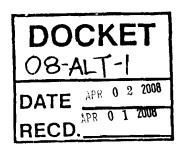
Joint Workshop on the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program and Air Quality Improvement Program

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Presentation 3:

Discussion of Air Quality Guidelines for Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program and Air Quality Improvement Program - ARB, Air Pollution Specialist, Johanna Levine

AB 118 Kickoff Workshop Sacramento, California April 2, 2008

Session 3. AB 118 Air Quality Guidelines





Air Quality Guidelines: Background

AB 118 directs ARB to establish "air quality" guidelines for AQIP and CEC program

Guidelines must ensure both programs

- Complement efforts to meet air quality standards
- Maintain or improve emission benefits in State
 Implementation Plan and clean fuels regulations
- Guidelines subject to Administrative Procedures Act

Air Quality Guidelines: Tentative Schedule

- Kickoff workshop
- April/May
 - Develop concepts
 - Define scope of the regulation
- Second workshop: June 2008
 - Share detailed regulatory concepts
- Staff report, 45 day comment period: August 8, 2008
- Board adoption: September 25, 2008

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Air Quality Guidelines: Key Questions

- Scope of the regulation
 - What funding categories need to be addressed?
 - Fuel development and deployment
 - Clean air projects
 - Research
 - Workplace training
 - Should greenhouse gas impacts be included?
- How should the regulation be structured?
 - Establish protocols
 - Simple and proven analytical approaches

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Air Quality Guidelines: Key Questions

- Analyzing air quality impacts
 - How should the analysis be done?
 - Holistically or project by project
 - Statewide
 - Air basin
 - Criteria pollutants and toxics
 - Would slight emission increases be acceptable?
 - How will environmental justice be a factor?

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