VENTURA COUNTY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

RULE 48 - AGRICULTURAL ENGINE REGISTRATION FEES
(Adopted 9/11/07)

A. Applicability

This rule applies to any emissions unit subject to the provisions of APCD Rule 250, Registration of Agricultural Engines.

B. Payment

An owner or operator required to register an applicable agricultural engine shall pay the fee specified in Section C of this rule upon application and annually thereafter. Until March 1, 2008, the initial registration fee shall cover the time period from application to March 1, 2009. The registration renewal fee shall cover the period from March 1st to the last day of February in the following year. All fee payments are non-refundable.

C. Fee Schedule

For either an initial registration or a registration renewal, an agricultural diesel engine, as defined in Rule 250, Section F, shall pay a fee of $200.00.

If, as determined by the Air Pollution Control Officer, an engine requires more than one inspection per year to determine compliance with any applicable federal, state or District order, rule or regulation, an additional fee shall be paid to recover the cost of such inspection. This fee shall be assessed at the hourly service rate for an Air Quality Engineer as approved by the Ventura County Air Pollution Control Board.

D. Annual Adjustment in Fees

The fee prescribed in this rule may be adjusted annually by the Air Pollution Control Officer based on the change in the California Consumer Price Index (CPI) for the preceding year, as determined pursuant to Section 2212 of the Revenue and Taxation Code. All other revisions of this Rule require approval of the Air Pollution Control Board.