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INVITATION TO INFORMATION SESSION ON: NJ PROTECTING AGAINST CLIMATE THREATS (NJPACT), CLIMATE POLLUTANT REDUCTION (CPR) RULES MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2020 at 2:00 P.M.

Dear Interested Party:

As part of the climate change regulatory reform underway at the Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP), known as NJ Protecting Against Climate Threats, or NJ PACT – the NJDEP is considering the proposal of Climate Pollutant Reduction (CPR) rules.

To support the development of CPR rule proposals, the Air Quality, Energy and Sustainability (AQES) program hosted a series of stakeholder meetings throughout 2020. An initial meeting in February outlined the NJDEP's preliminary approach, while more issue-specific meetings in September presented additional, expanded, and refined regulatory concepts based on feedback from our stakeholders. These meetings focused on regulatory mechanisms to reduce CO₂ and short-lived climate pollutant emissions from stationary sources, truck fleets, and cargo handling equipment. The NJDEP has now reviewed and considered all the feedback received throughout its advanced stakeholder process, and has identified the path that CPR rule proposals may take.

The DEP invites you to join us for a virtual informational session on Monday, December 21, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. to hear the regulatory concepts for potential proposal in 2021. Below is a link to the virtual broadcast.

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If you have questions about the broadcast, contact Monica Miranda at monica.miranda@dep.nj.gov.

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