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June 13, 2006

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing to invite you to participate in upcoming public workshops to discuss the proposed amendments to the Air Resources Board's (ARB/Board) Airborne Toxic Control Measure (ATCM) for Chromium Plating and Chromic Acid Anodizing Facilities. The proposed amendments to the ATCM are available at the following ARB web link: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/toxics/chrome/draftatcm.pdf> and are enclosed with this notice. The Board will consider the proposed amendments at the September 28, 2006, hearing in Sacramento.

At the workshops, we will discuss the basis and rationale for the proposal. In addition, we are seeking comments on the use of trivalent chromium as a replacement for hexavalent chromium in decorative plating.

The times and locations for the public workshops are shown below. Please note that you can participate in the public workshops *via* teleconference. The same information will be presented at each workshop.

Southern California Public Workshop

Date and Time: Tuesday, June 27, at 10:30 a.m.
Location: South Coast Air Quality Management District
Room #: GB
21865 East Copley Drive
Diamond Bar, California
Call-in Time: Between 10:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.
USA Toll Free Number: (800) 857-4151
Passcode: Chrome
Leader: Carla Takemoto

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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Northern California Public Workshop

Date and Time: Friday, June 30, at 10:00 a.m.
Location: California Environmental Protection Agency
Byron Sher Hearing Room 2nd Floor
1001 I Street Sacramento, California
Call-in Time: Between 9:45 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
USA Toll Free Number: (800) 857-4151
Passcode: Chrome
Leader: Carla Takemoto

We look forward to meeting with you. If you need directions, or have general questions regarding the meetings, please contact Mr. Robert Barrera, Air Resources Engineer, at (916) 324-9549.

If you are participating *via* teleconference and have trouble connecting to the workshop, please call Mr. Jose Saldana at (916) 322-0289.

For individuals with sensory disabilities, this document is available in braille, large print, audio cassette or computer disk. Please contact ARB's Disability Coordinator at (916) 323-4916 by voice or through the California Relay Services at 711, to place your request for disability services.

If you are a person with limited English and would like to request interpreter services, please contact ARB's Bilingual Manager at (916) 323-7053.

Sincerely,

/S/

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Enclosure

cc: See next page.

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