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OFFICE OF STATEWIDE HOSPITAL PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

**APPLICATION FOR HCAI SPECIAL SEISMIC  
CERTIFICATION PREAPPROVAL (OSP)**

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**APPLICATION #: OSP-0836**

**HCAI Special Seismic Certification Preapproval (OSP)**

Type:  New  Renewal

**Manufacturer Information**

Manufacturer: Cummins Power Generation

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**Product Information**

Product Name: Power Generator Systems

Product Model Number(s): DQDAA, B, C & DQCA, B, C & DQFAA, B, C, D, H

Product Category: Emergency and Standby Power Systems

Product Sub-Category: Generators

General Description: 250-1000 kW Open Diesel Powered Generators; off tank.

Mounting Description: Rigid Base Mounted or Externally isolated Base Mounted

Tested Seismic Enhancements: Seismic enhancements made to the test units and/or modifications required to address anomalies during the tests shall be incorporated into the production units.

**Applicant Information**

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**Certification Method**

GR-63-Core  ICC-ES AC156  IEEE 344  IEEE 693  NEBS 3

Other (Please Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

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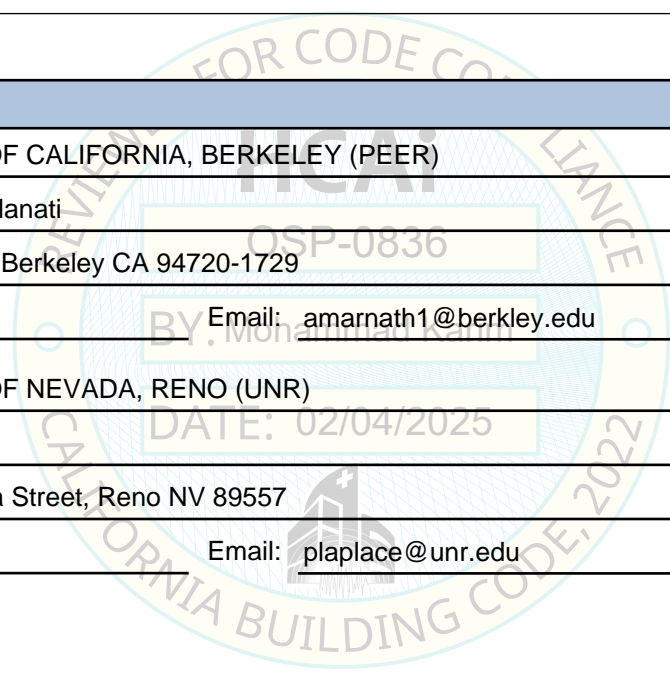
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**Seismic Parameters**

Design Basis of Equipment or Components ( $F_p/W_p$ ) = 1.4 (Rigid); 4.4 (Isolated)

SDS (Design spectral response acceleration at short period, g) = 1.94

$a_p$  (Amplification factor) = Rigid: 1.0; Isolated: 2.5

$R_p$  (Response modification factor) = Rigid: 2.5; Isolated: 2.0

$\Omega_0$  (System overstrength factor) = 2.0

$I_p$  (Importance factor) = 1.5

$z/h$  (Height ratio factor) = 1 and 0

Natural frequencies (Hz) = See Attachment

Overall dimensions and weight = See Attachment

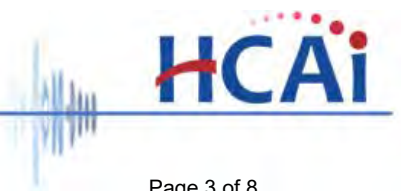
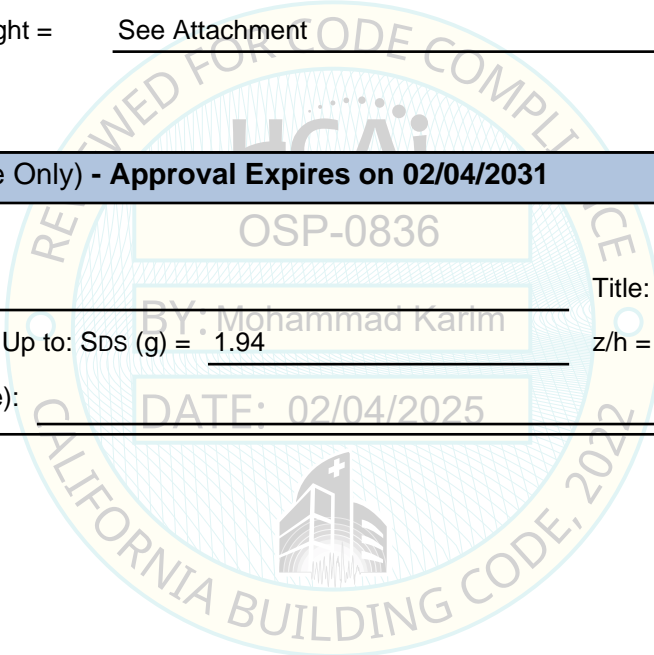
**HCAI Approval (For Office Use Only) - Approval Expires on 02/04/2031**

