

**State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD**

EXECUTIVE ORDER G-08-016

**Relating to Certification of Portable Fuel Containers, Spouts or Portable
Fuel Containers and Spouts**

Blitz, USA, Incorporated

**Petroleum Product Portable Fuel Container: 5.0-gallon Metallic with
EVIRO-FLO Spout**

WHEREAS, the California Air Resources Board (ARB) has established, pursuant to California Health and Safety Code sections 39600, 39601, 43013, 43018 and 43101, criteria for obtaining certification of a portable fuel container, spout, or a portable fuel container and spout in CP-501 – “Certification Procedure for Portable Fuel Containers and Spill-Proof Spouts,” adopted July 26, 2006, incorporated by reference into title 13, California Code of Regulations, sections 2467.2 and 2467.8;

WHEREAS, CP-501 – “Certification Procedure for Portable Fuel Containers and Spill-Proof Spouts,” adopted July 26, 2006, (hereinafter “Certification Procedure”) incorporated by reference into title 13, California Code of Regulations, sections 2467.2 and 2467.8, requires that an application for certification include the results for each test specified in ARB’s Test Procedure TP-501 – “Test Procedure for Determining Integrity of Spill-Proof Spouts and Spill-Proof Systems” (July 26, 2006), and ARB Test Procedure TP-502 – “Test Procedure for Determining Diurnal Emissions from Portable Fuel Containers” (July 26, 2006);

WHEREAS, section 1, of the Certification Procedure provides that an Executive Order will only be issued for a portable fuel container, spout, or both portable fuel container, and spout that demonstrates compliance with all applicable certification requirements;

WHEREAS, section 3, of the Certification Procedure requires an applicant to submit specified information in its application for certification;

WHEREAS, section 5, of the Certification Procedure provides that ARB Executive Officer shall evaluate each application for certification of a spill-proof system or spill-proof spout, to determine if the spill-proof system or spill-proof spout complies with the criteria for issuance of an executive order;

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc. has submitted an application for certification of the following product to be sold under the brand name BLITZ:

Petroleum Product Portable Fuel Container:
5.0-gallons capacity metallic gasoline container (Model Number 5MEG),
with Model ENVIRO-FLO Spout and Metal Can Spout Adapter (Part
Number 900700): (hereinafter referred to as "Portable Fuel Container
system" or "PFC");

WHEREAS, BLITZ, USA, Inc. has previously received certification of its plastic Portable Fuel Containers with ENVIRO-FLO Spouts (Executive Order G-07-067);

WHEREAS, the Executive Officer has determined that permeation through a metal container will not contribute to diurnal emissions and that, therefore, the container does not require additional TP-502 testing;

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc. has submitted data generated from each test specified in ARB Test Procedure TP-501 – "Test Procedure for Determining Integrity of Spill-Proof Spouts and Spill-Proof Systems (July 26, 2006) that demonstrates its PFC complies with the criteria specified in section 2, of the Certification Procedure;

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc. has submitted information demonstrating that its PFCs comply with the requirements of American Society for Testing and Materials Standards (ASTM) F-852-99 (March 10, 1999) and ASTM F-976-02 (May 10, 2002);

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc. has submitted a copy of the warranty language and operating instructions specified in section 2 of the Certification Procedure;

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc. is not participating in the Optional Consumer Acceptance Program for its PFCs;

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc. has submitted all of the information specified in section 3 of the Certification Procedure in its application for certification of its PFC; and

WHEREAS, Blitz, USA, Inc.'s application for certification of its PFC has been evaluated, and it's PFC has been found to comply with the criteria for the issuance of an executive order.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in ARB by sections 39600, 39601, 43013, 43018, and 43101, Health and Safety Code, and pursuant to the authority vested in the undersigned by sections 39515 and 39516, Health and Safety Code, and Executive Order G-07-002.

