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Raquel Leon
Mobile Source Control Division
Air Resources Board
1001 "I" Street
Sacramento, CA 95812

Re: Grant No. G06-PA38 for \$823,766 for Grantee: El Dorado County DOT

Dear Ms. Leon:

Under the ARB \$25 million grant funding agreement (No. G06-PA38), El Dorado County DOT has purchased a 2008 John Deere backhoe model 310SJ, with a Tier III engine on which we will be installing a retrofit. The new backhoe has been assigned Equipment ID: 56-07 and will be replacing Equipment ID: 56-05 (ARB Equipment ID: 21.8).

Instead of scrapping Equipment ID 56-05, we would like to transfer ownership of this piece of equipment to the El Dorado County Fairgrounds. It is a 1990 John Deere backhoe model 410C, VIN# TO410CB762376, powered by a John Deere diesel engine model 4045D, 75 HP, serial # T04045T302187.

Under the "Equipment Requirements" section, it notes that "...Grantee may transfer the engine and/or equipment to another agency which must in turn scrap an equivalent piece of engine and/or equipment approved by ARB. Documentation of the destruction of the engine and/or equipment that was replaced (i.e. photos, receipts, etc.) must be provided to the ARB or its designee within 10 days of the engine's and/or equipment's destruction."

The El Dorado County Fairgrounds will be scrapping their backhoe which is a 1973 Case model 580B, serial # 5268085, powered by a Case diesel engine, model 188D, 60 HP. El Dorado County DOT will provide the ARB with required documentation of the scrapped equipment's and engine's destruction.

We are requesting an Addendum to our Grant Agreement No. G06-PA38, and permission to proceed with this transaction.

Thank you for your consideration of our request. If you have any questions, please call me at (530) 642-4900.

Sincerely,

Dennis Milligin
Equipment Superintendent