

**South Coast Air Quality Management District  
Notice of Public Workshop**

**Proposed Rule 1147.1 – NO<sub>x</sub> Reductions from Aggregate Dryer**

Wednesday, May 26, 2021  
10:00 a.m.

Pursuant to Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-25-20 (March 12, 2020) and N-29-20 (March 17, 2020), this meeting will only be conducted via video conferencing and by telephone.

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***Purpose of Meeting***

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (South Coast AQMD) has scheduled a public workshop to present and solicit information and suggestions from the public regarding **Proposed Rule 1147.1 – NO<sub>x</sub> Reductions from Aggregate Dryer (PR 1147.1)**, which is also scheduled for a Public Hearing to be considered for approval by the South Coast AQMD Governing Board on August 6, 2021.

***Rule Background***

Rule 1147 establishes NO<sub>x</sub> limits for a wide variety of combustion equipment including aggregate dryer that requires a permit with a unit heat rating  $\geq 325,000$  BTU/hour at non-RECLAIM facilities. Control Measure CMB-05 in the 2016 AQMP seeks to transition facilities from the NO<sub>x</sub> RECLAIM program into a command and control regulatory program. To facilitate the transition, a command-and-control rule specifying NO<sub>x</sub> Best Available Retrofit Control Technology (BARCT) limits is needed for aggregate dryer.

***Proposed Rule and Objectives***

PR 1147.1 applies to non-RECLAIM, RECLAIM, and former RECLAIM facilities that operate a gaseous fuel-fired aggregate dryer with a heat input of greater than 2 Million BTU/hr with NO<sub>x</sub> emissions greater than one pound per day. The proposed rule establishes NO<sub>x</sub> and CO emission limits for applicable gaseous fuel-fired aggregate dryers to reflect current BARCT emission limits and provides implementation timeframes. Moreover, PR 1147.1 includes provisions for monitoring, reporting, recordkeeping, and exemptions from specific provisions.

***California Environmental Quality Act***

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and South Coast AQMD's certified regulatory program (Public Resources Code Section 21080.5, CEQA Guidelines Section 15251(l) and South Coast AQMD Rule 110), the South Coast AQMD, as lead agency, is reviewing the proposed project (PR 1147.1) to determine if it will result in any potential adverse environmental impacts. Appropriate CEQA documentation will be prepared based on the analysis.

***Available Supporting Documents***

The following supporting documents will be available on or before May 21, 2021:

- Preliminary Draft Proposed Rule 1147.1; and
- Preliminary Draft Staff Report for Proposed Rule 1147.1.

***To Obtain Copies of the Above Documents***

Copies of the preliminary draft proposed rule and staff report will be available on or before May 21, 2021 and may be obtained from:

Lisa Tanaka O'Malley  
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South Coast AQMD  
21865 Copley Drive  
Diamond Bar, CA 91765  
(909) 396-2432  
[Lomalley@aqmd.gov](mailto:Lomalley@aqmd.gov)

The documents may be accessed from the South Coast AQMD website at:

<http://www.aqmd.gov/home/regulations/rules/proposed-rules>

**Americans with Disabilities Act and Language Accessibility**

Disability and language-related accommodations can be requested to allow participation in the public workshop. The agenda will be made available, upon request, in appropriate alternative formats to assist persons with a disability (Gov't Code Section 54954.2(a)). In addition, other documents may be requested in alternative formats and languages. Any disability or language related accommodation must be requested as soon as practicable. Requests will be accommodated, unless providing the accommodation would result in a fundamental alteration or undue burden to the District. Please contact Michael Krause at (909) 396-2706 from 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Tuesday through Friday, or send the request to [mkrause@aqmd.gov](mailto:mkrause@aqmd.gov).

***Key Contact for Submitting Questions and Comments***

Attendees are invited to ask questions and make comments during the Public Workshop. Questions, comments, documents, or other relevant information may also be directed to:

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Written comments on the preliminary draft proposed rule should be submitted by June 18, 2021.