



Air Pollution Control Board

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COMPLIANCE ADVISORY

FIRST NOTICE

UPCOMING PHASE-OUT OF DRY CLEANING EQUIPMENT USING PERCHLOROETHYLENE (PERC)

This is a follow-up to the enclosed Compliance Advisory dated April 25, 2008, that was distributed to you, regarding changes to the Airborne Toxic Control Measure (ATCM) for emissions of perchloroethylene (perc) associated with dry cleaning operations. This regulation phases out the use of perc from existing dry cleaning operations in California by **July 1, 2010**, or 15 years after the date of machine manufacture, whichever is later. Additionally, if the age of the machine cannot be obtained, the machine shall be removed from service by **July 1, 2010**.

District records indicate that your perc dry cleaning machine is or will be 15 years old by July 1, 2010, or the age of the machine cannot be obtained. Accordingly, your machine will need to be removed from service by **July 1, 2010**.

The amended ATCM may be downloaded from the District website at <http://www.sdapcd.org/rules/Appendix/AppenA.html>, or you may contact Janet McCue at (858) 586-2712 to obtain a copy. If you have any questions concerning the requirements of the amended ATCM or this notice, please contact Jorge López at (858) 586-2682.

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