

State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD

EXECUTIVE ORDER D-186-31

Relating to Exemptions under
Section 27156 of the Vehicle Code

HKS U.S.A., Inc.
Super Mega Flow Intake Kit

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Air Resources Board by Section 27156 of the Vehicle Code; and

Pursuant to the authority vested in the undersigned by Sections 39515 and 39516 of the Health and Safety Code and Executive Order G-02-003;

IT IS ORDERED AND RESOLVED: That installation of the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit, manufactured by HKS U.S.A., Inc. of 13401 South Main Street, Los Angeles, California 90061, has been found not to reduce the effectiveness of the applicable vehicle pollution control systems, and therefore, the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit is exempt from the prohibitions in Section 27156 of the Vehicle Code for installation on the vehicles listed in Attachment A.

The Super Mega Flow Intake Kit includes an open-element air filter, aluminum inlet tube(s), and assorted mounting brackets and hoses, including the positive crankcase ventilation breather hose in some applications.

This Executive Order is based on Cold-Start CVS-75 Federal Test Procedure tests, Supplemental Federal Test Procedures, and On-Board Diagnostic II System tests conducted by HKS U.S.A., Inc. with the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit and Racing Suction Intake Kit (which is similar to the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit).

If evidence provides the Air Resources Board with reasons to suspect that the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit will affect the durability of the emission control system, HKS U.S.A., Inc. shall be required to submit durability data to show that the durability of the vehicle emission control system is not, in fact, affected and/or that the add-on or modified parts demonstrate adequate durability.

This Executive Order is valid provided that installation instructions for the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit do not recommend tuning the vehicles to specifications different from those of the vehicle manufacturer.

Changes made to the design or operating conditions of the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit, as exempt by the Air Resources Board, which adversely affect the performance of the vehicles' emission control system, shall invalidate this Executive Order.

Marketing of the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit using identification other than that shown in this Executive Order or for an application other than that listed in this Executive Order shall be prohibited unless prior approval is obtained from the Air Resources Board.

Exemption of the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit shall not be construed as exemption to sell, offer for sale, or advertise any component of the system as an individual device.

This Executive Order shall not apply to any Super Mega Flow Intake Kit advertised, offered for sale, sold with, or installed on a motor vehicle prior to or concurrent with transfer to an ultimate purchaser.

This Executive Order does not constitute any opinion as to the effect the use of the Super Mega Flow Intake Kit may have on any warranty either expressed or implied by the vehicle manufacturer.


No claim of any kind, such as "Approved by the Air Resources Board," may be made with respect to the action taken herein in any advertising or other oral or written communication.

In addition to the foregoing, the Air Resources Board reserves the right in the future to review this Executive Order and the exemption provided herein to assure that the exempted add-on or modified part continues to meet the standards and procedures of California Code of Regulations, Title 13, Section 2222, et seq.

THIS EXECUTIVE ORDER DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CERTIFICATION, ACCREDITATION, APPROVAL, OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF ENDORSEMENT BY THE AIR RESOURCES BOARD OF ANY CLAIMS OF THE APPLICANT CONCERNING ANTI-POLLUTION BENEFITS OR ANY ALLEGED BENEFITS OF HKS U.S.A., INC.'S SUPER MEGA FLOW INTAKE KIT.

Violation of any of the above conditions shall be grounds for revocation of this Executive Order. The Executive Order may be revoked only after a ten day written notice of intention to revoke the Executive Order, in which period the holder of the Executive Order may request in writing a hearing to contest the proposed revocation. If a hearing is requested, it shall be held within ten days of receipt of the request, and the Executive Order may not be revoked until a determination is made after the hearing that grounds for revocation exist.

Executed at El Monte, California, this 4th day of June 2009.


