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Mary D. Nichols, Chairperson
California Air Resources Board
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Dear Ms. Nichols:

**Subject: CITY OF LOS ANGELES, BUREAU OF SANITATION COMMENTS ON THE
REVISED DRAFT ON CALIFORNIA CAP GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS
AND MARKET-BASED COMPLIANCE MECHANISMS**

The Bureau of Sanitation (Bureau) appreciates the opportunity to provide comments on the July 2011 Discussion Draft on California Cap Greenhouse Gas Emissions and Market-Based Compliance Mechanisms. The Bureau's comments are enclosed with this letter.

We are looking forward to working with the California Air Resources Board in helping the state reach its goals in reducing greenhouse gas emissions, lessening landfill dependency, increasing renewable energy production, and replacing harmful diesel, coal, and other fossil fuels with biofuels.

If there are any questions or further discussions are needed, please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Kim Tran of my staff at (213) 485-3522, email: kim.j.tran@lacity.org.

Sincerely,

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