

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: County Clerk, Harnell Harper
County of Los Angeles
12400 E. Imperial Hwy, Room 2001
Norwalk, California 90650

From: South Coast Air Quality Management District
21865 Copley Drive
Diamond Bar, CA 91765

Project Title:

Proposed Amended Rule (PAR) 1610 – Old Vehicle Scrapping

Project Location:

South Coast Air Quality Management District: the four-county South Coast Air Basin (Orange County and the non-desert portions of Los Angeles, Riverside, and San Bernardino counties) and the Riverside County portions of the Salton Sea Air Basin and Mojave Desert Air Basin.

Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:

PAR 1610 would implement requirements that reflect changes CARB adopted for their VAVR regulation. The adoption of CARB's VAVR requirements is mandated by State Law (Title 13 CA Code of Regulations Section 2602(a)). The amendments would reinstate the vehicle registration requirements from 120 days to 24 months, provide flexibility to the 24-month registration requirements. The proposal also includes enhancements to the rule language clarity and enforceability.

Public Agency Approving Project:

South Coast Air Quality Management District

Agency Carrying Out Project:

South Coast Air Quality Management District

Exempt Status:

*Three-Step Process: CEQA Guidelines §15002(k)(1)
General Rule Exemption: CEQA Guidelines §15061(b)(3)
Ministerial Projects: CEQA Guidelines §15268(a)*

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project is required by State law (exempt by statute) and was reviewed and determined to have no potential to generate significant adverse impacts on the environment. Therefore, the SCAQMD has determined that the proposal is exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines §15268(a,) and §15061(b)(3) - Review for Exemption, because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the proposed project in question has the potential to have a significant adverse effect on the environment. The proposal also includes enhancements to rule language to improve clarity and enforceability.

Certification Date:

SCAQMD Governing Board Hearing: July 11, 2008, 9:00 a.m.; SCAQMD Headquarters (subject to change)

CEQA Contact Person:

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Date Received for Filing:

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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: County Clerk, EIR Desk
County of Orange
12 Civic Center Plaza, Room 106
Santa Ana, California 92702

Project Applicant: South Coast Air Quality Management District
21865 Copley Drive
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To: County Clerk, Rosemarie Anderson
County of Riverside
2724 Gateway Drive
Riverside, California 92507

From: South Coast Air Quality Management District
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To: Clerk of the Board, Elizabeth Ramos
County of San Bernardino
385 N. Arrowhead Ave.
San Bernardino, California 92415-0130

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