



Enforcement Division

# Advisory

To: ANTIPERSPIRANT/DEODORANT,  
CONSUMER PRODUCTS, & AEROSOL  
COATINGS MANUFACTURERS

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## REQUEST FOR DATE CODING INFORMATION

The Air Resources Board (ARB) is requesting that manufacturers of products subject to California's Antiperspirants/Deodorants, Consumer Products, and Aerosol Coating Products regulations (Title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR) sections 94500-701 et seq.) submit explanations of their codes used to indicate the manufacturing dates of such products. This information should be submitted by October 1, 2001 to:

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Consumer Products Enforcement Division  
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This request is made pursuant to Title 17 CCR section 94504(a), section 94512(b)(c), section 94524(b)(1)(A)(4) and section 94524(B)(3) which will allow the ARB to update its date coding information files.

Any manufacturer of an Antiperspirant/Deodorant, Consumer Product, or an Aerosol Coating Product that is subject to section 94502, 94509, or 94522 of these regulations, must clearly display on the product's container or packaging either the day, month and year the product was manufactured or a code indicating such date. If a manufacturer uses a date code, they must file an explanation of that code with the ARB's Executive officer before the code is used by the manufacturer. A complete listing of the categories of products subject to these regulations, and the complete text of these three Consumer Products regulations can be found on the following ARB website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/consprod/consprod.htm>.

If you have any questions about this advisory, or would like more information about these three Consumer Products Regulations, please contact Julie Gonzales at (916) 327-5617 or by e-mail at [jgonzale@arb.ca.gov](mailto:jgonzale@arb.ca.gov). Address written inquiries to:

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