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TO: All Interested Parties

SUBJECT: WORKSHOP ON 2050 AUTOMOTIVE SECTOR GREENHOUSE GAS
EMISSIONS MODELING ASSUMPTIONS AND SCENARIOS:
THE ROLE OF ZERO EMISSION VEHICLES

Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) staff invites you to participate in a public workshop on an automotive sector greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions modeling effort being undertaken to inform the process of redesigning the zero emission vehicle (ZEV) regulation. An information item on the ZEV Program including a policy review, technology assessment, and 2050 GHG assessment will be presented at the December 2009 Board Meeting.

This workshop will include an overview of staff's 2050 automotive sector GHG assessment, modeling methodology and assumptions, modeling scenarios and results, and potential implications for the ZEV Regulation.

Details of the meeting are as follows:

Date: October 28, 2009
Time: 1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Location: California Air Resources Board
Byron Sher Auditorium
1001 I Street
Sacramento, California 95812

Staff Contact: Joshua Cunningham, (916) 324-2553
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For those unable to attend in person, the workshop will also be available via webcast. The broadcast can be accessed at <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast/?BDO=1> on the day of the workshop. Information on submitting questions or comments will be provided during the webcast for remote participants. Staff's presentation will be posted in advance of the workshop on ARB's ZEV Program web site, <http://www.arb.ca.gov/msprog/zevprog/zevprog.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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If you require special accommodations or language needs please contact Ms. Kathy Leuterio at (916) 322-1731 or kleuteri@arb.ca.gov, as soon as possible but no later than 10 business days before the scheduled meeting. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

ARB will use the ZEV Program list serve to notify stakeholders of upcoming events. If you sign up for this list serve, you will receive an email notice when new information has been posted. To subscribe to the ZEV Program list serve, please visit http://www.arb.ca.gov/listserv/listserv_ind.php?listname=zev-program

We welcome and encourage your participation. If you have questions regarding the workshop, please contact Ms. Elise Keddie, Manager, at (916) 323-8974, or by email at ekeddie@arb.ca.gov, or Mr. Joshua Cunningham, Air Resources Engineer, at (916) 324-2553, or by email at jcunning@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

/s/

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