Annette Hebert, Chief
Mobile Source Operations Division

Attachment A

HKS U.S.A., Inc.		
Super Mega Flow Intake Kit		
Part Number	Model Year	Model Specification
70019-XW004	1997-2000	1.8L AUDI A4 TURBO
70019-XM007	1995-1998	2.0L EAGLE TALON TURBO
70019-XM002	1995-1998	2.0L EAGLE TALON
70019-BM006	1990-1996	3.0L DODGE STEALTH TURBO
70019-XH005	1994-2001	1.8L ACURA INTEGRA
70019-BH008	1986-1989	1.6L ACURA INTEGRA
70019-XH001	1991-2006	3.0L/3.2L ACURA NSX
70019-BH006	1992-1995	1.6L HONDA CIVIC
70019-BH008	1985-1987	1.5L HONDA CIVIC SI
70019-BH008	1985-1987	1.5L HONDA CRX SI
70019-XH006	1996-2000	1.6L HONDA CIVIC EX/SI
70019-XH004	1997-2001	2.2L HONDA PRELUDE
70019-XZ003	1994-1998	1.8L MAZDA MIATA
70019-XZ005	1999-2003	1.8L MAZDA MIATA
70019-BZ001	1986-1988	1.3L MAZDA RX-7
70019-BZ002	1989-1991	1.3L MAZDA RX-7
70019-BZ006	1993-1996	1.3L MAZDA RX-7 TWIN TURBO
70019-BM006	1990-1999	3.0L MITSUBISHI 3000GT
70019-XM008	1997-2000	3.0L MITSUBISHI MONTERO SPORT
70019-XM007	1995-1999	2.0L MITSUBISHI ECLIPSE TURBO
70019-XM002	1995-1999	2.0L MITSUBISHI ECLIPSE
70019-BN012	1990-1996	3.0L NISSAN 300ZX TWIN TURBO
70019-BN012	1990-1996	3.0L NISSAN 300ZX
70019-BN020	1989-1994	2.4L NISSAN 240SX
70019-BT001	1987-1992	3.0L TOYOTA SUPRA TURBO
70019-XT007	1982-1986	2.8L TOYOTA SUPRA

Attachment A

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Part Number	Model Year	Model Specification
70019-XT004	1993-1998	3.0L TOYOTA SUPRA TURBO
70019-BT002	1988-1989	1.6L TOYOTA MR2 SUPERCHARGED
70019-BT006	1990-1992	2.2L TOYOTA MR2
70019-BT007	1990-1995	2.0L TOYOTA MR2 TURBO
70019-XW004	1998-2001	1.8L VOLKSWAGEN PASSAT GLS
70019-AH025	2004-2006	2.4L ACURA TSX
1504-BMW1US	1997-1999	2.8L BMW 528
70019-XG001	1997-1999	2.8L BMW 528
70004-XZ001	2002-2003	2.0L MAZDA PROTÉGÉ 5
70019-XZ001	2002-2003	2.0L MAZDA PROTÉGÉ 5
1504-SZ005US	1999-2003	1.8L MAZDA PROTÉGÉ ES
70019-XZ005	1999-2003	1.8L MAZDA PROTÉGÉ ES
1504-SM03US	2000-2003	2.4L/3.0L MITSUBISHI ECLIPSE
70004-XM001	2003-2006	2.0L MITSUBISHI LANCER EVOLUTION
70019-BM019	2003-2006	2.0L MITSUBISHI LANCER EVOLUTION
1504-SN05US	1997-2000	3.3L NISSAN FRONTIER
1504-SN05US	1999-2002	3.3L NISSAN XTERRA
70004-BT001	2004-2005	1.5L SCION XB
70019-BT053	2004-2005	1.5L SCION XB
70004-BF002	2002-2007	2.0L/2.5L SUBARU IMPREZA WRX
70019-BF008	2002-2007	2.0L/2.5L SUBARU IMPREZA WRX
70004-BF002	2004-2007	2.5L SUBARU IMPREZA WRX STI
70019-BF008	2004-2007	2.5L SUBARU IMPREZA WRX STI
1504-ST01US	1996-1998	3.4L TOYOTA 4RUNNER