

SUPRISING MOVE

Cummins Endorses Power Service Products

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You read the headline correctly: In a surprising move within the diesel industry, Cummins and Power Service announced an agreement in May of this year in which Cummins agreed to endorse the Kleen Diesel line of products for use in diesel engines. Long considered by some as something akin to “snake oil” or another type of tonic, many owners have been skeptical of the claims made that a fuel additive was worth the time, trouble, or expense. However, with the recent announcement, heads are turning. The official announcement came in the middle of May and immediately hit many websites almost instantly that keep pace with the diesel market.

In a first for the engine manufacturer, Cummins is now recommending two fuel additives for use in diesel engines.



Power Service Products' Diesel Kleen and Diesel Fuel Supplement have become the first fuel additives that Cummins has ever officially recommended in the marketplace.

The products being recommended include two Power Service products: Diesel Kleen +Cetane Boost and Diesel Fuel Supplement +Cetane Boost. According to official sources from Cummins, significant internal testing concluded that both products meet the engine manufacturer's requirements.

“In recent years diesel fuel quality has become increasingly important as engines evolve and the diesel fuel manufacturing processes change,” said Roger England, director of technical quality and materials engineering for Cummins. “The Power Service Diesel Kleen and Diesel Fuel Supplement additives provide easily accessible solutions with proven technology to customers in the field when they encounter challenges with their fuel such as poor lubricity, low cetane numbers, low-temperature operability issues, injector deposits, etc.”

Cummins stated that using Power Service Diesel Kleen as a year-round performance enhancer can maximize overall engine performance by cleaning dirty injectors, preventing injectors from sticking, smoothing rough-running engines, and improving fuel economy.

The second product, Diesel Fuel Supplement, is a winterizer/anti-gel that is designed to prevent fuel gelling and to keep fuel filters from plugging with wax build-up and ice. The supplement is recommended for use in winter months when temperatures drop below 30° Fahrenheit.

The president of Power Service Products, Ed Kramer, said that the endorsement partnership with Cummins is “a culmination of 60 years of hard work and dedication toward developing the most consistent and effective diesel additives on the market.”

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