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RE: Response to Petition for Rulemaking Setting a No Significant Risk Level for 1,3-Dichloropropene (1,3-D)

Dear Mr. Hirsch:

The Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) has reviewed your petition for rulemaking pursuant to Government Code section 11340.6, filed on behalf of Californians for Pesticide Reform, requesting that OEHHA "adopt a regulation setting a No Significant Risk Level for 1,3-dichloropropene ("1,3-D")."

OEHHA is granting the Petition. We agree that a No Significant Risk Level for this chemical could be useful to the enforcement and business community. OEHHA's grant of the petition does not reflect any agreement by or endorsement of OEHHA on any particular statements included in the petition. We will initiate the process with a request for scientific information on 1,3-D as it relates to the carcinogenic activity of the compound. We anticipate receiving data and studies submitted to regulatory authorities that do not appear in the open literature.

Thank you for your interest in OEHHA's Proposition 65 program. If you have questions you may contact me at (916) 205-0493 or Carol.Monahan-Cummings@oehha.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Carol Monahan Cummings Chief Counsel