#### **Proposed Amended Rule 1153.1**

Emissions of Oxides of Nitrogen from Commercial Food Ovens

> Working Group Meeting #5 September 23, 2022



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#### **Summary of Working Group Meeting #4**

- Micron Fiber-Tech presented and discussed low NOx combustion technology for commercial food ovens
- •Staff presented:
  - Overview of food oven categories and technology considerations
  - Burner cost curve and cost estimation methodology
  - Cost-effectiveness analysis
  - Proposed NOx limits for food oven categories

# Progress Since Working Group Meeting #4

Continued meeting with stakeholders

Released preliminary draft rule language and preliminary draft staff report on September 16, 2022

Scheduled Public Workshop for Thursday, October 6, 2022

# Summary of Preliminary Draft Rule Language

Released September 16, 2022

#### Intent of the Proposed Changes to Rule 1153.1

- PAR 1153.1 includes significant restructuring and updating
  - Most overall requirements have not changed
  - Consolidated monitoring, reporting, and recordkeeping (MRR) and compliance dates into separate subdivisions
- Intent was to align the provision with Rules 1147 and 1147.1
  - Many facilities subject to multiple rules, having parallel requirements helps simplify compliance
- Some new requirements added to provide clarity, support flexibility in compliance options, and address issues raised by stakeholders including:
  - Determining burner age
  - Decommissioning a unit
  - Source testing for multiple units
  - Allowing the one pound per day NOx limit to be averaged over a calendar month
  - Requirements if a unit exceeds a limit

#### **Key Rule Updates Summary**

Updated rule structure and added new subdivisions Added provisions to address RECLAIM facilities Removed outdated language and subdivisions Reorganized and updated provisions for clarity Added compliance options

#### Rule Structure Updates Overview

#### **Current Rule 1153.1**

- (a) Purpose and Applicability
- (b) Definitions
- (c) Requirements
- (d) Compliance Determination
- (e) Certification
- (f) Enforcement
- (g) Exemptions
- (h) Mitigation Fee Compliance Option

#### **Proposed Amened Rule 1153.1**

- (a) Purpose
- (b) Applicability
- (c) Definitions
- (d) Requirements
- (e) Compliance Schedule
- (f) Burner Age
- (g) Source Test Requirements
- (h) Compliance by Certification
- (i) Demonstration of one pound or less of NOx per Day
- (j) Monitoring, Recordkeeping, and Reporting Requirements
- (k) Exemptions

#### Purpose – Subdivision (a)

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## Applicability – Subdivision (b)

- Purpose and Applicability divided into separate subdivisions
- Updated applicability to include newly defined food oven categories:
  - Bakery Ovens, Tortilla Ovens, Dryers,
     Smokehouses, Food Ovens, and Roasters
- Removed reference in applicability to Rule 1147 NOx Reductions from Miscellaneous Sources including reference to paragraph (d)(7)
  - Rule 1147 only applicable when units are not subject to other Regulation XI rule
  - PAR 1153.1 added provisions from Rule 1147 paragraph (d)(7)

# Definitions - Subdivision (c)

- Added 12 new definitions
- Removed 6 definitions that are not used in the rule
- The following key definitions were added to provide clarity on defined food oven categories:
  - Bakery Oven
  - Dryer
  - Other Food Ovens
  - Smokehouse
  - Tortilla Oven
- Added definitions to address RECLAIM transition
  - Former RECLAIM Facility
  - Non-RECLAIM Facility
  - RECLAIM Facility

