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Dear Friends at SCV WATER,

I want to express my objection to item 12.2 being placed on the agenda for tonight's meeting.

I do not believe that a general discussion regarding price negotiations for the buyout of a photovoltaic solar system is an eligible exemption for a closed session.

In any case, the Brown Act requires the public agency to include the section of the Brown Act authorizing the closed session in advance on the agenda.

Item 12.2 is clearly deficient in this regard and a clear violation of the Brown Act.

I respectfully ask that Item 12.2 be pulled from tonight's agenda because it does not meet the minimum requirement for an authorized closed session meeting.

Respectfully,

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