

# **Open Invitation to Public Stakeholders Consultation Meeting for the Final Draft of the Cal/EPA Multimedia Guidance Document for Multimedia Evaluations of Motor Vehicle Fuels and Fuel Additives**

The California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) Multimedia Interagency Working Group, together with the University of California Peer Reviewers (UC Peer Reviewers), extends an invitation to attend the second public stakeholder's consultation meeting to discuss and comment on the final draft of the multimedia guidance document for multimedia evaluations of motor vehicle fuels and fuel additives.

This invitation is extended to organizations and individuals, who have an interest in the final draft of the multimedia guidance document. On March 15, the final draft of the guidance document will be available for review at:

[www.arb.ca.gov/fuels/multi/multi.htm](http://www.arb.ca.gov/fuels/multi/multi.htm). The final draft of the guidance document is being prepared by the UC Peer Reviewers under the direction of the Multimedia Interagency Working Group, which includes staff from the California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control, State Water Resources Control Board, Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, and the Air Resources Board. The meeting will be held on:

Date: March 27, 2006  
Time: 10:00am-1:00pm  
Location: Cal/EPA Building, Sierra Hearing Room  
1001 I Street  
Sacramento, California 95814

The meeting will address general procedures for marketing new fuels in California, including an overview of the elements for conducting a multimedia assessment and guidance for navigation through the application process.

## Topics for the meeting include:

- Background on application process;
- Objectives of the multimedia assessment;
- Purpose and the scope of the guidance document;
- Tiered application strategy;
- Products at each tier;
- Flow of information among different tiers; and
- Flow of information among various parties involved.

As a potential user of the guidance document or user of the products that are reviewed under this process, we invite you to bring questions and concerns and to comment on the final draft of the guidance document.

If you have a disability-related accommodation need, 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://www.arb.ca.gov/as/eeo/language\\_access.htm](http://www.arb.ca.gov/as/eeo/language_access.htm) or contact the Bilingual Coordinator at (916) 324-5049.

If you plan to attend, please send an e-mail to Mr. Robert Okamoto at [rokamoto@arb.ca.gov](mailto:rokamoto@arb.ca.gov) and title message RSVP March 27, 2006. For your information, this meeting will be webcast. You may access the webcast at ARB's homepage, [http://www.arb.ca.gov/app/calendar/cal\\_wbcst.php](http://www.arb.ca.gov/app/calendar/cal_wbcst.php). During the webcast we will also accept comments and questions sent via email to [onair@arb.ca.gov](mailto:onair@arb.ca.gov).

Please mark your calendar. Your participation is appreciated.

If you have any further questions, please contact Dr. Timothy Ginn at [trginn@ucdavis.edu](mailto:trginn@ucdavis.edu), or Dr. Thomas McKone at [temckone@lbl.gov](mailto:temckone@lbl.gov).