Notice of Availability

**Notice of Public Availability of Draft Environmental Analysis Prepared for the Proposed Amendments to the Airborne Toxic Control Measure for Commercial Harbor Craft Regulation (Proposed Amendments)**

**Project/Location:** Statewide

**Project Description**: Approval of the Proposed Amendments, developed by the California Air Resources Board (CARB), would apply more stringent requirements to in-use and new vessels, expand the regulatory requirements to vessel categories that were previously exempt from in-use vessel requirements, and apply reporting, infrastructure, and other requirements to facilities such as seaports, terminals, marinas, and harbors that conduct business with commercial harbor craft (CHC). Amending the current CHC regulation would further reduce emissions from CHC by establishing expanded and more stringent requirements for CHC engines and mandates for accelerated deployment of zero-emission technology.

**Document Availability:** The public review and comment period starts September 24, 2021 and ends on November 8, 2021. Copies of the Draft Environmental Analysis (EA), the Proposed Project, public notices, and other related documents may be accessed on CARB’s website at <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/rulemaking/2021/chc2021>. Please contact Chris Hopkins, Regulations Coordinator, at Chris.Hopkins@arb.ca.gov or (916) 445-9564 if you need physical copies of the documents. Because of current travel, facility, and staffing restrictions, the California Air Resources Board’s offices have limited public access. Pursuant to Government Code section 11346.5, subdivision (b), upon request to the aforementioned Regulations Coordinator, physical copies would be obtained from the Public Information Office, California Air Resources Board, 1001 I Street, Visitors and Environmental Services Center, First Floor, Sacramento, California, 95814. Written comments must be received by 11:59 pm on November 8, 2021 either electronically at: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/lispub/comm/bclist.php> or by postal mail at: Clerk of the Board, California Air Resources Board, 1001 I Street / P.O. Box 2815, Sacramento, CA 95814.

**Public Review Period:** The public comment period is September 24, 2021 to November 8, 2021.

**Project Impacts:** The Draft EA addresses and discloses potential environmental effects associated with implementation of the Proposed Project, including direct, indirect, and cumulative impacts. As described in Chapter 4, the Draft EA discloses potential environmental impacts, the level of significance prior to mitigation, mitigation measures, and the level of significance after the incorporation of mitigation measures. The Proposed Project may have potentially significant and unavoidable adverse environmental impacts on the following resource areas: cultural resources, geology and soils, hazards and hazardous materials, hydrology and water quality, noise, transportation and traffic, and utility and service systems.

**Public Hearing:** The Proposed Project and Draft EA will be presented to the Board on November 19, 2021, which will be webcast at: <https://cal-span.org/static/index.php>.

Please consult the agenda for any updates, available 10 days in advance, to confirm the meeting time and date at: <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/board-meeting-dates>.