NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

INFORMATIONAL ITEM ON THE STATUS OF ONCE-THROUGH COOLING INTERIM MITIGATION AND THE USE OF INTERIM MITIGATION FUNDS

The statewide Policy on the Use of Coastal and Estuarine Waters for Power Plant Cooling (Once-Through Cooling Policy or OTC Policy) requires power plant owners and operators to implement measures to mitigate interim impingement and entrainment impacts resulting from their cooling water intake structures. The interim mitigation period commenced on October 1, 2015, and continues up until owners and operators achieve final compliance with the OTC Policy.

State Water Board staff will present a joint informational item with the Ocean Protection Council (OPC) and the California State Coastal Conservancy (SCC) during the September 4, 2018 Board Meeting. The presentation will include an update on the 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 interim mitigation funds, grant guidelines developed by the OPC to solicit competitive projects to receive interim mitigation funds, and projects selected by the SCC to receive interim mitigation funds.

The Board Meeting is:

Tuesday, September 4, 2018 - 9:30 a.m.
Joe Serna Jr. - CalEPA Headquarters Bldg.
Coastal Hearing Room
1001 I Street, Second Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

Additional information on the meeting can be found at the State Water Board's web site at: https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/board_info/calendar/.

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY
Notices, agendas, the 2016-2017 interim mitigation Draft Determinations, and other documents pertaining to the OTC Policy interim mitigation requirements are available on the State Water Board's web site at:
https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/ocean/cwa316/

WEBCAST INFORMATION
Video and audio broadcasts of the staff workshop and public hearing will be available via the internet and can be accessed at: https://video.calepa.ca.gov/.

PARKING AND ACCESSIBILITY
For directions to the Joe Serna, Jr. (CalEPA) Building and public parking information, please refer to the map on the State Water Board website: http://www.calepa.ca.gov/headquarters-sacramento/location/.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Please direct questions about this notice to Julie Johnson at (916) 341-5687 or via email at Julie.Johnson@waterboards.ca.gov or Katherine Faick at (916) 445-2317 or via email at Katherine.Faick@waterboards.ca.gov.

August 2, 2018
Date

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