Date: 2/4/2025

Name: Mohammad Karim Title: Supervisor, Health Facilities

Special Seismic Certification Valid Up to: SDS (g) = 1.94 z/h = 1

Condition of Approval (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_



**Table 1 - Gensets Off Tanks**

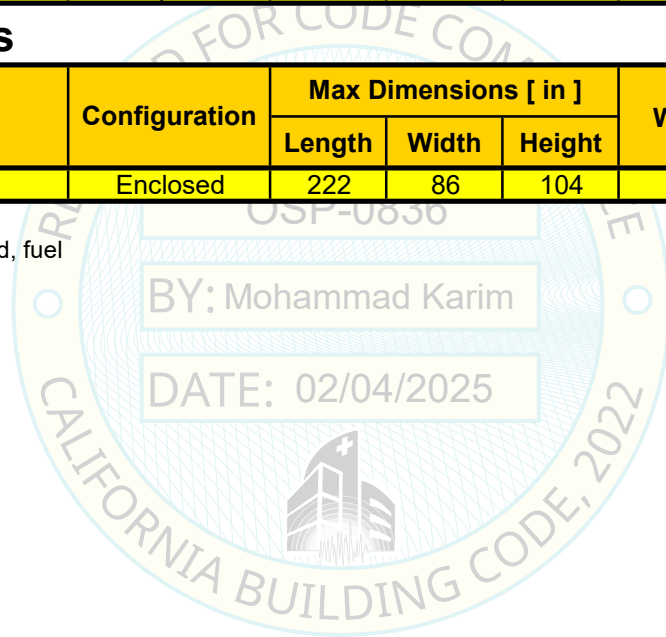
Model	Rating [ kW ]	Configuration	Max Dimensions [ in ]			Max Weight [ lb ]	Mounting	UUT
			Length	Width	Height			
DQDAC	300	Open	119	50	66	5,113	Rigid	UUT-01
DQDAA, B, C	250, 275, 300	Open	119	50	66	5,113	Rigid/Isolated	Interpolated
DQCA, B, C	600, 750, 800	Open	173	73	81	15,247	Rigid/Isolated	Interpolated
DQFAA, B, C, D, H	750, 800, 900, 1000	Open	179	79	92	16,850	Rigid/Isolated	Interpolated
DQFAD	1000	Open	178.4	78.9	91.3	16,850	Isolated	UUT-14

**Table 2 - Gensets On Tanks**

Model	Rating [ kW ]	Configuration	Max Dimensions [ in ]			Max Weight <sup>1</sup> [ lb ]	Mounting	UUT
			Length	Width	Height			
DQDAC	300	Enclosed	222	86	104	14,250	Rigid	UUT-03

**Notes**

1. Weights include genset, enclosure, fuel tank, and, fuel



**Table 3 - Certified Subcomponents: Engine Matrix**

Manufacturer	Model	Applicable Genset Models	Material	Max. Weight [ lb ]	UUT
Cummins	QSL9-G7	DQDAA, B, C	Cast Iron	1,627	UUT-01
	QSK23	DQCA, B, C	Cast Iron	6,170	Interpolated
	QST30	DQFAA, B, C, D, H	Cast Iron	6,860	UUT-14

Note: Listed engine models are not interchangeable

**Table 4 - Certified Subcomponents: Alternator Matrix**

Manufacturer	Model	Applicable Genset Models	Material	Max. Weight [ lb ]	UUT
Cummins	HC4	DQDAA, B, C	Steel Laminations & Copper Windings	2,582	UUT-01
	S6	DQCA, B, C, DQFAA, B, C, D	Steel Laminations & Copper Windings	5,128	UUT-14

**Table 5 - Certified Subcomponents: Radiator Matrix**

Manufacturer	Core Size [ ft ]	Applicable Genset Models	Material		Max. Weight [ lb ]	UUT
			Core (fin + tube)	Supporting		
AKG	10	DQDAA, B, C	Aluminum + Aluminum	Carbon Steel	464	UUT-03
	26	DQCA, B, C	Aluminum + Aluminum	Carbon Steel	1,303	Interpolated
	34	DQFAA, B, C, D, H	Aluminum + Aluminum	Carbon Steel	1,614	UUT-14
Bearward	7	DQDAC	Aluminum + Aluminum	Carbon Steel	418	UUT-1

**Table 6 - Certified Subcomponents: Controller Matrix**

Manufacturer	Model	Applicable Genset Models	Material	Max. Weight [ lb ]	UUT
Cummins	PCC2100	DQDAA, B, C	Carbon Steel and Plastic	10	UUT-01
	PC 2.3	DQCA, B, C	Carbon Steel and Plastic	90	Interpolated
	PC 3.3	DQCA, B, C, DQFAA, B, C, D, H	Carbon Steel and Plastic	90	UUT-14

