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**CPUC EMBARKS ON SEARCH FOR NEW GENERAL COUNSEL**

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11, 2014 -- The California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) today announced it is seeking candidates for General Counsel to work on behalf of the state and its consumers, who spend more than \$50 billion a year for services from companies the CPUC oversees.

The CPUC's General Counsel represents and appears for the people of the State of California and the CPUC in all actions and proceedings of the CPUC.

"The General Counsel has many responsibilities, including providing leadership to the CPUC's Legal Division, and planning, organizing, directing, and reviewing the CPUC's legal work," said CPUC President Michael R. Peevey. "The CPUC oversees many industries and we are seeking a candidate that has utility industry expertise as well antitrust, litigation, or appellate advocacy."

Applicants for General Counsel must have active membership in the State Bar of California before they will be eligible for appointment. The position requires seven years of experience in the practice of law, including at least five years in a supervisory or management capacity with responsibility for attorney work products. The salary is \$10,493-11,650 monthly.

The job bulletin for the General Counsel position is available at [www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/jobs/jobopps/Exec/GENERAL\\_COUNSEL\\_140611.htm](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/jobs/jobopps/Exec/GENERAL_COUNSEL_140611.htm).

For more information on the CPUC, please visit [www.cpuc.ca.gov](http://www.cpuc.ca.gov).

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