Cap-and-Trade Program

This website provides information about California’s Cap-and-Trade Program that took effect in early 2012. The enforceable compliance obligation began on January 1, 2013, for greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions.

Program Implementation Activities:
- CITSS User Registration and Account Setup
- Auction Proceeds Investment Plan
- Market Monitoring
- Compliance Offset Protocol Review Process
- Allowance and Reserve Sales Information
- Allowance Allocation
- Compliance Offset Program
- WCI Linkage
- Adaptive Management Plan
- Voluntary Renewable Electricity Program

Regulation, Guidance, Market Information, Forms, FAQs & Meetings:

Current Regulation and Proposed Regulatory Amendments:

Guidance Documents:

Publicly Available Market Information:

Download Forms:

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs), Fact Sheets and Policy Statements:

Upcoming Events

- Reserve Sale Notice Posted (for June 2014 Reserve Sale)
- Reporting deadline for submitting Electric Power Entity reports (for 2013 data)
- ARB Updates the Voluntary Renewable Electricity Website

What's New?

- Auction 7 May 2014 Summary Results Report is Posted
- Electrical Distribution Utility
Public Workshops, Training Webinars and Advisory Groups:

Information about…

- Background Information
- What is Cap-and-Trade?

For regulation or program questions contact the Cap-and-Trade Hotline at (916) 322-2037

News or Press inquiries should be directed to ARB’s Public Information Office at (916) 322-2990

Climate Change Programs

Use of Allowance Value Form is Posted
- May 2014 Auction Notice is Posted
- March 17, 2014 Workshop - Proposed Rice Cultivation Offset Protocol
- 2014 Annual Auction Reserve Price Notice is Posted
- 2014 Vintage Industrial Allocation
- 2014 Auction and Reserve Sale Activities Summary of Expected Dates

More...

Resources

- Informal Public Comments
- Board Resolutions
- Join Email List
- Contact Us
- Live Webcasts
- Registration Process Flow Chart

http://www.arb.ca.gov/cc/capandtrade/capandtrade.htm