

The Administration's Policy Package on California Environmental Quality Act Judicial Review

An Informational Hearing of the Assembly Committees on Natural Resources and Judiciary

Wednesday June 7, 2023 2:30 p.m. 1021 O St., Room 1100

I. Welcome and Introductory Remarks

II. The Newsom Administration's Proposal

Witnesses

Gayle Miller, Senior Counselor on Infrastructure and Clean Energy Finance Wade Crowfoot, Secretary, California Natural Resources Agency Toks Omishakin, Secretary, California State Transportation Agency Chris Calfee, Special Counsel, California Natural Resources Agency Mark Tollefson, Undersecretary, California State Transportation Agency Tyson Eckerle, Senior Advisor for Clean Infrastructure and Mobility, GO-Biz Helen Kerstein, Principal Fiscal & Policy Analyst, Legislative Analyst's Office

III. Potential Impacts to the Courts Resulting from Expediting Judicial Review of CEQA Cases

Witness

Hon. Marla O. Anderson, Judge, Monterey County Superior Court & Chair of Judicial Council Legislation Committee

IV. Nongovernmental Stakeholder Viewpoints

Witnesses

Barbara Barrigan-Parrilla, Executive Director, Restore the Delta David Pettit, Senior Attorney, Natural Resources Defense Council Brandon Dawson, Director, Sierra Club California Jonathan Pruitt, Green Zones Program Manager, California Environmental Justice Alliance

V. Public Comment

VI. Concluding Remarks