July 7, 2006

Dear Sir or Madam:

California Air Resources Board (ARB) staff invites you to participate in our next Commercial Harbor Craft Workshop on July 27, 2006. At this meeting, we will discuss the statewide commercial harbor craft inventory development and the staff regulatory proposal for reducing diesel particulate matter and oxides of nitrogen emissions from in-use diesel-fueled engines on commercial harbor craft. Commercial harbor craft include, but are not limited to, tugboats, fishing vessels, work boats, crew boats, ferries, and military vessels.

The Commercial Harbor Craft Workshop will be held at the following time and location.

Date: July 27, 2006
Time: 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (Pacific Daylight Time)
Location: Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
Byron Sher Auditorium
1001 I Street
Sacramento, California 95814

A draft agenda for the workshop is attached.

If you wish to participate by phone, you can call in by calling 1-800-369-2052, and using the passcode 65505. The call leader name is Todd Sterling.

One week prior to the meeting we will post any revisions to the agenda and any relevant handouts on our web site at http://www.arb.ca.gov/ports/marinevess/marinevess.htm. The materials will also be available as a hard copy on the day of the meeting. If you did not receive this letter directly but would like to be on the mailing list for future notification, please sign up via our web site at http://www.arb.ca.gov/ports/marinevess/lists.htm.

If you have special accommodations or language needs, please contact Ms. Linda Keifer at (916) 327-1505 or lkeifer@arb.ca.gov as soon as possible. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service. For public transit

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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information, please contact Regional Transit at (916) 321-BUSS or view the transportation information on the California Environmental Protection Agency's web site at http://www.calepa.ca.gov/epabldg/location.htm.

We welcome your participation in this effort. If you have questions regarding the July 27, 2006 Commercial Harbor Craft Workshop meeting, please contact Mr. Todd Sterling, Air Pollution Specialist, at (916) 445-1034 or Mr. Erik White, Manager, Technical Analysis Section, at (916) 327-7213.

Sincerely,

/s/
Daniel E. Donohoue, Chief
Emissions Assessment Branch

Attachment

cc: Mr. Erik White, Manager
Technical Analysis Section
Stationary Source Division

Mr. Todd Sterling
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Commercial Harbor Craft Workshop
Draft Agenda

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