

PARTICIPATION COMMENTS FOR THE NOTICE DATED OCTOBER 9, 2015
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Date: November 23, 2015

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California Statewide Utility Codes and Standards Team

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I/We (do)(do not) agree with:

The Agency proposed modifications As Submitted on Section No. **5.303.4 and A5.303.3**

and request that this section or reference provision be recommended:

Approve Disapprove Further Study Approve as Amended

Suggested Revisions to the Text of the Regulations: *None*

Reason:

The proposal is consistent with Health & Safety Code Section 18930 requirements (a)(1)-(a)(8) and the Governor's April 1, 2015 drought emergency Executive Order (B-29-15). After the standards have achieved full deployment in 2030, the annual water savings are estimated to exceed 500 million gallons, along with embedded energy savings of over 5,000 megawatt hours. The revisions will also improve consistency with a number of current model codes and ENERGY STAR®.

The Utility C&S Team appreciates the opportunity to participate in this rulemaking and is pleased that the CBSC is intending to adopt the water efficiency standards for commercial food service equipment. In particular, the Utility C&S Team supports the adoption of the mandatory standards for food waste disposers and the voluntary standards for commercial dishwashers, food steamers, combination ovens, and food waste pulping systems.

HEALTH & SAFETY CODE SECTION 18930

SECTION 18930. APPROVAL OR ADOPTION OF BUILDING STANDARDS; ANALYSIS AND CRITERIA; REVIEW CONSIDERATIONS; FACTUAL DETERMINATIONS

- (a) Any building standard adopted or proposed by state agencies shall be submitted to, and approved or adopted by, the California Building Standards Commission prior to codification. Prior to submission to the commission, building standards shall be adopted in compliance with the procedures specified in Article 5 (commencing with Section 11346) of Chapter 3.5 of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code. Building standards adopted by state agencies and submitted to the commission for approval shall be accompanied by an analysis written by the adopting agency or state agency that proposes the building standards which shall, to the satisfaction of the commission, justify the approval thereof in terms of the following criteria:
- (1) The proposed building standards do not conflict with, overlap, or duplicate other building standards.
 - (2) The proposed building standard is within the parameters established by enabling legislation and is not expressly within the exclusive jurisdiction of another agency.
 - (3) The public interest requires the adoption of the building standards.
 - (4) The proposed building standard is not unreasonable, arbitrary, unfair, or capricious, in whole or in part.
 - (5) The cost to the public is reasonable, based on the overall benefit to be derived from the building standards.
 - (6) The proposed building standard is not unnecessarily ambiguous or vague, in whole or in part.
 - (7) The applicable national specifications, published standards, and model codes have been incorporated therein as provided in this part, where appropriate.
 - (A) If a national specification, published standard, or model code does not adequately address the goals of the state agency, a statement defining the inadequacy shall accompany the proposed building standard when submitted to the commission.
 - (B) If there is no national specification, published standard, or model code that is relevant to the proposed building standard, the state agency shall prepare a statement informing the commission and submit that statement with the proposed building standard.
 - (8) The format of the proposed building standards is consistent with that adopted by the commission.
 - (9) The proposed building standard, if it promotes fire and panic safety as determined by the State Fire Marshal, has the written approval of the State Fire Marshal.