

**CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT**

**SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1986
PROPOSITION 65**

TITLE 27, CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR THE

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO SECTION 25705
SPECIFIC REGULATORY LEVELS POSING NO SIGNIFICANT RISK**

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A Notice of Proposed Rulemaking to update the Proposition 65 No Significant Risk Level (NSRL) for ethylene oxide by amending Title 27, California Code of Regulation, section 25705(b) was published in the California Regulatory Notice Register on April 7, 2023. The notice initiated a 45-day public comment period that was scheduled to close on May 23, 2023.

At the request of the American Chemistry Council, American Herbal Products Association, and American Spice Trade Association, OEHHA hereby extends the public comment period. The comment period will now close on **Wednesday, June 14, 2023**. OEHHA strongly recommends that comments be submitted electronically, rather than in paper form, through our website at <https://oehha.ca.gov/comments>. Comments submitted in paper form can be mailed, faxed, or delivered in person to the address below:

Electronic Submission (preferred):

Through OEHHA website at: <https://oehha.ca.gov/comments>

Mailed Submission:

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In-person delivery submission:

Attention: Esther Barajas-Ochoa
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OEHHA encourages all commenters to submit their comments in a format compliant with Section 508 of the federal Rehabilitation Act, Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.03 and California Government Code sections 7405 and 11135, so that they can be read using screen reader technology and those with visual impairments are able to listen to them.

OEHHA is subject to the California Public Records Act and other laws that require the release of certain information upon request. If you provide comments, please be aware that your name, address, and e-mail may be available to third parties.

Inquiries concerning the action described in this notice may be directed to Esther Barajas-Ochoa, in writing at the address given above, by email at esther.barajas-ochoa@oehha.ca.gov, or by telephone at: 916-445-6900.