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Media Advisory

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The Bay Area Air Quality Management District and the Air & Waste Management Association are sponsoring a national conference on climate change in San Francisco from March 7th through March 9th, 2006.

The conference will bring local, state, national and business leaders together to discuss carbon dioxide reduction strategies and state climate action plans, including the recommendations of California's Climate Action Team.

Technical sessions will include the latest global greenhouses gas protocols for estimating and reporting carbon dioxide emissions. A complete program listing can be found at <http://www.awma.org/events/confs/GLOBAL/default.asp>

Who: The Bay Area Air Quality Management District and the Air and Waste Management Association

What: "Planning for the Future: Climate Change, Greenhouse Gas Inventories and Clean Energy Linkages"

Where: Sheraton Fisherman's Wharf Hotel
2500 Mason Street
San Francisco, CA 94133
415.362.5500

When: Tuesday, March 7 through Thursday, March 9
Tuesday, March 7 from 1:30 PM to 5 PM
Wednesday, March 8 from 8 AM to 5:30 PM
Thursday, March 9 from 8 AM to 12:30 PM

Why: The greatest potential to address climate change is to link advanced technologies in the energy field to the current sources of greenhouse gases. This conference will address these linkages and build on emerging initiatives on the local, state and national level, as well as in the business community.

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District is the public agency responsible for air quality in the nine Bay Area counties. The Air District seeks to attain and maintain state and national air quality standards, increase public awareness of positive air quality choices and enforce regulations to reduce industrial emissions. For more information about the Air District, visit www.baaqmd.gov.

The Air and Waste Management Association is a nonpartisan professional organization that provides a neutral forum for technology exchange and policy development. For more information on the Association, visit www.awma.org.

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