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OFFICE OF
AIR QUALITY PLANNING
AND STANDARDS

Subject: Certification of Stationary Compression Ignition Engines

Dear Manufacturer:

This letter is to remind you that the Standards of Performance for Stationary Compression Ignition (CI) Internal Combustion Engines (ICE), which are found at 40 CFR part 60 subpart IIII, require manufacturers of 2007 and later model year stationary CI ICE with a displacement of less than 30 liters per cylinder to certify the engines to the applicable emission standards in subpart IIII. You may not sell, offer for sale, or introduce or deliver into commerce in the United States or import into the United States any 2007 model year or later stationary CI ICE with a displacement of less than 30 liters per cylinder, unless it is covered by a valid certificate of conformity for its model year, maximum engine power and application (non-emergency or emergency service). If the engine is a non-emergency engine, it must be certified to the emission standards for non-emergency engines. Any manufacturer that sells an engine subject to subpart IIII that is not certified to the applicable emission standards for the engine's model year, maximum engine power, and application is violating subpart IIII. We may assess a civil penalty up to \$37,500 for each engine or piece of equipment in violation.

The provisions of subpart IIII for modified and reconstructed engines specified in 40 CFR 60.4211(e) do not allow the sale or purchase of freshly manufactured engines that are not certified to the applicable emission standards for the engine's model year, maximum engine power, and application. The two methods of demonstrating compliance under this portion of the rule (40 CFR 60.4211(e) (1) and (2)) apply to engines (regardless of model year) that have been modified or reconstructed; they are not an alternative to the certification requirements for freshly manufactured engines set out in subpart IIII.

Any questions you have regarding the requirements of subpart IIII should be directed to Melanie King at (919) 541-2469 or king.melanie@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Peter Tsirigotis".

Peter Tsirigotis

Director

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