/, and by listen-only phone line at 1-888-823-5134, passcode 7032156#

Keeping with its core mission to ensure that California has adequate supplies of affordable, reliable, and low-carbon electricity, CPUC staff issued on May 3, 2018, a draft paper titled, “*California Customer Choice: An Evaluation of Regulatory Framework Options for an Evolving Electricity Market.*” The draft paper, also known as the Green Book, raises awareness of the challenges and opportunities in California’s rapidly changing electricity market to advance a public dialogue.

The En Banc will discuss the Green Book and customer choice. The draft agenda is below.

While a quorum of Commissioners and/or their staff may attend, no official action will be taken.

If specialized accommodations are needed to attend, such as non-English language interpreters, please contact the CPUC’s Public Advisor’s Office at public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov or toll free at 866-849-8390 at least five business days in advance of the hearing.

To receive electronic updates on CPUC actions and proceedings, sign-up for the CPUC’s free subscription service at <http://subscribe.puc.ca.gov>.



More information, including the Green Book, is available at www.cpuc.ca.gov/customerchoice.

The CPUC regulates services and utilities, protects consumers, safeguards the environment, and assures Californians' access to safe and reliable utility infrastructure and services. For more information on the CPUC, please visit www.cpuc.ca.gov.

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AGENDA

CPUC EN BANC ON THE GREEN BOOK
CALIFORNIA CUSTOMER CHOICE PROJECT

June 22, 2018, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.
California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue,
San Francisco, CA
Auditorium

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| 8:30 – 8:35 a.m. | Purpose of the Day & Safety Announcement |
| 8:35 – 8:40 a.m. | Welcome (President Picker) |
| 8:40 – 9:10 a.m. | Opening Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">● CPUC Commissioners Peternan, Randolph, Guzman-Aceves, Rechtschaffen● CEC Chair Weisenmiller and Commissioners McAllister, Hochschild |
| 9:10 – 9:30 a.m. | Ad Hoc Advisory Committee Remarks |
| 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. | How much choice do Californians want and what is the best way to provide it? What choices are missing from the state's policies? <ul style="list-style-type: none">● CCA Elected Official(s)● Customers● IOU |
| 10:30 – 10:40 a.m. | Break |
| 10:40 – 10:50 a.m. | Update on CEC 2019 Building Energy Efficiency Standards & Implications for Choice |
| 10:50 – 11:50 a.m. | Core Principle: Providing Affordability and Consumer Protections <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Consumer Representative● CCA● IOU● Academic Perspective |



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| 11:50 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Lunch |
| 1 – 2 p.m. | <p>Core Principle: Decarbonization: Scaling Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Labor • Environmental Justice • Generator • Preferred resources |
| 2 – 3 p.m. | <p>Core Principle: Maintaining Reliability</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IOU • CCA • ESP • Market Perspective |
| 3 – 3:05 p.m. | Ad Hoc Committee Closing Remarks |
| 3:05 – 3:15 p.m. | Closing Remarks and Next Steps (President Picker) |
| 3:15 – 4:00 p.m. | Public Comment |

NOTE 1: This is a working draft agenda subject to confirmation by the speakers.

NOTE 2: Comments and statements submitted in writing or at the En Banc may be relevant to the proceedings listed on the distribution list for this announcement. It is expected that one or more Commissioners may read these comments and will attend and participate in the En Banc. One or more advisors to the CPUC Commissioners may also be in attendance at the En Banc. Other CPUC decision-makers may also attend the En Banc. The En Banc agenda has been publicly noticed on the CPUC's Daily Calendar more than 10 days in advance, so statements made at the En Banc will not constitute an ex parte communication.

The California Customer Choice team will post all written comments received by June 11th simultaneously to the Customer Choice website, at www.cpuc.ca.gov/customerchoice. Since the comments are being sent directly to the California Customer Choice team and will be made publicly available at the same time, under Rule 8.2(c)(3)(A) of the CPUC's Rules of Practice and Procedure, this public posting will satisfy the need of each individual party to have to separately notice any implicated proceedings.

NOTE 3: Although there will be a quorum of Commissioners, no formal action of the CPUC will be taken at the En Banc.

NOTE 4: The California Energy Commission is docketing the Draft Green Book, notice, agenda, transcript of the En Banc, and presentations related to the En Banc as part of the scope of the 2018 Integrated Energy Policy Report (IEPR) Update proceeding. For further information on how to file comments in [Docket No. 18-IEPR-01](#), please consult the CEC's IEPR webpage.

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