### Requirements – Subdivision (d)

# **Updated Table 1 NOx Limits and added CO Limits**

#### **Updated Table of Emission Limits**

Table 1 - NOx and CO Emission Limits

Equipment Categories	NOx Emission Limits	CO Emission Limits
Bakery Ovens	30 ppmv or 0.036 lbs/MMBtu	800 ppmv
Tortilla Ovens	30 ppmv or 0.036 lbs/MMBtu	
Tortilla Ovens (heated solely by Infrared Burners)	15 ppmv or 0.018 lbs/MMBtu	
Dryers, Smokehouses, and any Other Food Ovens	30 ppmv or 0.036 lbs/MMBtu	
Roasters	30 ppmv or 0.036 lbs/MMBtu	

ppmv corrected to 3% O2 unless otherwise specified

### Requirements – Subdivision (d)

#### Added Interim Limits and Compliance Options

- Added the interim NOx limit of 102 ppmv in paragraph (d)(2):
  - Interim limits apply if a RECLAIM facility exits
     RECLAIM before limits in PAR 1153.1 go into effect
- Added the following compliance options:
  - NOx limits in Table 1
  - NOx limit of one pound or less per day
    - Allows for NOx emissions demonstration based on a daily average or monthly average
    - New subdivision (i) establishes requirements for demonstrating one pound per day emission limit
  - Decommission a unit

### Requirements – Subdivision (d)

#### Removed Outdated Provisions

- Removed the following outdated rule language:
  - Compliance schedule (Table 2)
  - Unit age
  - Identification of Units
  - Compliance by Certification
    - Replaced with Compliance by Certification subdivision
  - Alternative Compliance Plan for Multiple Units
    - Alternative plan deemed unnecessary because proposed schedule has phased in limits based on burner age

#### Compliance Schedule – Subdivision (e)

- New subdivision that includes all compliance dates
- Establishes permit application submittal date and date to comply with limits
  - Permit submittal for Table 1 based on burner life
    - Submit permit when burner has been in operation for 22 years
    - Unit must comply within 12 months of permit issuance, unless extension granted, or no later than 25-year burner life, whichever is sooner
- Compliance dates to meet:
  - NOx limit at the end of burner useful life
  - One pound or less of NOx per day limit
  - Decommissioning of a unit
- Compliance schedule to meet Table 1 limits if:
  - Exempt bakery oven exceeds 35 ppmv NOx, or
  - Unit that exceeds one pound NOx per day
- Compliance schedule for a unit to conduct a source test if it fails to comply with compliance certification requirements

# **Burner Age – Subdivision (f)**

- Subdivision establishes requirements for determining burner age
  - Provision mirrors Rule 1147 requirements
- Key highlights:
  - Units equipped with multiple burners of varying ages will be based on the oldest burner
  - Burner age based on original installation date and determined by the following:
    - Invoice
    - South Coast AQMD permits
    - Manufacturer's identification
    - Written information

#### Source Test Requirements – Subdivision (g)

- Renamed subdivision, formerly Compliance Determination
  - Updated provisions and moved existing MRR requirements to separate subdivision
- Key highlights:
  - Establishes requirements for source test protocol, approval, and renewal
  - Establishes source test schedule of every five years
  - Expanded source test options for equipment with multiple units in series to include units regulated under Rule 1147
    - Some ovens share a common exhaust with afterburners, thermal oxidizers, and regenerative thermal oxidizers
      - Test each unit separately
      - Test unit at the end of the series and use weighted limit

# Compliance by Certification – Subdivision (h)

- Option allows a facility to demonstrate compliance by manufacturer emissions certification in lieu of source testing requirements
- Expanded provision from original "units that do not allow adjustment of fuel and combustion air" to units under 2 million Btu per hour
  - Mirrors recently updated language from Rule 1147
- Consolidated into separate subdivision (h)
- Key highlights:
  - Revised and expanded to included units with a rated heat input capacity of 2 MMBtu/hr or less
  - Recordkeeping requirements for compliance by certification moved to MRR requirements

#### Demonstration of one pound or less per day – Subdivision (i)

- Existing Rule 1153.1 includes provisions to demonstrate a unit is emitting one pound of NOx or less per day in exemption subdivision
  - Moved to a separate subdivision and expanded to allow monthly demonstration
- Key highlights:
  - One pound per day or less demonstration option expanded to include emissions being averaged over a calendar month to mirror Rule 1147
  - Monthly demonstration using:
    - Monthly hourly limit specified in Table 3
    - Monthly hourly limit calculation (equation 1)
    - Monthly therm limit calculation (equation 2)
    - Daily demonstration moved from exemption subdivision

