

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CANADA PENSION PLAN INVESTMENT BOARD</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE QUEEN STREET EAST, SUITE 2500 (Street) TORONTO A6 M5C 2W5 (City) (State) (Zip)	2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 07/01/2024	3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol <u>California Resources Corp [CRC]</u>	
		4. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10% Owner Officer (give title below) Other (specify below)	5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) Form filed by One Reporting Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form filed by More than One Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. 4)	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
Common Stock	10,506,895	I	See Footnote ⁽¹⁾

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	4. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	5. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date				

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CANADA PENSION PLAN INVESTMENT BOARD</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE QUEEN STREET EAST, SUITE 2500 (Street) TORONTO A6 M5C 2W5 (City) (State) (Zip)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>CPP Investment Board Private Holdings (S), Inc.</u> (Last) (First) (Middle) ONE QUEEN STREET EAST, SUITE 2500 (Street) TORONTO A6 M5C 2W5 (City) (State) (Zip)
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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person *

CPP Investment Board Private Holdings
(6), Inc.

(Last) (First) (Middle)
ONE QUEEN STREET EAST, SUITE 2500

(Street)
TORONTO A6 M5C 2W5

(City) (State) (Zip)

Explanation of Responses:

1. The securities reported herein consist of 10,506,895 shares of Common Stock held of record by CPP Investment Board Private Holdings (6), Inc. ("CPPIB-PH(6)"). CPPIB-PH(6) is the wholly owned subsidiary of CPP Investment Board Private Holdings (5), which is the wholly owned subsidiary of Canada Pension Plan Investment Board. As such, each of the foregoing entities may be deemed to share beneficial ownership of the securities held of record by CPPIB-PH(6).

<u>Canada Pension Plan Investment Board By: /s/ Ryan Barry, Managing Director, Head of Legal</u>	<u>07/09/2024</u>
<u>CPP Investment Board Private Holdings (5), Inc./s/Ryan Barry, Secretary and Director</u>	<u>07/09/2024</u>
<u>CPP Investment Board Private Holdings (6), Inc./s/ Ryan Barry, Secretary and Director</u>	<u>07/09/2024</u>
** Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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