

### **Tier 5 Rulemaking Workshop II** Amendments to the **Off-Road Diesel New Engine Regulations** October 30-31, 2023



# 2-Day Workshop Outline

- Tier 5 Introduction
- Implementation Schedule
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- Off-Road In-Use Testing (ORIUT) Provisions
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- On-Board Diagnostics and Monitoring (OBD/OBM)
- Incentives and Flexibility Provisions
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- Off-Road Inventory Methodology



## Introduction





# Need for Tier 5 Standards

- Current Tier 4 final off-road diesel standards for new engines do not reflect the latest generations of emission control technologies
  - Over 50% of Tier 4 final engine families are certified without Diesel Particulate Filters (DPF)
- Additional emissions reductions are needed for attainment of federal and State ambient air quality standards
- Off-road emissions often disproportionately affect disadvantaged communities due to the locations of construction sites where diesel off-road equipment operate
- Current certification test cycles do not adequately demonstrate emissions control during low-load or idle operation



# Applicability

- Tier 5 regulations would be applicable to manufacturers of new off-road diesel engines
- Equipment manufacturers and end-users are not the targets of the Tier 5 engine regulation; however, they would be impacted
- Engines used in Transport Refrigeration Units would be excluded from Tier 5 engine requirements in favor of more stringent zero-emission requirements



## Changes Since the 11/3/2021 Workshop (1 of 3)

- Standards would be phased-in by power category for up to five years before Tier 5 final standards become effective
- 2. The stringency of standards for engines < 19 kW has been reduced
- 3. The stringency of standards for engines  $19 \le kW < 56$  has been reduced
- 4. The stringency of Tier 5 standards for engines in mobile machines > 560 kW has been reduced
- 5. The stringency of the PM standard for engines in Gen Sets > 560 kW is being increased from 0.015 to 0.008 g/kW-hr
- 6. The stringency of the NMHC standard has been increased on the NRTC and Steady-State certification cycles for some power categories
- 7. A compliance margin is being afforded within the proposed certification  $NO_x$ standard  $NO_x$  = oxides of nitrogen, PM = particulate matter, NMHC = non-methane

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hydrocarbon, kW = kilowatt, g/kW-hr = grams per kilowatt-hour, NRTC = non-road transient certification cycle



## Changes Since the 11/3/2021 Workshop (2 of 3)

- 8. The stringency of the  $N_2O$  capping standard is reduced to 0.15 g/kW-hr
- 9. The stringency of the CH<sub>4</sub> capping standard is reduced to 0.13 g/kW-hr
- 10. The capping standards baseline was updated to be based on the 80<sup>th</sup> percentile of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from Tier 4 final engines instead of the average
- 11. Interim standards would not require CO<sub>2</sub>, idle, or LLC certification
- 12. Separate CO<sub>2</sub> standards for child variants within an engine family would not be required
- 13. A single ABT averaging set would be available in Tier 5 to provide more flexibility
- 14. Manufacturers could certify some Tier 4 final engines after Tier 5 begins

 $CO_2$  = carbon dioxide,  $N_2O$  = nitrous oxide,  $CH_4$  = methane, LLC = low load cycle, ABT = averaging, banking, and trading



## Changes Since the 11/3/2021 Workshop (3 of 3)

- 15. A Tier 5 zero-emission credit program is being proposed
- 16. A Tier 5 CA-TPEM program is being proposed for equipment manufacturers
- 17. Useful life and warranty hourly periods would not be increased
- 18. PEMS testing would be the default ORIUT option for small and very small engine families
- 19. A two-year screening pilot program for REAL would occur prior to enforcement
- 20. Inducements would not be extended beyond DEF and SCR monitoring
- 21. The use of biodiesel fuel blends for durability testing would not be required
- 22. A more stringent LLC standard than 0.100 g/kW-hr is proposed for NOx

CA-TPEM = California transition program for equipment manufacturers, PEMS = portable emissions measurement system, REAL = real emissions assessment and logging, DEF = diesel exhaust fluid, SCR = selective catalytic reduction



