

State of California
Seismic Safety Commission

Memo

To: Commissioners

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Subject: Update on Diablo Canyon and San Onofre Nuclear Power
Plant Independent Peer Review Panels

Background

The Seismic Safety Commission is a member of peer review panels for the California Public Utilities Commission CPUC. The purpose of these panels is to review existing geologic hazard data and recommend additional geologic/geophysical studies to the CPUC.

The California Geological Survey is the lead department for these two panels. Mr. Chris Wills from the California Geological Survey will update the Commission on the latest developments and results from low energy offshore seismic surveys.

Recommendations

Staff recommends that the Commission listen to Mr. Wills' presentation and ask questions. No action is required on this item.