



**RULE 70
STORAGE & TRANSFER OF GASOLINE
TESTING REQUIREMENTS**

Ventura County APCD Rule 70, Storage & Transfer of Gasoline, requires that operators of gasoline dispensing facilities (GDF) conduct testing to demonstrate the efficiency of their Phase II Vapor Recovery System.

It has come to the APCD's attention that some testing contractors are failing to meet current requirements when conducting vapor recovery testing as outlined in California Air Resources Board's (CARB) Test Procedures. Problems recently observed by APCD Inspectors include:

- Testing contractors not obtaining or following the current version of the test procedures
- Testing contractors not having thorough knowledge of the applicable test procedures
- Testing contractors failing to use equipment with current calibrations
- Testing contractors unable to prove current calibrations (proper stickers and/or paper work)
- Testing contractors unable to keep testing appointments with APCD Inspectors

To assist testing contractors in obtaining the most current test procedure and Executive Order information, CARB makes this information available from their website at:
<http://www.arb.ca.gov/vapor/vapor.htm>.

If you require additional information or copies of the APCD's applicable Rule 70, "Storage and Transfer of Gasoline", please visit the District's website at www.vcapcd.org.

Failure to adhere to the proper test procedures, including the use of the **correct and calibrated** equipment, will subject the facility owner/operator to call-back fees and will cause the test to be rejected by the APCD.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact APCD Inspector Eric Wetherbee at (805) 645-1496.