



MOBILE COATING OPERATIONS COMPLIANCE ASSISTANCE SCHOOL

LOCATION: BAAQMD Main District Office

ADDRESS: 939 Ellis Ave., San Francisco, CA 94109

WHEN: October 21, 2009 --- 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

FOR: MOBILE COATERS AND CLIENTS

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (District) will conduct Compliance Assistance School to present and discuss new amendments to **Regulation 8, Rule 45: Automotive Coating Operations**. The Compliance Assistance School is free and will be held from **4:00 PM – 6:00 PM, on Wednesday, October 21, 2009 in San Francisco** in the 2nd Floor Training room at the District Office, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA 94109.

All Mobile Coaters (a.k.a. mobile refinishers) attending the compliance school will received a \$50 discount on the initial District Registration fee when completing the registration during the course. (See the instructions under Online Registration for more details.)

BACKGROUND

The District amended Regulation 8, Rule 45 to reduce volatile organic compound (VOC) emissions from automotive coating operations. This change also includes additional requirements for mobile coating operations (mobile coaters) and their clients. Mobile coaters will also be required to register with the Air District by October 1, 2009. Under certain circumstances, mobile coaters will also be required to notify the District of upcoming automotive coating jobs. Mobile coating clients for which coating was performed at least five times within a year (or for 25 vehicles in a year) are required to maintain records of these operations, including information on the mobile coater, the dates of the coating operations, and the number of vehicles refinished.

COMPLIANCE ASSISTANCE SCHOOL DISCUSSION

This Compliance Assistance School will review the changes to Regulation 8, Rule 45 as they apply to mobile coating operations:

- New annual Registration requirements for mobile coaters
- Review of new recordkeeping requirements
- Acceptable methods of filtration during the application of topcoats
- New VOC limits for coatings and solvents

ONLINE REGISTRATION

The District will have computers available and will provide assistance for attendees to comply with the new registration requirements (Reg 8-45-402). *The \$50 discount will only be given to mobile coaters attending and registering at the Compliance Assistance School.* There will be a grace period for registration during the month of October to allow mobile coaters attending one

of the compliance assistance schools the opportunity to take advantage of the discount without risk of penalties.

Please bring the following information to register during the Compliance Assistance School:

- California license plate number of the work vehicle used during mobile coating operations
- Name of Company (if any) and driver/coaters that could potentially use the vehicle in the course of operation
- Credit Card or electronic check routing number for payment

ADDITIONAL COMPLIANCE ASSISTANCE MATERIALS PROVIDED

The District will provide the following additional materials:

- Updated Coating and Solvent logs for recordkeeping purposes
- New logs for Clients of Mobile Coating Operators (Reg. 8-45-505)
- Compliance Assistance pamphlets
- Copies of Regulation 8, Rule 45
- Copies of the District's Mobile Coater Advisory

Refreshments will be provided during Compliance Assistance School.

Please RSVP with Magen Harris by Wednesday, October 13, 2009 if you plan on attending the Compliance Assistance School (see contact information below). Due to limited seating, additional Compliance Assistance Schools can be scheduled if requested.

To learn more about the rule, please visit the District website at <http://www.baaqmd.gov/>. For questions or comments on proposed Regulation 8, Rule 45, please contact Magen Harris, Air Quality Specialist, at (415) 749-4785, or mharis@baaqmd.gov.

TRANSLATION SERVICES

If you require translation services, please contact Ruth Argueta, *in advance*, at rargueta@baaqmd.gov or (415) 749-4778, so we can arrange to accommodate your request.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Attendees are encouraged to ride public transit, rideshare, bicycle, walk or use other non-motorized modes to and from the public meetings. Please see the following web sites for help in locating available public transportation:

www.transit.511.org, www.bayareatransit.net, www.abag.ca.gov/abag/local_gov/transit.html

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