

State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD

EXECUTIVE ORDER D-335
Relating to Exemptions Under Section 27156
of the Vehicle Code.

VORTEX COMPANY
AIR CLEANER DEVICES

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Air Resources Board (ARB) by Section 27156 of the Vehicle Code; and

Pursuant to the authority vested in the undersigned by Sections 39515 and 39516 of the Health and Safety Code and Executive Order G-45-5;

IT IS ORDERED AND RESOLVED: That the installation of the Air Cleaner devices, manufactured by Vortex Company, of 121 South Indian Hill Blvd., Claremont, California, 91711, has been found not to reduce the effectiveness of the applicable vehicle pollution control system and, therefore, is exempt from the prohibitions of Section 27156 of the Vehicle Code for the following motor vehicles:

<u>Model Number</u>	<u>Application</u>
AN65A	1988-1993 Ford Pick-up Trucks equipped with alternate fuel system with a 4 inch diameter air inlet.
AN65B	1988-1993 Ford Pick-up Trucks - OEM replacement
AN65C	1988-1993 Ford Econoline Van equipped with an alternate fuel system with a 4 inch diameter air inlet.
AN65G	1988-1993 Ford Econoline Vans equipped with 300 CID 6-cylinder engine retrofitted with an alternate fuel system using a 3 inch diameter air inlet.
AN65H	1988-1993 Ford Econoline Van - OEM replacement
ANP120/140B	Any vehicle using IMPCO 125 and 425 and O.H.G. X450 alternate fuel mixers.
ANP120/140A	Any vehicle using IMPCO 300 series alternate fuel mixer.

This Executive Order is valid provided the installation instructions for these Air Cleaner devices will not recommend tuning the vehicle to specifications different from those submitted by Vortex Company.

Changes made to the design or operating conditions of the Air Cleaner devices, as exempt by the ARB, which adversely affect the performance of a vehicle's pollution control system shall invalidate this Executive Order.

Marketing of these Air Cleaner devices using an identification other than that shown in this Executive Order or marketing of these Air Cleaner devices for an application other than those listed in this Executive Order shall be prohibited unless prior approval is obtained from the ARB.

In addition to the foregoing, the ARB reserves the right in the future to review this Executive Order and the exemption provided herein to assure that the exempted add-on or modified part continues to meet the standards and procedures of Title 13, California Code of Regulations, section 2222 et seq.

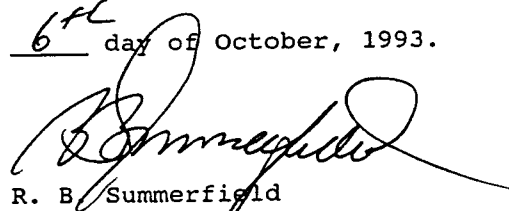
This Executive Order does not constitute any opinion as to the effect the use of these Air Cleaner devices may have on any warranty either expressed or implied by the vehicle manufacturer.

THIS EXECUTIVE ORDER DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CERTIFICATION, ACCREDITATION, APPROVAL, OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF ENDORSEMENT BY THE AIR RESOURCES BOARD OF CLAIMS OF THE APPLICANT CONCERNING ANTI-POLLUTION BENEFITS OR ANY ALLEGED BENEFITS OF THE VORTOX COMPANY'S AIR CLEANER DEVICES.

No claim of any kind, such as "Approved by the Air Resources Board" may be made with respect to the action taken herein in any advertising or other oral or written communication.

Violation of any of the above conditions shall be grounds for revocation of this order. The order may be revoked only after ten day written notice of intention to revoke the order, in which period the holder of the order may request in writing a hearing to contest the proposed revocation. If a hearing is requested, it shall be held within ten days of receipt of the request and the order may not be revoked until a determination after the hearing that grounds for revocation exist.

Executed at El Monte, California, this 6th day of October, 1993.


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