

Handout

Agenda Item 3 Board
October 13, 2016

Report from Director Rabi Elias regarding attendance of DPR review of final report to the State Legislature, in San Jose, at the Santa Clara Valley Water District on 9/29/2016.

CA legislature mandate is to advise the State Water Resources Control Board on public health issues, scientific, and technical matters regarding the feasibility of developing uniform water recycling criteria for direct potable reuse (DPR). An expert panel is to provide its opinion and reasoning, if it is feasible for the state of CA to develop and implement a uniform set of water recycling criteria for DPR that would incorporate a level of public health protection as good as or better than what is provided by current water suppliers and by indirect potable reuse (IPR).

The final report of 420 pages to be delivered by the end of December 2016 is on time. Next, it would be the legislature committee to decide on the report and the future of DPR.

Stay tuned!