

## **Alan Lloyd, Former Secretary of California EPA, Joins The International Council on Clean Transportation as President**

San Francisco, California—March 1, 2006—The International Council on Clean Transportation (ICCT) today announced that Dr. Alan C. Lloyd, the former Secretary of the California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA) and former Chairman of the California Air Resources Board (ARB), has joined the ICCT as President.

“Alan brings an incredible wealth of knowledge and wisdom to the ICCT from helping set policies and tackle the environmental problems faced by California—the world’s 5<sup>th</sup> largest economy and the birthplace of vehicle emissions regulations” said Drew Kodjak, ICCT’s Executive Director.

“Joining the ICCT provides me with an exciting opportunity to continue to have a positive impact on the international global environment” said Dr. Lloyd. “I am looking forward to the opportunity to work with the fine staff and many distinguished environmental leaders who are affiliated with ICCT.”

“Alan Lloyd showed terrific leadership at the Air Resources Board and as Secretary of California EPA, where his policies will usher in vastly cleaner, more efficient cars. His technical depth, political acumen, and vision of near-zero emissions are a perfect combination to help spread this sort of improvement worldwide” said Hal Harvey, Director of the William and Flora Hewlett Foundation’s Environment Program, a major funder of the ICCT. “The Hewlett Foundation could not be more pleased at his appointment as President of ICCT.”

Dr. Lloyd was appointed by Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger as the Secretary of California EPA in December 2004, after serving as the Chairman of California ARB from 1999 to 2004. Under Dr. Lloyd’s leadership, Cal/EPA and California ARB implemented a number of programs which kept California at the forefront of transportation technology and policy. Dr. Lloyd was one of the driving forces behind zero and near-zero emission technology mandates in California, spurring a global research and development effort on advanced technologies, such as hybrid, fuel cell and electric vehicles, that we continue to benefit from and improve upon today. Dr. Lloyd has never shied away from tackling difficult problems. As the Chairman of ARB, Dr. Lloyd initiated one of the most aggressive diesel risk reduction plans in the world. And at Cal/EPA, Dr. Lloyd lead the Climate Action Team to develop a long-term strategy intended to meet the governor’s goal of reducing greenhouse gas emissions to 50% of 1990 levels by 2050.

Prior to his tenure with California ARB, Dr. Lloyd served as the Executive Director of the Energy and Environmental Engineering Center for the Desert Research Institute, the nonprofit research campus of the Nevada System of Higher Education, in Reno, Nevada. From 1988 to 1996, Dr. Lloyd was the chief scientist at the South Coast Air Quality Management District, where he managed the Technology Advancement office that funded public-private partnerships to stimulate advanced technologies and cleaner fuels. Dr. Lloyd, earned both his Bachelor of Science in Chemistry and Ph.D. in Gas Kinetics at the University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, U.K.

By joining the ICCT, Dr. Lloyd will be able to share with the rest of the world the expertise that he has gained in leading California towards a cleaner and more sustainable future. Throughout his career, Dr. Lloyd has championed cutting edge technologies, innovative strategies, and aggressive policies to improve urban air quality and public health and address global climate change. He has played a historic role in fostering a viable future for advanced vehicles

technologies and alternative and renewable fuels. At ICCT he will continue to work with decision-makers and industry leaders around the world to promote global best practices for transportation technologies and policies.

The goal of the ICCT is to dramatically improve the environmental performance and efficiency of cars, trucks, buses, and transportation systems in order to protect and improve public health, the environment, and quality of life. The ICCT is a non profit organization that is guided by a Council of regulators and experts from leading auto markets around the world, who participate as individuals based upon their experience with air quality and transportation issues. The ICCT is sponsored by the William and Flora Hewlett Foundation and the Energy Foundation.

For additional information about ICCT, please visit the ICCT website at [www.theicct.org](http://www.theicct.org)

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