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In the Matter of: )  
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Informational Proceeding and Preparation )  
of the State Plan to Increase the Use of )  
Alternative Transportation Fuels )  
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Docket No. 06-AFP-1

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**Notice of Joint Staff Workshop On the  
State Alternative Fuels Plan**

The California Energy Commission (Energy Commission) and the Air Resources Board (ARB) will jointly conduct a staff workshop to solicit public comments on the Committee Draft of the state alternative fuels plan to increase the use of alternative fuels in California's transportation sector. The workshop will focus on recommended actions needed to increase alternative transportation fuels, reduce petroleum use, and achieve greenhouse gas emission reductions in on-road and off-road transportation markets. Information presented and gathered at this workshop will be considered for the plan, which responds to Assembly Bill 1007 (Stats. 2005, Ch. 371). Following this workshop, the Energy Commission may consider possible adoption of the plan at its October 10, 2007, regularly scheduled business meeting.

The workshop will be held:

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2007**  
1 p.m.  
CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION  
1516 Ninth Street  
First Floor, Hearing Room B  
Sacramento, California  
(Wheelchair Accessible)

Audio from this meeting will be broadcast over the Internet.

For details, please go to:  
[www.energy.ca.gov/webcast](http://www.energy.ca.gov/webcast)

To participate in the meeting by phone, please call 888-655-9181 after 1 p.m.  
Passcode: AB 1007 Call Leader: Mr. Tim Olson

## **Purpose**

The Energy Commission and ARB seek comments, insights, and feedback from participants on the topics, analyses, and potential actions presented at the workshop for consideration in the plan. At the workshop, actions needed to increase alternative fuel use, including government interventions such as mandates, standards, incentives, and programs will be presented. Furthermore, the full fuel cycle analyses, recommended goals, and efforts to reduce petroleum use and achieve greenhouse gas emission reductions will be summarized.

## **Background**

Assembly Bill 1007 requires the Energy Commission, in partnership with the ARB, to prepare a state plan to increase the use of alternative fuels in California. The Energy Commission and ARB established transportation petroleum reduction goals in 2003 stating that California should reduce on-road petroleum consumption by 15 percent below 2003 demand levels in 2020 and increase the use of alternative fuels to 20 percent of on-road transportation fuels in 2020 and 30 percent in 2030. Assembly Bill 32 (Stats. 2006, Ch. 488) directed the ARB to conduct several activities to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and the Governor's Executive Order No. S-01-07 establishes a statewide goal to reduce the carbon intensity of California's transportation fuels by at least 10 percent by 2020.

## **Written Comments**

Written comments on the workshop topics may be submitted before the workshop, but no later than October 8, 2007. Please include the docket number 06-AFP-1 and indicate "Alternative Fuels Transportation Plan" in the subject line or first paragraph of your comments. Please hand deliver or mail an original plus 10 paper copies to:

California Energy Commission  
Dockets Office, MS-4  
Re: Docket No. 06-AFP-1  
1516 Ninth Street  
Sacramento, CA 95814-5512

The Energy Commission encourages comments by e-mail. Please include your name or organization in the name of the file. Those submitting comments by electronic mail should provide them in either Microsoft Word format or as a Portable Document (PDF) to [docket@energy.state.ca.us]. **One paper copy** must also be sent to the Energy Commission's Docket Unit.

Participants may also provide an original and 10 copies at the beginning of the workshop. All written materials relating to this workshop will be filed with the Dockets Unit and become part of the public record in this proceeding.

## **Public Participation**

The Energy Commission's Public Adviser provides the public assistance in participating in Energy Commission activities. If you want information on how to participate in this forum, please contact the Public Adviser's Office at (916) 654-4489 or toll free at (800) 822-6228, by FAX at (916) 654-4493, or by e-mail at [pao@energy.state.ca.us]. If you have a disability and require assistance to participate, please contact Lou Quiroz at (916) 654-5146 at least five days in advance.

News media inquiries should be directed to Claudia Chandler, Assistant Executive Director, at (916) 654-4989 or by e-mail at [mediaoffice@energy.state.ca.us]. Technical questions should be directed to Tim Olson, AB 1007 Project Manager, at (916) 654-4528 or by e-mail at [tolson@energy.state.ca.us].

Date:

Note: California Energy Commission's formal name is State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission.