

## **6.i. Support Letters – Members/State Electeds**



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**Treasurer**  
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September 21, 2005

Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger  
Governor  
State of California  
State Capitol  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

I am writing to urge you to sign Assembly Bill 1007, the Alternative Fuels Act of 2005.

AB 1007 requires the State of California to develop a plan for diversifying its transportation fuel supply through increased use of alternative fuels in order to reduce oil dependency and air pollution.

Secure, reliable, and affordable sources of clean transportation fuels are critical to ensure a strong economy and a healthy environment. The State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission and the State Air Resources Board recommended in their August 2003 report to the Legislature, "Reducing California's Petroleum Dependence," that the State adopt a goal of 20 percent non-petroleum fuel use in the year 2020 and 30 percent in the year 2030. This bill puts California on a path to meet these goals.

Investing in emerging clean and sustainable technologies that both benefit the environment and the economy is critical to the future of California. Again, I strongly urge you to sign this important legislation. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Phil Angelides  
State Treasurer

cc: Assemblymember Fran Pavley

**6.ii. Support Letters – Organizations/Local Gov't**

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September 22, 2005

Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger  
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**AB 1007 (Pavley) - Request For Signature**

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

The American Lung Association of California and the California Thoracic Society urge you to sign AB 1007 (Pavley). This bill would help promote fuel diversity and cleaner air by requiring the state to develop and adopt a plan to increase the use of alternative fuels in California. AB 1007 provides an important step forward toward the goal of increasing utilization of non-petroleum fuels, a goal you have cited as a key part of California's energy policy.

AB 1007 (Pavley) is an important clean air bill that will help to reduce the substantial impacts of air pollution. Motor vehicles running on petroleum-based gasoline and diesel are the main sources of California's smog and global warming pollution as well as the cancer risk from toxic air contaminants. Despite these risks to human health and environmental quality, California drivers rely almost entirely on petroleum to fuel their cars and trucks. Cleaner alternative fuels and technologies with little or no emission of criteria air pollutants, air toxics and global warming gases are available and could become a much greater part of California's transportation future.

Currently, air pollution in California is responsible for over 6,500 premature deaths, 300,000 asthma attacks, thousands of hospitalizations for respiratory and cardiac illnesses and 3.3 million school absences every year. Also, the medical costs of air pollution are substantial, especially for those suffering from a chronic illness like asthma or emphysema. Given the serious public health impacts of vehicle pollution, reducing petroleum dependence should be a vital part of the state's clean air efforts.

AB 1007 (Pavley) will assist in the effort to diversify California's fuel mix. In your recent comments on the Integrated Energy Policy Report, you highlighted your support for fuel diversity, and stated that "we must take advantage of every alternative fuel, technology and opportunity to reduce gasoline and diesel use." Your comments also supported the goal of increasing the use of non petroleum fuels to 20% of on-road fuel consumption by 2020 and 30% by 2030. By requiring the state to develop an alternative fuels plan, AB 1007 would take an important step forward toward these goals.

The American Lung Association of California strongly urges your support of AB 1007 (Pavley).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bonnie Holmes-Gen".

Bonnie Holmes-Gen  
Assistant V.P., Government Relations  
American Lung Association of California

Improving Life,  
One Breath at a Time

Cc: The Honorable Fran Pavley, Room 3120



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September 13, 2005

The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger  
State Capitol, First Floor  
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RE: AB 1007 (Pavley)  
Position: Support

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

The California State Automobile Association and The Automobile Club of Southern California (AAA Clubs) urge your signature on AB 1007, by Assembly Member Pavley, which requires the Energy Commission and other relevant state agencies to adopt a state plan to increase the use of alternative transportation fuels.


The AAA Clubs support the research, development and use of alternative fuel technology as a means of improving air quality and of conserving transportation energy. As petroleum prices continue to increase, the economic benefits of pursuing a stronger emphasis in the development of alternative fuels becomes more identifiable, in addition to the environmental benefits.

AB 1007 will facilitate development of these technologies as it sets a time table with goals for 2012, 2017, and 2022. It also involves other state agencies in development of the plan, agencies that we hope will include those that would be most affected by any problems resulting from the displacement of petroleum based fuels. By including these agencies, we hope that potential problems with supply can be anticipated and averted. Finally, the bill as amended September 2, also includes a provision that requires consideration of issues related to consumer acceptance and costs which protects consumers from unreasonable policies and mandates.

For the foregoing reasons, the AAA Clubs request your signature on this measure.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Paula LaBrie  
Legislative Counsel  
California State Automobile Association

  
Tim Chang  
Legislative Counsel  
Automobile Club of Southern California

Cc: The Honorable Fran Pavley

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September 22, 2005

The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger  
State Capitol  
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**RE: AB 1007 (Pavley): REQUEST FOR SIGNATURE**

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

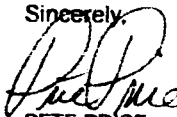
The California League of Conservation Voters (CLCV) is the bipartisan political watchdog for the California environmental community. CLCV publishes the annual California Environmental Scorecard, which tracks the voting record of legislators on key environmental legislation.

CLCV urges you to sign AB 1007 into law. From Iraq to the Gulf Coast to California, still home to the dirtiest air in the nation, the many reasons for California to get serious about reducing its dependence on petroleum are impossible to ignore. Yet the state remains complacent. For two years the CEC and ARB's modest recommendations on ways to reduce the state's petroleum dependency have languished. Numerous short- and medium-term opportunities for California to expand its use of alternative fuels continue to go untapped.

AB 1007 would at least have the state prepare a plan for ways to increase the use of alternative fuels. The plan itself will be modest and constrained. At the trucking industry's insistence, the plan will - contrary to any policy logic - ignore possible reductions in air toxics. Because the oil industry demanded it, the authority for the ARB to consider the benefits of increased fuel diversity and reduced petroleum dependency when adopting air quality regulations is no longer in the bill.

AB 1007 is a step forward, and for that reason we urge you to sign the bill into law. We hope that once the AB 1007 plan is prepared, it will actually be implemented.

Sincerely,



PETE PRICE

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cc: Assemblywoman Pavley



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September 19, 2005

The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger  
Governor of California  
State Capitol  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**RE: AB 1007 Alternative Fuels - Request Signature**

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger,

The members of Environmental Entrepreneurs (E2) urge you to sign AB 1007 - California's Alternative Fuels Bill. E2 is a co-sponsor of this bill for three reasons:

1. We do not believe that petroleum-based transportation fuels alone can reliably meet California's growing transportation needs.
2. We believe there is an opportunity to increase the production of alternative fuels in California to provide greater economic benefit and create more jobs than purchasing fuels from outside the state and the country. In addition, alternative fuels will save consumers money at the pump because many are already less expensive to produce than petroleum fuels.
3. We share your goal of reducing global warming pollution, 60 percent of which comes from transportation. Alternative fuels produce less global warming pollution than gasoline and diesel. Without a shift to alternative fuels, your targets cannot be met.

E2 has worked closely with your Secretaries and staff to develop AB 1007 into a bill that has no stated opposition, bipartisan support from both houses of the legislature and is consistent with your energy policies.

We urge you to sign AB 1007 to accelerate transforming California to a diversified, lower cost and less polluting system of transportation fuels.

Sincerely,

Bob Epstein, Co-founder  
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September 16, 2005

The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger  
Governor, State of California  
State Capitol  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**RE: AB 1007 (Pavley) – Request Signature**

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

On behalf of Planning and Conservation League, I write to request your signature on AB 1007 by Assembly Member Pavley. This bill will help diversify the State's fuel supply, and reduce environmental harm and public health risks associated with California's over-reliance on petroleum. It is consistent with the goals outlined in your Response to the 2003 Integrated Energy Policy Report and the 2004 IEPR Update, dated August 23, 2005.

Motor vehicles running on petroleum-based gasoline and diesel are the main sources of California's global warming pollution, air toxins, and pollutants that seep into our water supplies. Despite these risks to human health and environmental quality, California drivers rely almost entirely on petroleum to fuel their cars and trucks. Clean alternative fuels that reduce global warming pollution, come from more secure supplies and are competitively priced with today's gas and diesel are the ideal solution for our health, environment, and economy.

Specifically, AB 1007 requires CARB to rate alternative fuels according to their ability to (1) reduce harmful air and water pollutants, and (2) reduce oil consumption. The bill further requires CARB to develop a plan to promote alternative fuels, and to set goals for their use that minimize costs to the state and maximize the economic benefits of in-state alternative fuel production.

AB 1007 encourages the development of alternative fuels while protecting California's air and water quality, and reducing emissions of global warming pollution. We respectfully urge you to sign this important bill into law. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Virgil Welch  
Legislative Director



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The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger  
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**Re: AB 1007 (Pavley), Alternative Fuels -- Support**

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

Sierra Club California supports AB 1007. The first goal in "Arnold Schwarzenegger's Action Plan for California's Environment" (September 5, 2003) is: "Cut Air Pollution Statewide by Up to 50% and Significantly Reduce California's Dependence on Foreign Oil Before the End of this Decade... Immediate measures can be taken to reduce air pollution and California's dependence on foreign oil." AB 1007 provides a mechanism for realizing that promise by requiring a state plan to increase the use of alternative fuels.

Our oil addiction is taking a heavy toll on our state in the form of both skyrocketing fuel prices and pollution of our air and water. Long-term energy security and economic prosperity for California residents require a comprehensive plan that, over time, will reduce California's dependence on foreign oil.

Sincerely,

*Bill Magavern*

Bill Magavern  
Senior Legislative Representative

Cc: Assemblymember Fran Pavley

## **6.iii. Support Letters – Individuals**

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