

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Please include the requirement for amending LA's Reach Codes because the proposed Maximum Indoor Temperature policy would encourage the installation of mechanical cooling in rental housing. Pairing it with an AC to Heat Pump reach code would ensure that only high efficiency heat pumps were being installed, reducing emissions and saving households money for both cooling and heating. Win-win! The model AC to Heat Pump code encourages ducted air conditioning (AC) replacements and new installments in single-family homes be replaced with high efficiency heat pumps in order to reduce climate pollution and lower energy costs. The code is in line with the Sustainable City pLAn and Los Angeles Green New Deal goals to reach net zero carbon emissions for new buildings by 2030, and existing buildings by 2050, and to dramatically reduce building energy use. We are depending on you to show compassion for both the tenants and the climate!