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Arnold Schwarzenegger
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June 1, 2006

Dear Sir or Madam:

The staff of the Air Resources Board (ARB) will hold two workshops to discuss ARB's regulatory and non-regulatory fuels-related activities. These workshops will be the fourth and fifth meetings this year to discuss fuels activities.

Topics may include, but are not limited to, issues relating to the California Phase 3 Reformulated Gasoline (CaRFG3) regulations and the California diesel fuel regulations for vehicular and non-vehicular uses. The main focus of the workshops will be to discuss issues pertaining to updating the CaRFG3 predictive model. A tentative agenda is provided as an enclosure. Final updated agendas may be released a couple of days prior to the workshops. For more information regarding California's fuel programs, you may visit the Fuels Program webpage at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/fuels/fuels.htm>.

The time and place of the first workshop is shown below:

Date: Friday, June 16, 2006
Time: 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Location: California Environmental Protection Agency
1001 "I" Street, Second Floor
Sierra Hearing Room
Sacramento, California 95814

This workshop will be webcast. You may access the webcast at ARB's homepage, <http://www.arb.ca.gov>. To participate by teleconference, dial (888) 373-3590 and give the participant code: 23260 and leader name: Steve Brisby. In addition, we will also accept comments and questions sent via email to onair@arb.ca.gov.

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>.

California Environmental Protection Agency

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The time and place of the second workshop is shown below:

Date: Friday, June 30, 2006
Time: 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Location: Air Resources Board
Monitoring and Laboratory Division
First Floor Conference Room (North and South)
1927 13th Street (13th and T Streets)
Sacramento, California 95814

This workshop will not be webcast. To participate by teleconference, dial (888) 373-3590 and give the participant code: 23260 and leader name: Steve Brisby.

If you have a disability-related accommodation need for either workshop, please go to <http://www.arb.ca.gov/html/ada/ada.htm> for assistance or contact the ADA Coordinator at (916) 323-4916. If you are a person who needs assistance in a language other than English, please go to <http://inside.arb.ca.gov/as/eo/languageaccess.htm> or contact the Bilingual Coordinator at (916) 324-5049.

If you have questions about the workshops, please contact Mr. Steve Brisby, Manager, Fuels Section, at (916) 322-6019.

Sincerely,



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Criteria Pollutants Branch

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Steve Brisby, Manager
Fuels Section

**Air Resources Board
Workshops on Regulatory and Non-Regulatory
Fuels-Related Activities for 2006
Friday, June 16, and Friday, June 30, 2006
9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Tentative Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Diesel
3. Alternative Fuels
4. Gasoline
 - Proposals for Flexibility, Enforceability, Consistency
 - California Predictive Model
5. Presentations by Others
6. Open Discussion
7. Closing Remarks