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July 20, 2009

Dear Sir or Madam:

The staff of the California Air Resources Board (ARB/Board) invites you to participate in a public workshop to discuss the Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS) regulation. At the April 23, 2009 hearing, the Board adopted Resolution 09-31 (Resolution), approving the LCFS regulation with several modifications and directing staff to accomplish a number of items. This meeting is scheduled to discuss the proposed changes to the LCFS regulation and provide updates on the status of the Resolution items.

Staff has posted a notice for a 30-day (July 20 through August 19, 2009) comment period, which includes the modified LCFS regulation and supporting documents, on the LCFS website at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/regact/2009/lcfs09/lcfs09.htm>. After staff presentations at this workshop, there will be an opportunity for questions and comments. Because we will be within the 30-day comment period, only written comments submitted in accordance with the 30-day notice will be considered part of the rulemaking record. Written comments may be submitted to: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/lospub/comm/bclist.php> or as otherwise directed in the 30-day notice. Attached is a tentative agenda. A final agenda will be available prior to the workshop at <http://arb.ca.gov/fuels/lcfs/lcfs.htm>.

The workshop will be held at the following time and location:

DATE: Wednesday, August 05, 2009
TIME: 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
LOCATION: Coastal Hearing Room
ADDRESS: Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
1001 "I" Street
Sacramento, California 95814

Directions to Cal/EPA Headquarters and public transit information can be found at the California Environmental Protection Agency's website at <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/epabldg/location.htm>.

If you have a disability-related accommodation need for this workshop, please go to <http://www.arb.ca.gov/html/ada/ada.htm> for assistance or contact the Reasonable Accommodation Coordinator at (916) 323-4916. If you are a person who needs

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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assistance in a language other than English, please go to <http://www.arb.ca.gov/personnel/eeo/languageaccess.htm> or contact the Bilingual Services Manager at (916) 323-7053.

This workshop will be webcast. You may access the webcast at ARB's homepage, <http://www.arb.ca.gov>. For this workshop, we will also accept comments and questions sent via email to coastal@calepa.ca.gov. You may participate by teleconference by dialing 1-800-593-0735 (for domestic) and 1-312-470-7423 (for international) and give the participant code, 1776232, and leader name, John Curtis.

We welcome and encourage participation in this important effort. If you have questions about the workshop, please contact Mr. John Curtis, Manager, Alternative Fuels Section, at (916) 323-2661; Ms. Renee Littaua, Manager, Fuels Section, at (916) 322-6019; or Mr. Floyd Vergara, Manager, Industrial Section, at (916) 327-5986.

Sincerely,



Dean C. Simeroth, Chief
Criteria Pollutants Branch

Enclosure

cc: Mr. John Curtis, Manager
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Ms. Renee Littaua
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Mr. Floyd Vergara
Industrial Section

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Tentative Agenda*

1. Proposed 30-day Amendments to the Regulation
 - Specific Regulatory Amendments
 - Pathways
 - High CI Crude
 - Other

2. Updates on the Resolution Items
 - Guidelines for New Pathways
 - Expert Workgroup
 - Compliance/Reporting Tool
 - LCFS
 - CaRFG3
 - Electricity Items
 - Metering
 - Credits for forklifts and other off-road equipment
 - Environmental Impacts
 - Best practices for siting biorefineries
 - Health impacts analyses
 - Credit Trading and Fee Schedule

3. Next Steps

*There will be a one hour lunch at approximately 12:00 P.M. - 1:00 P.M