

AGENDA ITEM 96-5-1

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A PROPOSED REGULATION
FOR EQUIPMENT AND PROCESS PRECERTIFICATION**

Copies of the slide presentation which supported the Air Resources Board's oral staff presentation given by Steve Giorgi.

Attachments

Equipment & Process Precertification

California Environmental Protection Agency



Air Resources Board

Equipment and Process Precertification

- What is Equipment Precertification?
- Why Precertify Equipment?
- Who Participated in Developing Precertification?
- What is in the Proposed Regulation & Criteria?
- How will Equipment be Precertified?



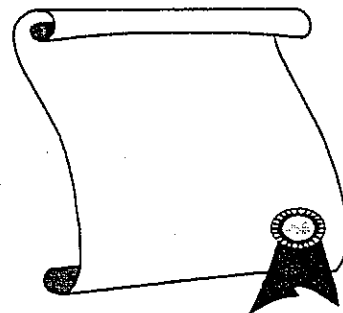
What is Equipment Precertification?

- Performance Precertification
 - ARB Evaluate & Verify Performance
- Regulatory Precertification
 - Districts Evaluate Local Compliance
 - ARB Identify State / Federal Regulations
- Cross-Media
 - Department of Toxic Substances Control
 - Office of Environmental Technology



Why Precertify Equipment?

- Streamline Permitting Process
- Promote Innovative Technology
- Encourage Uniform Permits
- Legal Requirements
 - Air Pollution Permit Streamlining Act
 - CHSC section 39620 (AB 3215)



Why Statewide Precertification?

- Standardized Evaluations
- Expedite Local Permitting Programs
- Central Information Access
 - Internet Web-Page
 - Computer Bulletin Board System



Who Participated in Developing Precertification?

- Local Air Districts
 - CAPCOA Permit Streamlining Sub-Committee
- Industry
 - Industry Groups
 - California Environmental Business Council
- Cal/EPA Boards & Departments
 - Inter-Agency Task Force
 - Office of Environmental Technology



What is in the Proposed Regulation & Criteria?

- Regulation

- Addition of Criteria Location
- Non-Substantive Change

- Criteria

- Process & Requirements
- Administrative Procedures
- Fee Structure



How will Equipment be Precertified?

- Pre-Application Procedures
- Application & Testing Requirements
- Evaluation of Test Reports
- Issuance of Documentation



Pilot Program

- Evaluate Proposed Regulation
- Issue Precertifications
- Precertified Priority Equipment Categories
- Reciprocity with District Programs



Equipment and Process Precertification

- Mandated By Law (CHSC 39620)
- Developed in Open Forum
- Streamline Permitting Process
- Promote Innovative Technology
- Encourage Uniform Permit Conditions