**Table 7 - Certified Miscellaneous Subcomponents**

Component [ Manufacturer ]	Model	Applicable Genset Models	Material	Max. Weight [ lb ]	UUT
Enclosure [ Cummins ]	Thor-I	DQDAC	Carbon Steel	4,398	UUT-3
Tank [ Henning ]	270 Gallon	DQDAC	Carbon Steel	3,988	UUT-3



# UNIT UNDER TEST (UUT) Summary Sheet

UUT-1

Test Report: PEI-PEER-CUM-130; UUT-30

Model Line	Model Number	Manufacturer
DQDAx	DQDAC	Cummins

### Product Construction Summary

Carbon Steel Skid

### Options / Subcomponent Summary

Engine: Cummins; Alternator: Cummins; Radiator: Bearward; Controller: Cummins

### UUT Properties

Weight [ lbs ]	Dimensions [ in ]			Lowest Nat. Freq. [ Hz ]		
	Length	Width	Height	F-B	S-S	V
5,113	119.0	50.0	66.0	3.5	6.2	11.1

### UUT Highest Passed Seismic Run Information

Building Code	Test Criteria	S <sub>DS</sub>	z/h	I <sub>p</sub>	A <sub>FLX-H</sub>	A <sub>RIG-H</sub>	A <sub>FLX-V</sub>	A <sub>RIG-V</sub>
CBC 2022	ICC-ES AC156	2.00	1.0	1.5	3.20	2.40	-	-
		2.48	0.0	1.5	-	-	1.66	0.67

### Test Mounting Details

UUT-1 was rigidly mounted to the shake table using (4) 3/4" diameter Grade 5 bolts.



All units were filled with contents and maintained structural integrity and functionality after AC-156 test.



# UNIT UNDER TEST (UUT) Summary Sheet

UUT-3

Test Report: VMA-45782-01E; UUT-1

Model Line	Model Number	Manufacturer
DQDAx	DQDAC-QSL9-G7	Cummins

### Product Construction Summary

Structural Carbon Steel Skid and Carbon Steel Sheet Metal Enclosure

### Options / Subcomponent Summary

Engine: Cummins; Alternator: Cummins; Radiator: AKG; Controller: Cummins; Enclosure: Cummins; Fuel Tank: Henning

### UUT Properties

Weight [ lbs ]	Dimensions [ in ]			Lowest Nat. Freq. [ Hz ]		
	Length	Width	Height	F-B	S-S	V
14,250	222.0	86.0	104.0	5.5	4.3	9.3

### UUT Highest Passed Seismic Run Information

Building Code	Test Criteria	S <sub>DS</sub>	z/h	I <sub>p</sub>	A <sub>FLX-H</sub>	A <sub>RIG-H</sub>	A <sub>FLX-V</sub>	A <sub>RIG-V</sub>
CBC 2022	ICC-ES AC156	2.00	1.0	1.5	3.20	2.40	-	-
		2.50	0.0	1.5	-	-	1.68	0.68

### Test Mounting Details

Genset secured to fuel tank using (4) 3/4" diameter Grade 5 bolts. Fuel tank secured to fixture using (12) 1" diameter Grade 8 bolts.



All units were filled with contents and maintained structural integrity and functionality after AC-156 test.



# UNIT UNDER TEST (UUT) Summary Sheet

**UUT-14**

Test Report: DCL 25367-2401

Model Line	Model Number	Manufacturer
DQFAx	DQFAD	Cummins

### Product Construction Summary

Carbon Steel Skid

### Options / Subcomponent Summary

Engine: Cummins; Alternator: Cummins; Radiator: AKG; Controller: Cummins

### UUT Properties

Weight [ lbs ]	Dimensions [ in ]			Lowest Nat. Freq. [ Hz ]		
	Length	Width	Height	F-B	S-S	V
16,850	178.4	78.9	91.3	11.0	4.0	19.5

### UUT Highest Passed Seismic Run Information

Building Code	Test Criteria	S <sub>DS</sub>	z/h	I <sub>p</sub>	A <sub>FLX-H</sub>	A <sub>RIG-H</sub>	A <sub>FLX-V</sub>	A <sub>RIG-V</sub>
CBC 2022	ICC-ES AC156	1.94	1.0	1.5	3.10	2.33	1.30	0.52
		1.94	0.0	1.5	-	-	1.30	0.52

### Test Mounting Details

UUT-14 was isolated using (10) VMC Group M2SSH-1E-3400 spring isolators. The isolators were connected to the equipment using (1) 3/4" Grade 8 bolt each, and were connected to the shake table using (4) 15/16" diameter Grade 8 bolts per isolator.



All units were filled with contents and maintained structural integrity and functionality after AC-156 test.