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

Contract Number: 582-5-70807-M027

Grantee: Spearhead Technologies – Dean Steiger

Date Submitted: January 10, 2006

Report for the **Monthly** period:

Starting Date December 1, 2005

Ending Date December 30, 2005

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

- Dec 20 – We received feedback from Jae Do of CARB about our application for exemption status. She requested that we send more information in – specifically answer a list of questions she had about our product. This information will have to be reviewed again and processed before the next step can be taken by CARB.

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

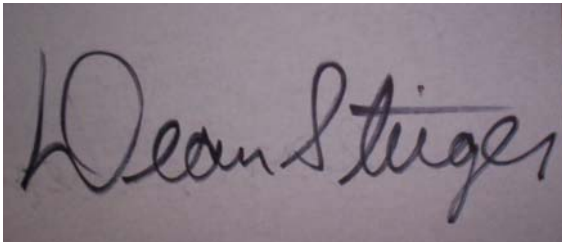
We have determined that a Chassis Dynamometer test will be needed in order to fairly evaluate the EngineMaxx patents. We are currently waiting on confirmation of Exemption status.

Section II: Problems/Solutions

<p><b>Problem(s) Identified</b></p> <p><i>(Please report anticipated or unanticipated problem(s) encountered and its effect on the progress of the project)</i></p>	<p>We have determined that a Chassis Dynamometer test will be needed in order to fairly evaluate the EngineMaxx patents.</p>
<p><b>Proposed Solution(s)</b></p> <p><i>(Please report any possible solution(s) to the problem(s) that were considered/encountered)</i></p>	<p>We will work towards test approval from ARB. Once we receive Exemption from the ARB, we will begin the verification process.</p>
<p><b>Action(s) Conducted and Results</b></p> <p><i>(Please describe the action(s) taken to resolve the problem(s) and its effect)</i></p>	<p><i>We are currently in contact with ARB and working on the application process currently.</i></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)*

- To receive approval to conduct a Chassis Dynamometer test from the ARB

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Date: 1/10/06

*Authorized Project Representative's Signature*

**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.*