#### Monitoring, Recordkeeping, and Reporting (MRR) – Subdivision (j)

- Existing Rule 1153.1 currently has MRR requirements in multiple subdivisions
- Added new subdivision to consolidate requirements
- Moved existing labeling requirements
- Added requirements for source test and maintaining records for five years
- Moved requirement to install and maintain fuel and time meters
  - Updated language and added calibration requirements
- Added provision to clarify RECLAIM facilities will continue to be subject to MRR requirements in Regulation XX until facility exits RECLAIM

# Exemptions – Subdivision (k)

- Removed the following:
  - Exemption for units subject to Rule 222 which do not require a permit
    - Deemed not necessary as rule specifically states it is only applicable to permitted units
  - Source test exemption for units heated solely with infrared burners
- Clarified the following:
  - Unit(s) at a RECLAIM facility are exempt until they become a former RECLAIM facility
  - Unit(s) subject to Rule 1147 are exempt, e.g., afterburners, thermal oxidizers, and vapor incinerators

#### Exemptions – Subdivision (k) (cont.)

- Moved daily NOx emissions of one pound or less per day demonstration to separate subdivision
- Added a near limit exemption for bakery ovens in operation prior to rule adoption:
  - NOx emissions must be greater than 30 ppmv
     and less than or equal to 40 ppmv
  - Must submit a permit application for a permit condition that limits the NOx to 35 ppmv and the CO emissions to 800 ppmv

# Removed the following subdivisions:

(e) Certification

(f) Enforcement

(h) Mitigation Fee Compliance Option

- Replaced with new subdivision (h)
   Compliance by Certification
- Moved provisions to other subdivisions

Outdated compliance option

#### **Next Steps**



Continue Meeting with Stakeholders



Public Workshop – October 6, 2022



Stationary Source Committee – October 21, 2022



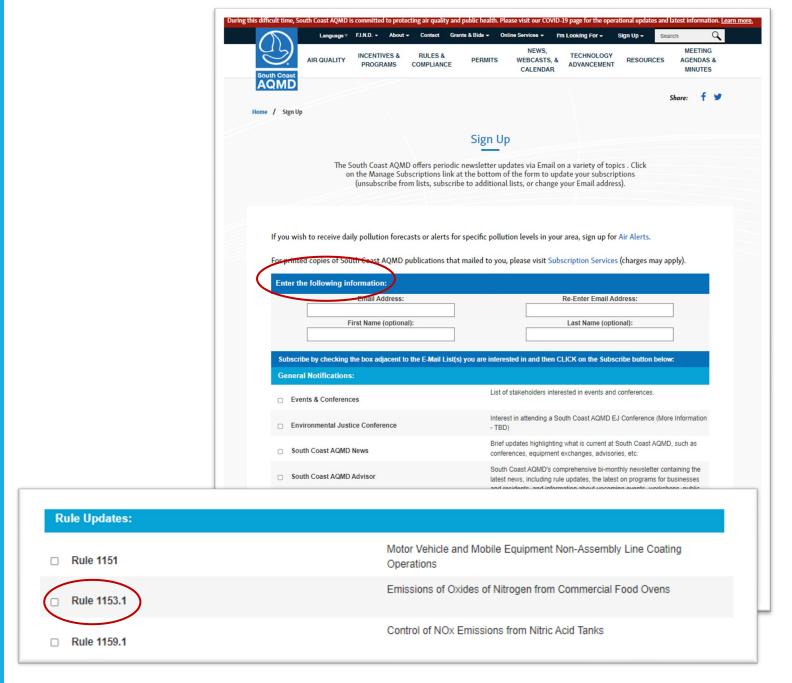
Set Hearing – November 4, 2022



Public Hearing – December 2, 2022

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