

State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD

EXECUTIVE ORDER R-06-008

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER AMENDMENTS TO THE HEAVY-DUTY VEHICLE SMOKE INSPECTION PROGRAM (IMPLEMENTATION OF ASSEMBLY BILL 1009, PAVLEY 2004, CHAPTER 873)

WHEREAS, on January 26, 2006, the Air Resources Board (the Board or ARB) conducted a public hearing to consider amendments to the Heavy-Duty Vehicle Inspection Program, as set forth in the Initial Statement of Reasons released to the public on December 9, 2005;

WHEREAS, following the public hearing on January 26, 2006, the Board adopted Resolution 06-2 in which the Board approved amendments to title 13, California Code of Regulations (CCR), sections 2180, 2180.1, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, and 2188 and proposed adoption to title 13, CCR, section 2189: Heavy-Duty Smoke Emissions Test and Heavy-Duty Vehicle Emissions Control System Inspections, as set forth in Attachment A thereto, with the modifications set forth in Attachment B thereto;

WHEREAS, Resolution 06-2 directed the Executive Officer to take final action to adopt the regulatory amendments set forth in Attachments A and B to Resolution 06-2 after making the modified regulatory language, with such other conforming modifications as may be appropriate, available to the public for a period of at least 15 days, provided that the Executive Officer shall consider such written comments as may be submitted during this period, make such modifications as may be appropriate in light of the comments received, and present the regulatory amendments to the Board for further consideration if she determines that this is warranted;

WHEREAS, on May 11, 2006, the modified regulations, reflecting the amendments approved by the Board and other changes made to best reflect the intent of the Board at the hearing, were made available for public comment for a period of 15-days, with the changes to the originally proposed text clearly indicated, in accordance with the provisions of title 1, California Code of Regulations, section 44; and

WHEREAS, no written comments were received during the 15-day comment period.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the recitals and findings contained in Resolution 06-2 are incorporated by reference herein.

