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Notice of Joint Agency Symposium on the Governor's Greenhouse Gas Reduction Goals

The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), California Energy Commission, the California Air Resources Board, and the California Independent System Operator will conduct a multi-agency symposium to discuss the development of strategies to achieve Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr's 2030 greenhouse gas reduction goals.

CPUC President Michael Picker, California Energy Commission Chair Robert B. Weisenmiller, Air Resources Board Executive Officer Richard Corey, and California Independent System Operator President and CEO Steve Berberich will attend. Other Commissioners at the CPUC, as well as representatives from other state agencies and the Governor's Office may also attend and participate in the symposium.

WHEN: Thursday, July 9, 2015, 9 a.m. – noon

WHERE: Byron Sher Auditorium, Cal/EPA Headquarters
1001 I St., Sacramento, CA 95814

Directions and public transit options: www.calepa.ca.gov/epabldg/location.htm

Live webcast: www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast

Background

This electricity sector-focused symposium is one of a series of public forums soliciting stakeholder input on five key climate change strategy pillars that Governor Brown identified in his January 2015 inaugural address. The pillars recognize that several major areas of the California economy will need to reduce their emissions to meet the 2030 target. The five pillars are: (1) reducing today's petroleum use in cars and trucks by up to 50 percent; (2) increasing from one-third to 50 percent our electricity derived from renewable sources; (3) doubling the efficiency savings achieved at existing buildings and making heating fuels cleaner; (4) reducing the release of methane, black carbon, and other short lived climate pollutants; and (5) managing farm and rangelands, forests and wetlands so they can store carbon.

Agenda

This symposium will discuss electricity sector policies to achieve greenhouse gas reductions of 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030. Topics will include integrated long-term planning to achieve greenhouse gas reduction goals, procurement to achieve greenhouse gas reduction goals, and western regional cooperation.

Detailed agenda and other materials for the symposium will be posted to the CPUC website

at www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/Joint_Agency_Symposium_on_the_Governors_Renewable_Energy_Goals prior to the meeting.

Public Participation

We welcome and encourage your participation in the symposium.

Public Comments: Interested persons are encouraged to comment during the symposium. Public comments may be limited to three minutes per speaker.

If you require special accommodations for the symposium or require the symposium documents in an alternate format (e.g., Braille, large print) or another language, please contact Theresa Richardson at (916) 322-7154 or theresa.richardson@arb.ca.gov as soon as possible, but no later than five business days before the symposium. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 711 for the California Relay Service.

Questions: If you have questions on the subject matter of this symposium, please contact Dan Aas in CPUC President Picker's office at (415) 703-2780 or by email at da1@cpuc.ca.gov.