WHEREAS, on June 22, 2000, the Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) conducted a public hearing to consider the adoption of amendments to sections 94521, 94522, 94523, 94524, and 94526 title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR); adoption of new subchapter 8.6, sections 94700 and 94701, title 17, CCR; adoption of amendments to ARB Method 310, which is incorporated by reference in section 94526, title 17, CCR, as set forth in the Appendices to the Staff Report: Initial Statement of Reasons released to the public on May 5, 2000;

WHEREAS, the Board approved modifications to the originally proposed text, were made available for a 15-day comment period starting January 26, 2001, through February 13, 2001 in accordance with the provisions of section 44, title 1, California Code of Regulations, with the modifications clearly indicated;

WHEREAS, six written comments were received during the initial 15-day comment period, and those comments have been considered by the Executive Officer;
WHEREAS, in light of the written comments that were received during the initial 15-day comment period, additional modifications to the proposed amendments were made available by a Second Notice of Availability of Modified Text for a 15-day comment period starting March 15, 2001 through March 30, 2001, in accordance with the provisions of section 44, title 1, California Code of Regulations, with the additional modifications clearly indicated; and

WHEREAS, no written comments were received during the second 15-day public comment period.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, that the recitals and findings contained in Resolution 00-22 are incorporated by reference herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, in accordance with Resolution 00-22, that the amendments to sections 94521, 94522, 94523, 94524, and 94526 title 17, California Code of Regulations (CCR); adoption of new subchapter 8.6, sections 94700 and 94701, title 17, CCR; adoption of amendments to ARB Method 310, which is incorporated by reference in section 94526, title 17, CCR, are hereby adopted as set forth in Attachment 1 to this Order.

Executed this ______ day of May 2001, at Sacramento, California.

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Michael P. Kenny
Executive Officer

Attachment