

Federal Trade Commission
Office of the Secretary
600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Room CC-5610 (Annex N)
Washington, DC 20580

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RE: 16 CFR Part 306; Automotive Fuel Ratings, Certification and Posting; Project No. R811005

To Whom It May Concern,

An issue which has not been mentioned concerning gasoline with ethanol added is the short "shelf life" of this fuel. Due to oxygenation and water absorption, many gallons of this fuel are disposed of; some properly, most "dumped", resulting in increased V.O.C. s released to the atmosphere. Increasing the amount of ethanol in gasoline would exacerbate this problem.

Sincerely,
Robert Wilkins, TX