# Clean Air Act Advisory Committee Subcommittee on Economic Incentives and Regulatory Innovation Camino Real, El Paso, Texas November 16, 2004

### I. Financial Mechanisms for Air Pollution Control in the Border Region

We will start with brief presentations on the following topics (order might change):

The role of the North American Development Bank in funding border air quality initiatives: Arturo Nunez, Director of Project Development, New Sectors North American Development Bank

OTAQ-R6 SMARTWAY demonstration project- EPA Region 6

Clean Air Investment Funds:

Overview of the application of the CAIF concept to the border: Heather Himmelberger,

Director, Environmental Finance Center, University of New Mexico

Specific possible inputs to a border CAIF:

Supplemental Environmental Projects - EPA Region 6

State Funding Programs (e.g. TERP/Carl Moyer) (don't need anything major here as the group has heard it before, but should be mentioned)

ERC's

FIDEICOMISO- Enrique Rebolledo, SEMARNAT

**Emissions Trading:** 

Texas' trading rules- Cory Chism, TCEQ

Brick Kiln Project- Carlos Rincon, Environmental Defense

Mexicali/Imperial Valley scoping project - (IVAPCD)

San Diego/ Tijuana- Rick van Schoik, Managing Director, Southwest Consortium for

Environmental Research and Policy

Mexican legal perspective- Denisse Varela, Baker and McKenzie Abogados, SC

## II. Air Quality Management in the United States—coordination with AQM Subcommittee- Gregg Cooke, Guida, Slavich and Flores

## III.Draft CAAAC Recommendations for Reducing Emissions from the Legacy Diesel Fleet—Tim Johnson, Corning Inc. and Gay MacGregor, OTAQ, Co-Chairs, Clean Diesel and Retrofit Work Group of the Mobile Source Technical Review Subcommittee

#### IV. Achieving Air Quality Improvement in Tight Budgetary Times- Ben Henneke