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AB 32 Cost of Implementation Fee Regulation

The Air Resources Board (ARB) invites you to participate in the 4th public workshop to discuss the proposed AB 32 Cost of Implementation Fee Regulation. This workshop is to discuss changes to the regulation that are being considered in response to the June 25, 2008 Board hearing and stakeholder input. The public comment period for proposed regulation has remained open.

Health and Safety Code Section 38597 (AB 32) authorizes ARB to adopt by regulation a schedule of fees to be paid by sources of greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) to support the administration costs of implementing AB 32.

When and Where is the Meeting?

The workshop will be held at the following location:

DATE: Tuesday, August 25, 2009
TIME: 10:00 a.m.
PLACE: Cal/EPA Headquarters Building
Sierra Hearing Room, 2nd Floor
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

Meeting Topic Details

The purpose of this workshop is to discuss with stakeholders ARB's conceptual approach to modifying the proposed fee regulation that was released for public review in May, 2009. Topics to be covered pertain to fee collection specifics and to the point of regulation for electricity, transportation fuels, and other fuel uses.

Meeting Materials

The materials for this workshop will be posted prior to the workshop at ARB's website <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/adminfee/meetings/meetings.htm>.

At this website you may also join our electronic mailing list to receive further notices of ARB activities and public meetings related to the implementation of AB 32.

Can't Make it to the Meeting?

This meeting will be webcast, and viewers can email written comments or questions during the session to ccworkshops@arb.ca.gov. Webcast links are posted at <http://www.calepa.ca.gov/broadcast/?BDO=1>. ARB recommends that you do not run other programs while viewing the webcast, as it may interrupt or lower the quality of the signal.

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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Directions to Cal/EPA

There are many ways to arrive at the Cal/EPA Headquarters Building but we encourage you to take public transportation or drive low emission/high efficiency vehicles whenever possible. Use the following link for directions and information on public transit:
<http://www.calepa.ca.gov/EPAbldg/location.htm>.

Special Accommodations or Language Assistance

If you require special accommodations or language needs, please contact Mary Farr at (916) 445-8290 or mfarr@arb.ca.gov as soon as possible, but no later than 7 business days before the scheduled event/meeting. TTY/TDD/Speech to Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

We Value Your Input

We welcome and encourage your participation in this important effort. If you have questions regarding the workshop or the Administrative Fee Regulation development, please contact Jeannie Blakeslee at (916) 445-8286 or jblakesl@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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