

March 1, 2013

As of the bid guarantee deadline of February 27th, 2013, no covered entities or opt-in entities had indicated an intent to bid at the March 2013 reserve sale and provided a bid guarantee. Therefore, the Air Resources Board will not be holding the reserve sale scheduled for March 8, 2013.

The next reserve sale is scheduled for June 27, 2013. A notice for that reserve sale will be posted approximately 30 days prior to the scheduled date. All allowances for the March 2013 reserve sale will be made available at the June 2013 reserve sale.

Background:

The California Cap-and-Trade Program includes an Allowance Price Containment Reserve available to California covered entities and opt-in covered entities in quarterly reserve sales. More information about the reserve sales can be found at:

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/capandtrade/auction/auction.htm>.

For further information about reserve sales, please contact Mr. Chuck Seidler at [cseidler@arb.ca.gov](mailto:cseidler@arb.ca.gov) or (916) 324-0931.

For questions regarding the California GHG Cap-and-Trade Program, please contact the California Air Resources Board at (916) 322-2037. For more information on the California Cap-and-Trade Program, please go to:

<http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/capandtrade/capandtrade.htm>.