State of California AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Resolution 88-8

January 7, 1988

Agenda Item: 88-1-2

WHEREAS, Section 39601 of the Health and Safety Code authorizes the Air Resources Board ("Board") to adopt standards, rules and regulations necessary for the proper execution of the powers and duties granted to and imposed upon the Board by law;

WHEREAS, Section 39607(d) of the Health and Safety Code requires the Board to adopt test procedures to measure compliance with its nonvehicular (stationary) source emission standards and those of the air pollution control and air quality management districts ("districts");

WHEREAS, the Board has previously adopted its Method 5, "Determination of Particulate Matter Emissions from Stationary Sources," which is incorporated by reference in Section 94105, Title 17, California Administrative Code;

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act and Board regulations require that no project having significant adverse environmental impacts be adopted as proposed if feasible alternatives or mitigation measures are available which would substantially reduce such adverse impacts;

WHEREAS, a public hearing and other administrative proceedings have been held in accordance with the California Administrative Procedure Act, Title 2, Division 3, Part 1, Chapter 3.5 (commencing with Section 11340) of the Government Code;

WHEREAS, the Board finds that:

Method 5 presently contains language which can be construed as requiring inflexible glass connectors if the test includes a determination of condensed particulate in the impingers;

The amendments proposed by staff and set forth in Attachments A and B would assure that non-contaminating leak-free flexible materials may be used in place of glass where the test is used to determine condensed particulate in the impingers;

Using inflexible glass connectors is not practical for Method 5 applications to certain stack configurations, and non-contaminating leak-free materials such as Teflon have been demonstrated to provide acceptable results in Method 5 determinations of particulate impinger catch;

Adoption of the amendments set forth in Attachments A and B will have no significant adverse environmental impacts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board hereby amends Title 17, California Administrative Code, Section 94105 as set forth in Attachment A, and amends Method 5, "Determination of Particulate Matter Emissions from Stationary Sources," as set forth in Attachment B.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of Resolution 88-8, as adopted by the Air Resources Board.

Pat Hutchens

Assistant Board Secretary

State of California MEMORANDUM

To : Gordon Van Vleck

Secretary

Resources Agency

Date

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Pursuant to Title 17, Section 60007 (b), and in compliance with Air Resources Board certification under Section 21080.5 of the Public Resources Code, the Air Resources Board hereby forwards for posting the attached notice of decisions and response to environmental comments raised during the comment period.

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Response to Significant Environmental Issues

item:

Public Hearing to Consider Amendment of a Regulation Regarding a Test Method for Determining Emissions of

Particulate Matter from Nonvehicular Sources

Agenda Item No.: 88-1-2

Public Hearing Date: January 7, 1988

Response Date: January 7, 1988

issuing Authority: Air Resources Board

Comment: No comments were received identifying any significant

environmental issues pertaining to this item. The staff report identified no adverse environmental

effects.

Certified: ________

Board Secretary

Date: 3/7/188