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Dear Sir or Madam:

The California Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) staff invites you to participate in a public consultation meeting to discuss the California Climate Action Registry (CCAR) greenhouse gas emissions protocols for the forestry sector. The ARB is considering endorsing the CCAR forestry protocols to support voluntary actions to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. ARB staff will also discuss the development of additional protocols for the forestry sector.

The workshop to discuss the forestry protocols will be held at the following time and location:

Date: Thursday, September 6, 2007
Time: 9:00 AM - 1:30 PM (Pacific Time)
Location: Byron Sher Auditorium
Address: Cal/EPA Headquarters
1001 I Street (2nd floor)
Sacramento, California 95814

A workshop agenda and the presentation will be posted prior to the workshop meeting at ARB's Climate Change and Forestry website at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/ccei/forestry/forestry.htm>, and made available in hard copy at the meeting. The forestry protocols in their entirety, and other relevant links, are also currently available in the forestry webpages. ARB staff encourages your early review and comment as we work toward a staff proposal in October 2007. Comments may be presented at the workshop, or submitted in writing via letter or e-mail, by Friday, September 21, 2007, if possible.

You may receive notification of upcoming ARB activities and public meetings related to forestry and the implementation of AB 32 by joining our Forestry electronic mailing list: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/ccei/forestry/forestry.htm> or, for activities and meetings more generally related to climate change, sign up for our Climate Change electronic mailing list at: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/cc.htm>.

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our Website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.

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Directions to Cal/EPA Headquarters and public transit information can be found at the California Environmental Protection Agency's web site at <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/epabldg/location.htm>. If you have special accommodation or language needs, please contact Ms. Karen Snyder as soon as possible, via phone at (916) 322-5350, or e-mail at ksnyder@arb.ca.gov. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

For those unable to attend the workshop in person, a live internet webcast with audio and video will be available beginning at 9:00 a.m. on September 6, 2007 at <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast>. During the workshop the webcast audience will have the opportunity to submit questions and comments by email. If you have a slow internet connection, we recommend you download the presentation prior to the workshop and follow the proceedings with the audio-only option.

We welcome and encourage your participation at this workshop. If you have questions regarding the workshop, please contact Ms. Shelby Livingston, Air Pollution Specialist, at (916) 327-0822, or slivings@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

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cc: Ms. Shelby Livingston, PTSD
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