

State Water Resources Control Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Annual Report from the Statewide Advisory Committee on Cooling Water Intake Structures (SACCWIS) with Recommendations Regarding Implementation Schedules in the Use of Coastal and Estuarine Waters for Power Plant Cooling

Tuesday, April 16, 2019, 9:30 a.m.
Joe Serna Jr.-CalEPA Headquarters Bldg.
Coastal Hearing Room
1001 I Street, Second Floor
Sacramento, CA 95814

BACKGROUND

The Statewide Policy on the Use of Coastal and Estuarine Waters for Power Plant Cooling (Once-Through Cooling Policy or OTC Policy) requires that the Statewide Advisory Committee on Cooling Water Intake Structures (SACCWIS) be convened to ensure that implementation of the OTC Policy will not cause disruption in the State of California's electrical power supply. The SACCWIS prepares an annual report for the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to summarize the state's current electrical grid reliability needs and to recommend modifications, if necessary, to the compliance schedule for fossil fuel power plants using ocean water for once-through cooling.

A member of the SACCWIS or designee will present the findings of the 2019 SACCWIS Report as an informational item to the State Water Board during the April 16, 2019 Board Meeting.

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

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY

Notices, agendas, the 2019 SACCWIS annual report, final annual reports from previous years, and other documents pertaining to the SACCWIS are posted on the State Water Board's web site at: http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/ocean/cwa316/saccwis/

The OTC Policy and supporting documents are available at:
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_issues/programs/ocean/cwa316/policy.shtml

PARKING AND ACCESSIBILITY

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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