

State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Executive Order G-99-003

WHEREAS, on April 23, 1998, the Air Resources Board (the Board or ARB) conducted a hearing to consider amendments to the Heavy-Duty Vehicle Regulations: 2004 Emission Standards; Averaging, Banking, and Trading; Optional Reduced-Emission Standards; Certification Test Fuel; Labeling; Maintenance Requirements and Warranties;

WHEREAS, following the public hearing on April 23, 1998, the Board adopted Resolution 98-17, by which the Board approved the regulatory amendments set forth in Attachment A thereto, which included staff's proposed modifications to the regulatory text set forth in Appendix A to the Staff Report (released March 6, 1998);

WHEREAS, Attachment A to Resolution 98-17 contained the amendments to sections 1956.8, 1965, 2112, and 2036 of title 13, California Code of Regulations, and to the heavy-duty test procedures incorporated by reference in section 1956.8, as originally proposed by staff in Appendix A to the Staff Report and staff's proposed modifications to those sections;

WHEREAS, Resolution 98-17 directed the Executive Officer to incorporate into the approved amendments the modifications described in Attachment A thereto, with such other conforming modifications as may be appropriate, to make the modified regulatory language available to the public for a supplemental 15-day comment period, and thereafter either to adopt the approved amendments with such additional modifications as may be appropriate in light of supplemental comments received, or to present the amendments to the Board for further consideration if warranted in light of supplemental written comments received;

WHEREAS, the Board-approved modifications to the originally proposed text were made available for a supplemental 15-day comment period, in accordance with the provisions of Title 1, California Code of Regulations, section 44, with the modifications clearly indicated;

WHEREAS, comments were received during the supplemental comment periods, and all comments have been considered by the Executive Officer; and

WHEREAS, Attachment 1 hereto contains the text of the amendments to sections 1956.8, 1965, 2112, and 2036 of title 13, California Code of Regulations, and to the heavy-duty test procedures incorporated by reference in section 1956.8, and incorporates the modifications made available for the 15-day supplemental comment period.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the recitals and findings contained in Resolution 98-17 are incorporated herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, in accordance with Resolution 98-17 and Health and Safety Code sections 39515 and 39516, that the amendments to sections 1956.8, 1965, 2112, and 2036 of title 13, California Code of Regulations, and to the heavy-duty test procedures incorporated by reference in section 1956.8, are hereby adopted as set forth in Attachment 1 hereto.

Executed this _____ day of February, 1999, at Sacramento, California.

Michael P. Kenny
Executive Officer

Attachment