Appendix A. List of Acronyms

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σg geometric standard deviationAAQS Ambient Air Quality Standards

ACGIH American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists

ADI acceptable daily intake

AEGL Acute Emergency Guidance Level

AEL adverse effect level

AHH aryl hydrocarbon hydroxylase

AICE American Institute of Chemical Engineers
AIHA American Industrial Hygiene Association

ALL acute lymphoblastic leukemia

ARB Air Resources Board

ATS American Thoracic Society

AUC area under the (blood or tissue concentration x time) curve

AV_A alveolar ventilation (animal) AV_H alveolar ventilation (human) BMC benchmark concentration

BMCL₀₅ lower 95% confidence interval of the benchmark concentration

BMD benchmark dose BW body weight

C x T concentration multiplied by time

CAAQS applied concentration in an animal experiment.
CAAQS California Ambient Air Quality Standards
CalEPA California Environmental Protection Agency

CalOSHA California Occupational Safety and Health Administration
CAPCOA California Air Pollution Control Officer's Association

C_{AVG} average concentration

CFT computational fluid dynamics

CIIT Chemical Industry Institute of Toxicology

Cmaxs peak concentrations

Cobs observed concentration

Cr^{VI} hexavalent chromium

CYP cytochrome P450

DAF dosimetric adjustment factor

DCM dichloromethane DES diethylstilbestrol

D_{H-d} dose of compound or active metabolite at site of action in default human

D_L diffusing capacity

DOD Department of Defense

DPR Department of Pesticide Regulation (State of California, CalEPA)

DPX DNA-protein cross-links

EC₀₅ 5% effective concentration (expected to produce a 5% toxic response rate)

EEGL Emergency Exposure Guidance Level
ERPG Emergency Response Planning Guidelines

ET extrathoracic

ETS environmental tobacco smoke FAS Fetal Alcohol Syndrome

FDA Food and Drug Administration

FEL frank effect level

FEV₁ forced expiratory volume in one second

FIFRA Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act

FQPA Federal Food Quality Protection Act

FVC forced vital capacity
GFR glomerular filtration rate
GLC ground level concentration
GLPs Good Laboratory Practices

GSH glutathione

GSTs Glutathione sulfotransferases

H&SC Health & Safety Code

HARP Air Resources Board's Hot Spots Analysis and Reporting Program

HEC Human Equivalent Concentration

Hg mercury
HI hazard index

IARC International Agency for Research on Cancer

IBT Industrial Bio-Test Laboratories Inc.

ICRP International Commission on Radiological Protection IRDC International Research and Development Corporation

LCL lower confidence limit

LD₅₀ lethal dose to 50% of test animals in a given experiment

LOAEL lowest-observed-adverse-effect-level

LOEL lowest-observed-effect-level
MLE maximum likelihood estimate
MMAD mean mass aerodynamic diameter
MPPD multiple path particle deposition model

MV minute volume

NAC National Advisory Committee NAS National Academy of Sciences

NATICH National Air Toxics Information Clearinghouse
NIOSH National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

NOAEL no-observed-adverse-effect-level

NOEL no observed effect level NRC National Research Council NTP National Toxicology Program

OEHHA Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment

OP organophosphate

OR odds ratio

PAH polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon

Pb lead

PBPK physiologically based pharmacokinetic modeling

PCE perchloroethylene

PEL Permissible Exposure Limits

PK UF pharmacokinetic uncertainty factors

PU pulmonary region

RD50 respiratory dose 50 (dose of gas causing 50% decrease in respiration rate)

RDDRs regional deposited dose ratios
REL Reference Exposure Level
RfC Reference Concentration

RfD Reference Dose

RFLP restriction fragment length polymorphism

RGDR regional gas dose ratio

RIVM The Netherlands National Institute for Public Health and the Environment

RR relative risk

RSA_A regional surface area (animal) RSA_H regional surface area (human)

RT respiratory tracts
SA surface area
SB Senate Bill

SG_{aw} specific airway conductance SMR standardized mortality ratios

SPEGL Short-term Public Emergency Guidance Level

SRAW specific airway resistance SRP Scientific Review Panel STEL Short-term Exposure Limit TACs Toxic Air Contaminants
TB tracheobronchial region
TCA trichloroacetic acid
TCE trichloroethylene
TD toxicodynamic
TK toxicokinetic

TLV-TWA Threshold Limit Value-Time Weighted Average

TSDs Technical Support Documents

UCL upper confidence limit

UF_A interspecies uncertainty factor

UF_{A-d} interspecies uncertainty factor toxicodynamic component UF_{A-k} interspecies uncertainty factor toxicokinetic component

UF_D database deficiency uncertainty factor

UF_H intraspecies uncertainty factor

UF_{H-d} intraspecies uncertainty factor toxicodynamic component UF_{H-k} intraspecies uncertainty factor toxicokinetic component

UF_L LOAEL uncertainty factor
UF_S subchronic uncertainty factor

UFs uncertainty factors

U.S. DHHS United States Department of Health and Human Services

U.S. EPA United States Environmental Protection Agency

Val valine

Vd volume of distribution
VOCs volatile organic compounds
WHO World Health Organization

 χ^2 chi-squared