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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SCOPING WORKSHOPS FOR
GEOTHERMAL OPERATORS**

**WORKSHOPS TO DISCUSS
CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA) COMPLIANCE
AND
BLOWOUT PREVENTION EQUIPMENT (BOPE) REQUIREMENTS**

December 14, 2018

The Department of Conservation, Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources (Division) will be conducting two workshops for geothermal operators on the same date at the same location. The workshop purposes are the discussion of geothermal project compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and the Division's role in CEQA, and blowout prevention equipment requirements for high temperature hydrothermal geothermal resources.

WORKSHOP DATE, LOCATION AND TIMES:

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

**Imperial County Fire Department
Imperial County Operations Center
1078 Dogwood Road, Suite 105
Heber, CA 92249**

CEQA Session from 9:30 – 11:30 am*

BOPE Session from 1:00 – 3:00 pm*

The CEQA workshop will address the following:

- Review of DOGGR's role in CEQA
- Compliance documentation
- Indemnity agreements
- Project descriptions
- Acceptable CEQA submittals and examples
- Q&A

All other CEQA-related materials are available to view and download from the CEQA Website, located at <http://www.conservation.ca.gov/dog/CEQA/>.

Additional CEQA Guidance documents will be developed and uploaded onto the website to help facilitate the CEQA review process.

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The BOPE workshop will discuss:

- DOGGR Publication No. M07 Section 4
- BOPE requirements for high temperature hydrothermal systems

* The conclusion times shown in this notice are approximate. The workshops may conclude earlier than the noted times. Interested persons are encouraged to arrive early.

ACCESSIBILITY

Services, such as translation between English and other languages, may be provided upon request. To ensure availability of these services, please make your request no later than ten working days prior to the meeting by calling (916) 322-3080.

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CONTACT INFORMATION

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