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Date: October 11, 2011
TO: Interested Parties
FROM: Kathy Frevert, Senior Integrated Waste Management Specialist
SUBJECT: **Notice of Changes to Proposed Product Stewardship for Carpet Regulation**

A 15-day public comment period for the proposed regulation ran from September 19, 2011 through October 4, 2011. The California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) staff held a public meeting on September 22, 2011 and a conference call on October 7, 2011 on the proposed regulation. After considering comments received during the 15-day comment period, public meeting, and conference call; CalRecycle staff modified the revised proposed regulation. These proposed revisions to the Product Stewardship for Carpet regulation will add clarity to the existing language where needed. On October 11, 2011 CalRecycle initiates a second additional 15-day comment period for the proposed changes.

A copy of the full text of the regulation as originally proposed with the newly proposed changes clearly indicated is available on Carpet Stewardship rulemaking website at: <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Laws/Rulemaking/Carpet/default.htm> (see documents under the "Notice of Second 15-day Comment Period"). Text shown in double underline (addition) and ~~double strikeout~~ (deletion) depict proposed changes made after the 15-day comment period. Text shown in single underline (addition) and ~~single strikeout~~ (deletion) depict changes made after the 45-day comment period. CalRecycle staff is only required to respond to comments related to the newly proposed changes to the regulation.

The second 15-day written public comment period for this rulemaking ends at noon October 26, 2011.

Please submit your written comments to:

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Thank you for your interest and participation in this process.

