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Clerk of the Board  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Department of Environmental Protection is writing to express our support for the new vehicle labeling rulemaking that will require vehicle emission labels and Monroney window stickers to include a Global Warming Index number in addition to the Smog Index number. Pennsylvania has adopted by reference the amended section to the California regulations, and, consequently, our citizens will also soon benefit by being able to make a more informed decision about the actual environmental impact of new vehicles before they purchase them.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania continues to fully support California in its efforts to regulate greenhouse gases to fight the impacts of global warming in California, the states that have adopted California regulations, and subsequently, the rest of the United States. Efforts to combat global warming must come from across the spectrum of local, state, and federal government. Pennsylvania recognizes the leadership the State of California has demonstrated through its proactive efforts to regulate and raise awareness about the impact of greenhouse gases and global warming.

Sincerely,

Thomas K. Fidler  
Deputy Secretary

