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**Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
New Technology Research & Development (NTRD) Program
Monthly Project Status Report**

Contract Number: 582-5-65591-0011

Grantee: Cummins West, Inc. dba Cleaire Advanced Emission Controls, LLC

Date Submitted: September 6, 2006

Report for the **Monthly** period:

Starting Date August 1, 2006

Ending Date August 31, 2006

Section I. Accomplishments *(Please provide a bulleted list of project accomplishments as well as a description of their importance to the project.)*

- Monitored Lonestar systems installed on vehicles to accumulate mileage for verification durability testing.
- Requested meeting or conference call with EPA to discuss their questions and concerns regarding possible secondary emissions from the Lonestar.

Indicate which part of the Grant Activities as defined in the grant agreement, the above accomplishments are related to:

Article 2, Task 2: Verification through EPA and/or CARB

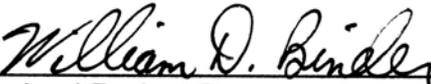
Section II: Problems/Solutions

<p>Problem(s) Identified</p> <p><i>(Please report anticipated or unanticipated problem(s) encountered and its effect on the progress of the project)</i></p>	<p>There has been no movement from EPA since the last Monthly Status Report was submitted to TCEQ. Cleaire requested a conference call or meeting, but EPA said they are not ready to do that yet.</p>
<p>Proposed Solution(s)</p> <p><i>(Please report any possible solution(s) to the problem(s) that were considered/encountered)</i></p>	<p>Cleaire will continue to request action by the EPA.</p>
<p>Action(s) Conducted and Results</p> <p><i>(Please describe the action(s) taken to resolve the problem(s) and its effect)</i></p>	<p>In response to Cleaire's request in early August, EPA said they would try to get back to Cleaire by the end of August. That did not happen. Cleaire will follow up with EPA in September.</p>

Section III. **Goals and Issues for Succeeding Period:** *(Please provide a brief description of the goal(s) you hope to realize in the coming period and identify any notable challenges that can be foreseen)*

Goals for September 2006:

- Monitor Lonestar systems installed on host vehicles for durability testing.
- Work with EPA and TCEQ to keep the verification application on track.



Authorized Project Representative's Signature

Date: September 6, 2006

NOTE: *Please attach any additional information that you feel should be a part of your report or that may be required to meet the deliverable requirements for tasks completed during this reporting period.*