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RENEWABLE ENERGY LEADER TOM HAYDEN ENDORSES PROP. 7

Says Prop. 7 represents a significant step forward

Today, former state senator and renewable energy leader Tom Hayden announced his support for Proposition 7, the Solar and Clean Energy Act. Hayden said that Prop. 7 promises to jump-start California's renewable energy industry.

“Three decades ago, I represented California in the first federal-state solar energy program. There were 1,500 small solar companies in our state employing 23,000 employees. This promising beginning was killed in the Reagan years, and time is short for a great leap towards renewables. That's why I strongly support Proposition 7,” said Hayden, the Chairman of the California SolarCal Council from 1979-81.

Prop. 7 would compel the state's utilities to use renewable sources for 40 percent of their electric power supplies by 2020 and 50 percent by 2025, a sharp increase in what the state's current policy requires.

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