Implementation

## **Tier 5 Implementation**







#### **Tier 5 Implementation Schedule**

REQUIREMENTS		INTERIM					
		< 19 kW	19 ≤ kW < 56	56 ≤ kW < 130	$130 \le kW \le 560$	> 560 kW	
<b>Criteria Pollutant Standards*</b> (NO <sub>X</sub> , PM, NMHC <sup>1</sup> , and CO)							
DAAAC Aging*		2031-2033			2029-2032	2030-2033	
SCR Inducements*, **							
Longer Useful Life and Warranty*							
Enhanced Defects Reporting*							
<b>GHG Standards</b> $(CO_2, N_2O, and CH_4)$	Capping	n/a					
	Reducing	n/a					
LLC Certification**, ***		n/a					
Idle Reduction Provisions***		n/a					
In-Use Testing Program*, **	Pilot		n/a	2031-2032	2029-2030	n/a	
	Enforceable	n/a					

DAAAC = Diesel Aftertreatment Accelerated Aging Cycle NMHC = nonmethane hydrocarbon CO = carbon monoxide

\* Does not apply to Tier 4 final phase-out engines in Option #2
 \*\* Only applies to engines certified with SCR or similar NOx aftertreatment
 \*\*\* Does not apply to steady-state engine families
 1 NMHC Interim standards are the same as Tier 4 final NMHC standards



#### **Tier 5 Implementation Schedule**

REQUIREMENTS		FINAL						
		< 19 kW	19 ≤ kW < 56	56 ≤ kW < 130	$130 \le kW \le 560$	> 560 kW		
Criteria Pollutant Standards* (NO <sub>x</sub> , PM, NMHC, and CO) DAAAC Aging*		2034+, or 2033+ (Op 4)			2033+, or 2031+ (Op 4)	2034+, or 2032+ (Op 4)		
SCR Inducements*, ** Longer Useful Life and Warranty* Enhanced Defects Reporting*								
<b>GHG Standards</b> (CO <sub>2</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> O, and CH <sub>4</sub> )	Capping	n/a	2034+, or 2033+ (Op 4)	n/a		2034+, or 2032+ (Op 4)		
	Reducing	n/a		2034+, or 2033+ (Op 4)	2033+, or 2031+ (Op 4)	n/a		
LLC Certification**, ***		n/a		2034+, or 2033+ (Op 4)	2033+, or 2031+ (Op 4)	n/a		
Idle Reduction Provisions***		n/a	2034+, or 2033+ (Op 4)		2033+, or 2031+ (Op 4)	2034+, or 2032+ (Op 4)		
In-Use Testing Program*, **	Pilot	n/a						
	Enforceable	n/a		2033+	2031+	n/a		

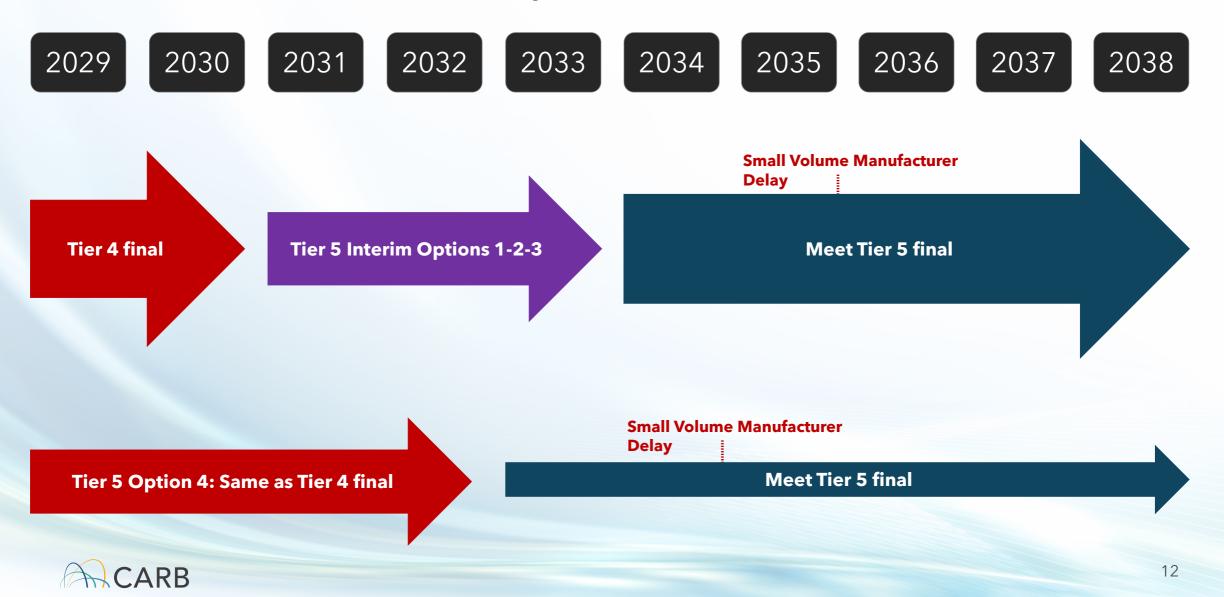
"Op 4" refers to the earlier Tier 5f start date in Option #4

