

CALIFORNIA AIR RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO CONSIDER THE APPROVAL OF THE 1990 STATEWIDE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS LEVEL AND 2020 EMISSIONS LIMIT

The Air Resources Board (the Board or ARB) will conduct a public meeting at the time and place noted below to consider the approval of the 1990 statewide greenhouse gas emissions level and 2020 emissions limit.

DATE: December 6, 2007
TIME: 9:00 a.m.
PLACE: Air Resources Board
Auditorium
9530 Telstar Avenue
El Monte, California 91731

This item will be considered at a two-day meeting of the Board, which will commence at 9:00 a.m., December 6, and may continue at 8:30 a.m., December 7. This item may not be considered until December 7. Please consult the agenda for the meeting, which will be available at least 10 days before December 6, to determine the day on which this item will be considered.

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The Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 requires ARB to determine the statewide greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions level in 1990 and approve a statewide GHG emissions limit equivalent to that level, to be achieved by 2020. ARB staff is recommending that the Board approve 427 million metric tonnes of carbon dioxide equivalent (MMT CO₂e) as the total statewide aggregated GHG 1990 emissions level and 2020 emissions limit.

ARB staff undertook an extensive review of the methods and data used to develop a statewide GHG emissions inventory for 1990. ARB staff worked closely with numerous local, state, and federal environmental agencies to obtain critical data to determine the 1990 emissions level. ARB staff also held over a dozen technical discussions and workshops to obtain public and stakeholder input on emissions estimation methods and updated data.

At the Board meeting, ARB staff will present the results of its review and the basis for the staff recommendation. A staff report on the emission estimation methodologies and data used is available for review. Copies of the report may be obtained from the Board's Public Information Office, 1001 "I" Street, 1st Floor, Environmental Services Center, Sacramento, California 95814, (916) 322-2990. The report may also be obtained from ARB's internet site at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/ccei/ccei.htm>

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, Wednesday, December 5, 2007**, 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

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The Board requests, but does not require 30 copies of any written submission. Also, 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 Webster Tasat, Manager, Emission Inventory Analysis Section, 1001 I Street, Sacramento, California 95814, (916) 323-4950.

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James N. Goldstene
Executive Officer

Date: November 20, 2007