

Air Resources Board



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CORRECTION TO PUBLIC MEETING TIME

Dear Sir or Madam:

The staff of the Air Resources Board (ARB) invites you to a public meeting on February 6, 2001 to discuss the ARB's regulatory and non-regulatory fuel activities for 2001. This will be the "kick-off" meeting for this year's fuels regulatory agenda and non-regulatory activities.

Items that will be discussed at the public meeting include:

- 1) development of California diesel fuel regulations;
- 2) development of California Phase 3 Reformulated Gasoline (CaRFG3) vehicle certification fuel standards;
- 3) review of de minimus levels for methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE) and other ethers in CaRFG3 regulations.
- 4) ongoing work on the effects of ethanol in gasoline regarding commingling and permeation; and
- 5) evaluation of diesel engine lubrication oils, diesel fuel additives and diesel fuel lubrication properties.

An agenda of the meeting enclosed for your information.

The time and location of the public meeting is:

Date: February 06, 2001

Time: 1:30 pm - 5:30 pm

(Originally noticed as 10:00 am - 5:00 pm)

Location: California Air Resources Board

Auditorium - Annex 4 Building

9530 Telstar Avenue El Monte, California

California Environmental Protection Agency

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The meeting place is accessible to persons with disabilities. If accommodation is needed, please call Mr. Valentine Montoya at (916) 322-6020 by January 30, 2001. Persons with hearing or speech impairments can contact us by using our Telephone Device for the DEAF (TDD) at (916) 324-9531 or (800) 700-8326 for TDD calls from outside the Sacramento area.

To participate by tele-conference, dial 888-709-9420 and give the participant code: 37652.

If you have questions about the meeting, please call Mr. Erik White, Manager, Engineering Evaluation Section, at (916) 324-8029.

Sincerely,

Dean C. Simeroth, Chief Criteria Pollutants Branch

Enclosure

cc: Erik White

Air Resources Board

Public Meeting on Regulatory and Non-Regulatory Fuels Activities for 2001

> California Air Resources Board Auditorium - Annex 4 Building 9530 Telstar Avenue El Monte, California

> > February 6, 2001

AGENDA

- Introductions
- Discussion Topics:
 - Development of amendments to CARB Diesel Fuel Regulations
 - Development of CaRFG3 Regulatory for Vehicle Certification Fuel Standards
 - Review of MTBE and other ether De Minimus Levels in CaRFG3 Regulations
 - Ongoing Work on Commingling from the Effects of Ethanol in Gasoline
 - Ongoing Work on Permeation from the Effects of Ethanol in Gasoline
 - Evaluation of Diesel Lubrication Oils, Diesel Fuel Additives and Diesel Fuel Lubrication Properties.
- Open Discussion
- Closing Remarks