Regulation XX – NOx RECLAIM
Working Group Meeting

Facility and Equipment
Shutdowns

January 21, 2016
Agenda

- December 4, 2015 Governing Board Motion
- Objectives of the Proposal
- Open Discussion
- Next Steps
December 4, 2015 Governing Board Motion

Do not include at the December 4th Public Hearing the Facility and Equipment Shutdown rule language, i.e., subdivision (i).

Return to the NOx RECLAIM Working Group to:
- Conduct further discussion and analysis;
- Include the proposal’s potential implications on the entire NOx RECLAIM Program; and
- Consider possible alternatives that would allow a closer alignment of the treatment of shutdown credits in the RECLAIM and Command-and-Control programs short of full forfeiture.

Following this process bring staff’s original proposal or some other alternative back to the Governing Board for consideration for adoption.
Primary Objectives of the Proposal

- Prevent shutdown RTCs from entering the market and delaying the installation of cost-effective BARCT at other RECLAIM facilities.

- Achieve a closer alignment of the treatment of shutdown credits under RECLAIM and emission reduction credits (ERCs) under command-and-control rules.

- Further ensure that the RECLAIM program will result in an equivalent or greater reductions in emissions compared to command-and-control regulations.

- Provide fair treatment of facilities with equipment not operating for an extended time period but are not permanently shutdown.
Next Steps

- Continued Working Group Meetings
- Notice of Public Workshop – mid-February 2016
- Public Workshop – late-February/early-March 2016
- Stationary Source Committee Meeting – March 2016
- Rule Amendment – May 2016
Open Discussion

- Concepts
- Ideas
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