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**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Negative Declaration & Environmental Document Transmittal**

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**Project Title:** Portable Air Conditioners Appliance Efficiency Rulemaking, Docket # 18-AAER-04

**Lead Agency:** California Energy Commission, 1516 Ninth Street, Sacramento, California 95814

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**Project Location:** Statewide

**Document Type:** Initial Study and Proposed Negative Declaration

**Local Action Type:** N/A

**Development Type:** N/A

**Project Issues Discussed in Document:** Air Quality, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, Hazards and Hazardous Materials, and Utilities/Service Systems

**Present Land Use/Zoning/General Plan Designation:** N/A

**Project Description:** The project is a proposal for statewide regulations for new minimum levels of mandatory energy efficiency for portable air conditioners, which are not covered by federal appliance efficiency standards. The required new efficiency standards apply to newly manufactured products and are attainable through normal and existing manufacturing processes.

**Public Review Period:**

Starting Date: October 27, 2018

Ending Date: November 26, 2018

**Documents:**

The Initial Study, Environmental Checklist, and Proposed Negative Declaration for Portable Air Conditioners Appliance Efficiency Standards Rulemaking are available for parties that wish to review and comment. The document may be obtained free from the California Energy Commission's website at <https://efiling.energy.ca.gov/Lists/DocketLog.aspx?docketnumber=18-AAER-04>.

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