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TO: All Manufacturers Of
- Passenger Cars
- Light-Duty Trucks
- Medium-Duty Vehicles
- Medium-Duty Passenger Vehicles

All Other Interested Parties

SUBJECT: PUBLIC WORKSHOP TO DISCUSS AND DEMONSTRATE THE LIGHT DUTY VEHICLE DATA SUBMITTAL PROCESS INTO E-CERT

The California Air Resources Board (CARB) staff invites you to participate in a public workshop on electronic certification of new on-road light-duty vehicles using the Electronic Certification system (E-Cert). This includes Passenger Cars, Light-Duty Trucks, and Medium-Duty Vehicles including Medium Duty Passenger Vehicles. At the workshop, staff will go over business rules for application submittal, demonstrate how to submit an application to E-Cert, and how manufacturers can register for testing the application. The workshop will be held via webinar and at the following time and location:

Date:	Wednesday, July 31st, 2013
Time:	10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (PST)
Location:	California Air Resources Board Annex 4 Auditorium 9528 Telstar Avenue El Monte, CA 91731

E-Cert and the Document Management System (DMS) are CARB's electronic certification submission systems that together will enable manufacturers to submit complete applications for certification. E-Cert is designed to receive test group/engine family-specific certification data and information. DMS will continue to receive certification-related support documentation, such as, warranty statements, labels, auxiliary emission control devices, and correspondence.

The goal of the E-Cert system is to put into use an electronic system to enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of the certification process by (1) enabling manufacturers to

submit certification data and information electronically, and (2) allowing CARB certification staff to organize, track, process and review data via web screens and automating the process for generating Executive Orders for approval by management.

Prior to the workshop, a more detailed meeting agenda and any relevant handouts will be available on ARB's website at: http://www.arb.ca.gov/msprog/arbecert/arbecert.htm

The workshop will be available by webinar. Prior to the workshop, the webinar link will be available on website listed above.

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We welcome your participation. If you cannot attend, but would like to provide comments, or if you have questions regarding the workshop, please contact Mr. Dilip Patel, Manager, at (626) 450-6141 or by email at dpatel@arb.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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