



Notice of Independent Evaluator Request for Qualifications

Energy Safety invites firms to apply for inclusion on a list of qualified independent evaluators (IEs). Use this link to download the Request for Qualifications posted on the California Department of General Services' procurement website, Cal eProcure: [Event Details](#).¹ Responses to the Request for Qualifications are due by 5:00 p.m. (Pacific) on November 2, 2026.

Each electrical corporation (EC) operating in California must contract with a firm on the IE List later this year. IEs will review ECs' implementation of their Wildfire Mitigation Plans (WMP) from contract start through June 2027. Inclusion on the IE List does not guarantee a contract with an EC.

The wildfire mitigation plan IE List, administered by Energy Safety's Compliance Assurance Division, is established in accordance with California Public Utilities Code Section 8386.3. The scope of work for IEs includes comprehensive evaluations of EC's WMP initiatives and commitments through field inspections and desk audits, as well as assessments of their allocated funding and quality assurance programs.

For more information, visit the Energy Safety [Independent Evaluators webpage](#) and do not hesitate to contact us at: IEinfo@energysafety.ca.gov. We look forward to your participation.

Sincerely,

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¹ <https://caleprocure.ca.gov/event/3355/0000039868>