



## Informational Bulletin

## ENHANCED VAPOR RECOVERY

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### 2022 Early Transition to Winter Blend Gasoline and In Station Diagnostic System Overpressure Alarm Response Policy

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This informational bulletin is intended for owners/operators of gasoline stations that have installed an in-station diagnostics (ISD) system. In response to direction from the Governor (GO), the California Air Resources Board (CARB) temporarily is allowing the sale of winter blend gasoline beginning on September 30, 2022 (please see [Regulatory Advisory](#)). This action was necessary to address extreme and unusual gasoline supply issues that California is currently facing.

From a vapor recovery perspective, the introduction of higher RVP gasoline may result in more ISD overpressure alarms. CARB is temporarily extending [Advisory 405-D](#) to allow station owners to clear the alarms without equipment testing or service for ISD overpressure alarms occurring between September 30, 2022 and March 31, 2023. This approach would align the existing Advisory 405-D with the new GO direction.

This informational bulletin will expire on March 31, 2023.

If you have questions regarding this informational bulletin, please contact your [local Air District](#) or CARB vapor recovery program staff at (916) 327-0900 or via email at [vapor@arb.ca.gov](mailto:vapor@arb.ca.gov). Additional vapor recovery information is available at CARB's webpage at: <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/our-work/programs/vapor-recovery>.