State of California AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Executive Order R-12-004

Relating to the Amendments to Vapor Recovery Certification and Test Procedures for Underground and Aboveground Storage Tanks including Gasoline Dispensing Facility Hose Regulation

WHEREAS, on September 22, 2011, the Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) conducted a public hearing to consider for approval the proposed amendments to the Vapor Recovery Certification and Test Procedures for Underground and Aboveground Storage Tanks including Gasoline Dispensing Facility Hose Regulation, as set forth in the Initial Statement of Reasons released to the public on August 3, 2011;

WHEREAS, the environmental analysis included in the Initial Statement of Reasons, prepared in accordance with ARB's certified regulatory program and the policy and substantive requirements of CEQA, concluded that the amendments will not result in any significant adverse impacts on the environment;

WHEREAS, following the public hearing, the Board adopted Resolution 11-29, in which the Board approved for adoption the proposed amendments to sections 94010, 94011. 94016, 94150, and 94168, title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR), which incorporate by reference vapor recovery definitions, certification procedures, and test procedures. The following documents are incorporated by reference in the regulations: Definitions for Vapor Recovery Procedures, D-200, last amended May 2, 2008; Certification Procedure for Vapor Recovery Systems at Gasoline Dispensing Facilities, CP-201, last amended May 25, 2006; Certification Procedure for Vapor Recovery Systems at Gasoline Dispensing Facilities Using Aboveground Storage Tanks, CP-206, adopted May 2, 2008; Volumetric Efficiency for Phase I Vapor Recovery Systems, TP-201.1, last amended October 8, 2003; Efficiency and Emission Factor for Phase II Systems, TP-201.2, last amended May 2, 2008; Determination of the Vehicle Matrix for Phase II Systems, TP-201.2A, last amended February 1, 2001; Test Procedure for In-Station Diagnostic Systems, TP-201.2I, last amended May 25, 2006; Pressure Drop Bench Testing of Vapor Recovery Components, TP-201.2J, adopted October 8, 2003; Determination of 2 Inch WC Static Pressure Performance of Vapor Recovery Systems of Dispensing Facilities, TP-201.3, last amended March 17, 1999; and Determination of Static Pressure Performance of Vapor Recovery Systems at Gasoline Dispensing Facilities with Aboveground Storage Tanks, TP-206.3, adopted May 2, 2008, as set forth in Attachment A thereto:

WHEREAS, Resolution 11-29 directed the Executive Officer to determine if additional conforming modifications to the regulation were appropriate and take final action to adopt the modified regulation after making the modified regulatory language and any additional supporting documents and information available to the public for a period of 15 days, consider such written comments as may be submitted during this period, make such further modifications as may be appropriate in light of the comments received, or return the regulatory amendments to the Board for further consideration if warranted.

WHEREAS, on February 10, 2012, the modified regulations, reflecting the amendments approved by the Board and other changes made to best reflect the intent of the Board at the hearing, were made available for public comment for a period of at least 15 days, with the changes to the originally proposed text clearly indicated, in accordance with the provisions of the California Code of Regulations, title 1, section 44;

WHEREAS, Resolution 11-29 further directed the Executive Officer to consider and approve the written responses to any comments raising environmental issues in accordance with CCR, title 17, section 60007 prior to taking final action to adopt the regulatory amendments;

WHEREAS, a number of written comments were received during the initial 45-day comment period and supplemental 15-day comment period, and those comments have been considered by the Executive Officer;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the recitals and findings contained in Resolution 11-29 are incorporated herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the written responses prepared for comments received are hereby approved, including the written responses to any environmental issues raised as required by CCR, title 16, section 60007.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that sections 94010, 94011, 94016, 94150, and 94168, title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR), which incorporate by reference vapor recovery definitions, certification procedures, and test procedures are adopted as set forth in Attachment 1 to this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the adopted regulatory text may be further revised with nonsubstantial or grammatical changes, which will be added to the rulemaking record and indicated as such.

Executed this <u>26th</u> day of <u>July 2012</u>, at Sacramento, California.

/s/
James N. Goldstene
Executive Officer

Attachment