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## NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 15 September 2017, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

TITLE: Computers, Computer Monitors, and Signage Displays Appliance Efficiency Rulemaking
AGENCY: California Energy Commission, Energy Efficiency Division, State of California
ACTION: Adopted Rule Filing
SUMMARY: Amends rules to add requirements for computers and computer monitors, clarify that signage displays are subject to the previously adopted television standards, and add an exemption to the battery charger systems standards clarifying that battery charger systems that are contained completely within a larger product and that provide power for data storage or for continuity for volatile cache or memory systems, help maintain system memory, and are not capable of powering full operation when AC mains power is removed are not required to comply with the regulations.

Effective 1 October 2017.
Title 20 Public Utilities and Energy; Division 2. State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission; Chapter 4. Energy Conservation; Article 4. Appliance Efficiency Regulations 1601, 1602, 1604, 1605.1, 1605.2, 1605.3, 1606:
https://govt.westlaw.com/calregs/Browse/Home/California/CaliforniaCodeofRegulations?guid=I8F8 F3BC0D44E11DEA95CA4428EC25FA0\&originationContext=documenttoc\&transitionType=Default\&c ontextData=(sc.Default)

No. 35-Z, California Regulatory Notice Register 1 September 2017 (Page 1326):
http://oal.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/sites/28/2017/09/35z-2017.pdf
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