BOARD MEETING DATE: February 5, 2021

AGENDA NO. 2

PROPOSAL: Set Public Hearing March 5, 2021 to Consider Adoption of and/or Amendments to South Coast AQMD Rules and Regulations:

Determine That Proposed Amended Rule 218 - Continuous Emission Monitoring; Proposed Rule 218.2 - Continuous Emission Monitoring System: General Provisions; and Proposed Rule 218.3 -**Continuous Emission Monitoring System: Performance** Specifications; Are Exempt from CEQA; Amend Rule 218; and Adopt Rules 218.2 and 218.3 Proposed Rules 218.2 and 218.3 (PR 218.2 and 218.3) will establish guidance and specifications for installation and operation for continuous emission monitoring system (CEMS) at non-RECLAIM and former RECLAIM facilities. Proposed Amended Rule 218 (PAR 218) will provide a phase out provision to transition facilities into the revised provisions for CEMS which are specified in PR 218.2 and PR 218.3. PR 218.2 and PR 218.3 specify performance specifications for certification and quality assurance of CEMS that are used to continuously measure pollutant concentrations for compliance with rule limits and/or permit requirements. This action is to adopt the Resolution: 1) Determining that Proposed Amended Rule 218 - Continuous Emission Monitoring; Proposed Rule 218.2 - Continuous Emission Monitoring System: General Provisions; and Proposed Rule 218.3 -**Continuous Emission Monitoring System: Performance** Specifications; are exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act; and 2) Amending Rule 218 -Continuous Emission Monitoring; and Adopting Rule 218.2 -Continuous Emission Monitoring System: General Provisions; and Rule 218.3 - Continuous Emission Monitoring System: Performance Specifications. (Reviewed: Stationary Source Committee, January 22, 2021)

The complete text of the proposed rule and amendments, staff report and other supporting documents will be available from the South Coast AQMD's publication request line at (909) 396-2001, or from: Mr. Derrick Alatorre - Deputy Executive

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RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Set Public Hearing March 5, 2021 to Amend Rule 218; and Adopt Rules 218.2 and 218.3.

Wayne Nastri Executive Officer

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