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COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO CALIFORNIA



NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: County Clerk
San Bernardino County
385 N. Arrowhead, 2nd Floor
San Bernardino, CA 92415

FROM: Mojave Desert
Air Quality Management District
14306 Park Ave
Victorville, CA 92392-2310

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MDAQMD Senior Executive Analyst

PROJECT TITLE: Proposed Amendment to Regulation XIII – New Source Review, specifically Rules 1301 - *New Source Review Definitions*, 1302 - *New Source Review Procedure*, 1303 - *New Source Review Requirements*, 1304 - *New Source Review Emissions Calculations*, and 1305 - *New Source Review Emissions Offsets*, Not Included in the Proposed Amendment: Rule 1300 – *New Source Review General* nor Rule 1306 – *New Source Review Electric Energy Generating Facilities*..

PROJECT LOCATION – SPECIFIC: San Bernardino County portion of the Mojave Desert Air Basin and Palo Verde Valley portion of Riverside County.

PROJECT LOCATION – COUNTY: San Bernardino and Riverside Counties.

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT: The MDAQMD is proposing to amend Rules 1301 - *New Source Review Definitions*, 1302 - *New Source Review Procedure*, 1303 - *New Source Review Requirements*, 1304 - *New Source Review Emissions Calculations*, and 1305 - *New Source Review Emissions Offsets*. Not included in this proposed amendment are Rules 1300 – *General*, and Rule 1306 – *Electric Energy Generating Facilities*

NAME OF PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING PROJECT: Mojave Desert AQMD

NAME OF PERSON OR AGENCY CARRYING OUT PROJECT: Mojave Desert AQMD

EXEMPT STATUS (CHECK ONE)

- Ministerial (Pub. Res. Code §21080(b)(1); 14 Cal Code Reg. §15268)
- Emergency Project (Pub. Res. Code §21080(b)(4); 14 Cal Code Reg. §15269(b))
- Categorical Exemption – Class 8 (14 Cal Code Reg. §15308)

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: This action is exempt because the proposed actions do not result in a practical change of any thresholds or in the permitting status of any class or category of equipment. Therefore, there is no potential that the proposed amendments might cause the release of additional air contaminants or create any other adverse environmental impacts, a Class 8 categorical exemption (14 Cal. Code Reg. §15308) applies.

LEAD AGENCY CONTACT PERSON: Brad Poiriez **PHONE:** (760) 245-1661

SIGNATURE: Brad Poiriez **TITLE:** Executive Director **DATE:** March 25, 2024

DATE RECEIVED FOR FILING:

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