

CALIFORNIA AIR RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO CONSIDER AN UPDATE ON THE AIR RESOURCES BOARD'S EMISSION REDUCTION PLAN FOR PORTS AND GOODS MOVEMENT IN CALIFORNIA

The Air Resources Board (the Board or ARB) will conduct a public meeting at the time and place noted below to consider a staff presentation on implementation of the Emission Reduction Plan for Ports and Goods Movement in California.

DATE: November 16, 2006

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: California Public Utilities Commission
Auditorium
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California 94102

This item will be considered at a two-day meeting of the Board, which will commence at 9:00 a.m., November 16, 2006, and may continue at 8:30 a.m., November 17, 2006. This item may not be considered until November 17, 2006. Please consult the agenda for the meeting, which will be available at least 10 days before November 16, 2006, to determine the day on which this item will be considered.

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This is the first regular update on implementation of the Emission Reduction Plan for Ports and Goods Movement in California (Plan) approved by the Board on April 20, 2006. The Plan is designed to identify and initiate specific actions to reduce the emissions and health risk associated with pollution from the ships, trucks, locomotives, harbor craft, and cargo equipment that operate at ports and move goods throughout the State. The Plan includes an analysis of the health impacts from goods movement and identifies strategies to cut emissions in each sector to protect public health.

The Board directed staff to report back on progress made in developing and implementing the emission reduction strategies, as well as the status of funding mechanisms and updates to the health impacts analysis.

ARB staff will present an oral report at the meeting. Interested members of the public may also present comments orally or in writing at the meeting, and in writing or by email before the meeting. To be considered by the Board, written comments submissions not physically submitted at the meeting must be received **no later than 12:00 noon, November 15, 2006**, and addressed to the following:

Postal mail: Clerk of the Board, Air Resources Board
1001 I Street, Sacramento, California 95814

Electronic submittal : <http://www.arb.ca.gov/lispub/comm/bclist.php>

Facsimile submittal: (916) 322-3928

The Board requests, but does not require 30 copies of any written submission. Also, the ARB requests that written and email statements be filed at least 10 days prior to the meeting so that ARB staff and Board members have time to fully consider each comment. Further inquiries regarding this matter should be directed to Cynthia Marvin, Assistant Division Chief, Planning and Technical Support Division, at (916) 322-7236 or cmarvin@arb.ca.gov.

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Executive Officer

Date: November 7, 2006

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 Web-site at www.arb.ca.gov