

Eastern Kern Air Pollution Control District

January 11, 2018

Board of Directors Eastern Kern APCD 2700 "M" Street, Suite 302 Bakersfield, CA 93301

SUBJECT: Adoption of Draft Rule 210.1A, (Major New and Modified Stationary Source Review (MNSR))

Honorable Board:

Eastern Kern Air Pollution Control District (District) is proposing to adopt draft Rule 210.1A, (Major New and Modified Stationary Source Review (MNSR)). On November 2, 2017, the District held a public workshop at the Mojave Veteran's Building in Mojave, California to present proposed draft Rule 210.1A. District staff submitted copies of the rule to the California Air Resources Board (ARB) and Region IX of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for an initial review prior to the workshop. A 30-day public review and comment period followed the workshop. Comments were received from ARB, EPA, and Edwards Air Force Base. All comments are addressed in Appendix B of the staff report.

Draft Rule 210.1A is being adopted to provide for preconstruction review and insure the applicant provides an analysis demonstrating Best Available Control Technology (BACT) has been proposed for each emission unit included in a new major stationary source, or major modification of an existing major stationary source, and provide offsets for any significant net emissions increase of a nonattainment pollutant and its precursors in a nonattainment area. Rule 210.1A will become effective immediately upon Board adoption. A Notice of Public Hearing was duly published more than 30 days prior to this hearing in the following newspapers: Mojave Desert News, Daily Independent, Tehachapi News, and Bakersfield Californian. The notice requested written comments on draft Rule 210.1A and associated staff reports by January 10, 2018. A copy of the staff report, which includes the proposed rule is attached.

IT IS RECOMMENDED your Board Open Hearing; Receive Public Comment; Close Hearing; Adopt Draft Rule 210.1A, (Major New and Modified Stationary Source Review (MNSR)), and Resolution Number 2018-002-01.

Sincerely,

Glen E. Stephens, P.E. Air Pollution Control Officer

GES: JC: lr Enclosures