HEAVY-DUTY ENGINE OIL CLASSIFICATION PANEL

OF

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ACTION ITEMS

1. Range of after-treatment devices planned for use. EMA

2. Issue "Exit Ballot" on a PC-10 Noack limit of 13% for volatility. McGeehan

3. Bring data on using CI-4 tests in place of older tests. All

MINUTES

- 1.0 Call to Order
 - 1.1 Chairman Jim McGeehan called the meeting to order at 7:59 a.m. on February 19, 2003, in the Love Room of the Holiday Inn O'Hare International Hotel of Rosemont, Illinois. There were nine members present or represented and ten guests present. The attendance list is shown as Attachment 2.
- 2.0 Agenda
 - 2.1 The published agenda (Attachment 1) was reviewed, with no changes requested.
- 3.0 Previous Meeting Minutes
 - 3.1 Minutes of the December 10, 2002, meeting were approved with the following comments: Tom Franklin observed an "Action Item" should have been listed for Chairman McGeehan to request of sub-committee D02.B that "Loss of Side Clearance" be withdrawn as a pass/fail parameter from the CF category in D-4485. Chairman McGeehan did take that action at the December "B" meeting. Tom Cousineau observed Chairman McGeehan's slide on HDEOCP members had Mesfin Belay's name reversed.
- 4.0 Membership
 - 4.1 Abdul Cassim has replaced Dwayne Tharp of Caterpillar and Charlie Passut has replaced Tom Cousineau of Ethyl. See Attachment 3.
- 5.0 PC-10 Status

- 5.1 Bill Runkle reviewed the current status of PC-10 within the NCET. See Attachment 4. The Cat C-12 engine availability was moved to June, 2003, and the new elastomer of concern for compatibility was identified as "Vamac".
- There was lots of discussion concerning after-treatment compatibility testing, led by Chairman McGeehan. He asked EMA to report at the next meeting on the range of after-treatment devices they plan to use (traps, absorbers, converters, etc.). He would like the panel to decide at that meeting if an oil / after-treatment test would be feasible or should test development be abandoned and effort spent on developing chemical limits.
- 5.3 The panel agreed that an "exit ballot" on the proposed PC-10 limit of 13% volatility by Noack be sent to the HDEOCP.
- 5.4 Bill Runkle reported the NCET 'evaluation" of PC-10 is complete and an NCDT "development" team should proceed.

6.0 HDEOCP Voting Requirements

- 6.1 This item was raised by the EMA at the last meeting, on how large a majority would be sufficient to pass recommendations on to sub-committee "B". Lew Williams wants more than a simple majority and favors 2/3 to 3/4. Jim McGeehan wants 100%. Other ideas explored allowing one or two dissenting votes. It was also brought up, that whatever the outcome was on a passing vote, that information should be passed on to "B".
- 7.0 Closed Crankcase Ventilation / Turbo Coking T.F.
 - 7.1 Jim McGeehan reported on the CCV/TC Task Force meeting. See Attachment 5.
- 8.0 Shear Stability / High Temperature High Shear T.F.
 - 8.1 Bill Kleiser reported for the SS/HTHS Task Force and Frank Bondarowicz presented some Cummins "C" field test data. See Attachment 6.
- 9.0 Replacement Test Correlation
 - 9.1 Chairman McGeehan again raised the issue of need for data to correlate CI-4 tests to older category tests. No data was presented.
- 10.0 ULSD Fuel for PC-10
 - 10.1 Tom Franklin presented a report from the fuel Task Force since Pat Fetterman was unable to attend. See Attachment 7.
- 11.0 Next Meeting
 - 11.1 The next was not set and will be at the call of the chairman. It probably will not occur until June in Norfolk.
- 12.0 Adjournment
 - 12.1 The meeting was adjourned at 9:54 a.m.

Submitted by:

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