

KERN COUNTY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT  
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## Vapor Recovery Advisory

### Enhanced Vapor Recovery April 1, 2009 Phase II Deadline for Kern County Air Pollution Control District Gasoline Dispensing Facilities

This advisory pertains to gasoline dispensing facilities (GDFs) in the Kern County Air Pollution Control District (KCAPCD) with underground storage tanks subject to Phase II vapor recovery requirements. These GDFs will need to upgrade to Enhanced Vapor Recovery (EVR) Phase II vapor recovery by **April 1, 2009** or you will be in violation of the state vapor recovery rules. Applications to upgrade to Phase II EVR should be submitted by January 1, 2008 to ensure adequate time to process your application.

#### TIME IS RUNNING OUT TO PLAN FOR EVR PHASE II UPGRADES

Approximately 13,000 GDFs statewide will need to obtain permits, purchase EVR Phase II equipment and arrange for installation by a certified contractor. Two vendors have EVR Phase II systems are currently certified. There is a potential shortage of certified contractors if GDF operators wait too long to install EVR systems.

Franklin Fueling (Franklin Fueling/Healy) Franklin Fueling Systems, Inc. (FFS) has a Healy Phase II Enhanced Vapor Recovery (EVR) System that includes In-Station Diagnostics (ISD) (Healy Phase II EVR System with Veeder-Root ISD) and a Healy Phase II EVR System that does not include ISD (Healy Phase II EVR System).

Vapor Systems Technologies, Inc. (VST) has a Phase II Enhanced Vapor Recovery System that does not include ISD (VST Phase II EVR System).

#### CONTRACTOR TRAINING/CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Contractors who install EVR systems must receive required manufacturer training and/or certification. Contractors should verify they meet the training/certification requirements with KCAPCD staff before beginning installation of EVR systems.

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION AND EVR PHASE II EXECUTIVE ORDERS

Air pollution control districts have primary authority for regulating GDFs under vapor recovery rules. **GDF operators should contact the KCAPCD for specific information on local vapor recovery requirements before modifying the facility at 661-862-5250.** Detailed information on the Vapor Recovery program and Executive Orders can be found at the Air Resources Board vapor recovery web site at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/vapor/vapor.htm>, by contacting the ARB Engineering and Certification Branch at (916) 327-0900.

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