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Does not apply to steady-state engine families

## Tier 5 Standards Phase-In for < 130 kW

by Model Year



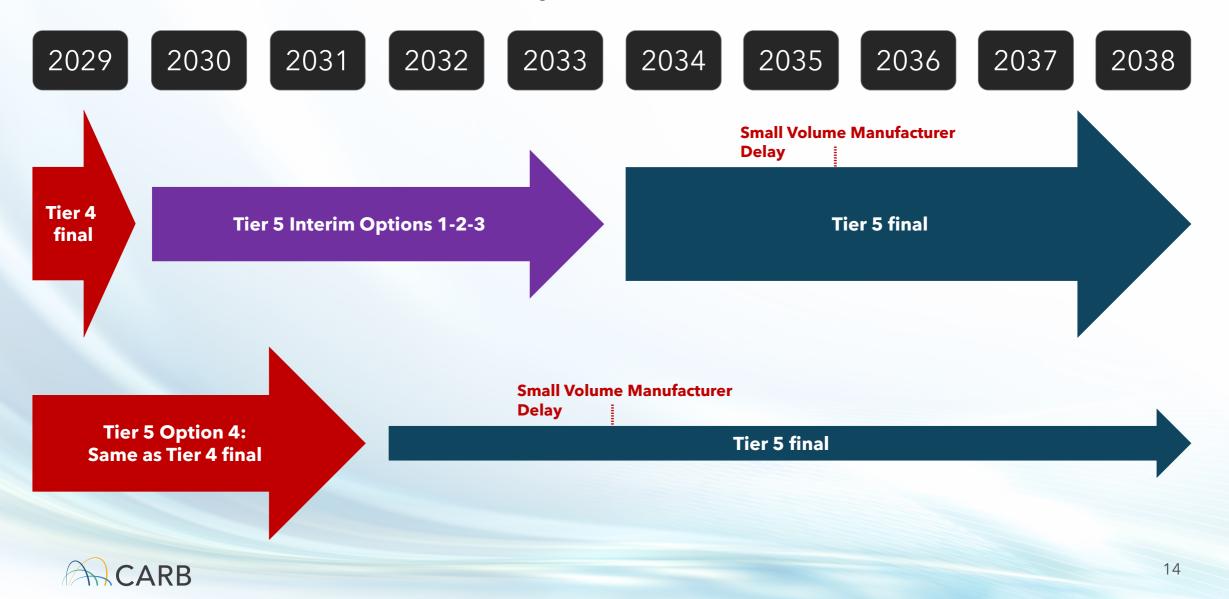
## Tier 5 Standards Phase-In for $130 \le kW \le 560$

by Model Year



## Tier 5 Standards Phase-In for > 560 kW

by Model Year



# **Tier 5 Interim Options**

### **Option #1**

Direct compliance with Tier 5i standards

### **Option #2**

Phase-in/out compliance with 50% of engine sales at the Tier 5f level and 50% at the Tier 4f level

### **Option #3**

Direct compliance with Tier 5i standards using CA-ABT credits

### **Option #4**

Longer continuance of Tier 4f compliant engines in exchange for earlier introduction of Tier 5f compliant engines



**CA-ABT = California Averaging, Banking, and Trading**