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## **New Jersey DEP Draft Global Warming Response Act Recommendations Report Stakeholder Meetings Schedule**

On Monday, December 15, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (“DEP”) released its long-awaited draft Global Warming Response Act Recommendation Report and announced a series of public meetings in January 2009 designed to solicit input from six key stakeholder groups. Each stakeholder meeting is supposed to cover a particular section or aspect of the draft report. The following is the schedule of stakeholder meetings announced on December 16, 2008:

- Green Buildings - Tuesday, January 6, 2009 from 1 PM to 4 PM in the Department of Environmental Protection's Public Hearing Room located on the first floor of 401 East State Street, Trenton.
- Industry, EGUs, Waste and Water - Wednesday, January 7, 2009 from 9 AM to 12 PM in the Department of Personnel's multi-purpose room located on the first floor of 44 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton.
- Terrestrial Sequestration and Agriculture - Friday, January 9, 2009 from 9 AM to 12 PM in Department of Environmental Protection's Public Hearing Room.
- Transportation (vehicles, fuels and infrastructure) - Monday, January 12, 2009 from 9 AM to 12 PM in the Department of Environmental Protection's Public Hearing Room.
- Land Use/Transportation Planning - Wednesday, January 14, 2009 from 1 PM to 4 PM in the Department of Transportation's multi-purpose room located on the first floor of 1035 Parkway Avenue in Trenton.
- Non-CO2 Highly Warming Gases - Friday, January 16, 2009 from 9 AM to 12 PM in the Department of Environmental Protection's Public Hearing Room.

Entities that are potentially affected by the recommended actions set forth in the draft report should seriously consider following and possibly participating in the stakeholder process beginning next month.

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