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NOFPENDENT REC Re: Proposed Rulemaking - Diesel Vehicle Idling; and Auxiliary Power Systems (#7-422)

The Environmental Quality Board (EQB) has received the following comments regarding the above-referenced proposed rulemaking.

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Please, vote yes and support this proposed law. The idling of diesal vehicles adds to greenhouse gases at the rate of 1 pound per hour. These emissions contribute to health problems such as asthma attacks, cardiac difficulties and eventually increased cancer risk. And idling wastes fuel which we all know is a limited resource. There are no dinosaurs roaming the earth, except, I hope the Hummer.

Please contact me if you have any questions. Sincerely, Michele L. Tate

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