NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 24 January 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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**Title:** SB 54 Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act Regulations

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| [X] | Other: SB 54 Questions and Answers Session Announcement:<https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/PublicNotices/Details/5327> |

**Description:** CalRecycle will host a questions and answers session on February 1, 2024 (see [public notice](https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/PublicNotices/Details/5327)) on the draft regulatory text for the implementation of [SB 54 (Allen, Chapter 75, Statutes of 2022)](https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/codes_displayexpandedbranch.xhtml?lawCode=PRC&division=30.&title=&part=3.&chapter=3.). During this session, CalRecycle will present an overview of SB 54, an overview of the rulemaking process, an overview of the complete draft regulatory text, and will endeavor to answer clarifying questions about the draft regulatory text.

The **Questions and Answers Session** will cover the following topics:

**Part I: Overview of SB 54 (Allen, Ch. 75, Stat. 2022)**

An overview of SB 54, including program goals and objectives, producer requirements, statutory timelines and responsibilities of the Department.

**Part II: Overview of the Rulemaking Process in California**

An overview of the rule making process in California and where CalRecycle is at with this process for SB 54.

**Part III: Overview of the Draft Regulations**

An article-by-article walkthrough on Draft Regulatory Text, including Chapter 11.1 Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility (with 15 articles) and Chapter 11.5 Environmental Marketing and Labeling (with one article).

The purpose of this session is to provide an opportunity for the public to ask clarifying questions about the draft regulations, not to provide official public comments on the regulations. CalRecycle aims to provide the public with ample time to review and prepare comments for the forthcoming 45-day comment period, which will open in the coming months when CalRecycle initiates the formal rulemaking process.

The session will have a one-hour break for lunch. The full agenda is attached to this email.

**Dates and Times:**

Date: February 1, 2024

Time: [10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.](http://time-time.net/times/time-zones/usa-canada/current-pacific-time-pst.php) [Pacific Time](https://24timezones.com/time-zone/pt)

Attend in person, via Zoom, or via Webcast

**To join In-Person:**

Byron Sher Auditorium at CalEPA Headquarters:

1001 I St, 2nd floor

Sacramento, CA 95814

No registration is necessary to participate in-person.

**To join through Zoom:**

[Link to Zoom Meeting Registration](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0vdu2vrToqGdW-s7ojvpA_kEzBg6GCvwMP#/registration)

**To join through Webcast:**

[Link to Public Meeting Live Webcasts](https://video.calepa.ca.gov/#/)

Webcast participants will not be able to ask questions. If you are participating remotely and would like to ask questions or provide feedback, please join through Zoom. No registration is necessary to view the webcast.

For more information, visit [Proposed Regulations (Rulemaking)](https://calrecycle.ca.gov/Laws/Rulemaking/) or email regulations@calrecycle.ca.gov.

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