
Proposed Amended Rule 1179.1 – Emission Reductions from Combustion Equipment at Publicly Owned Treatment Works Facilities

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Proposed Amended Rule 1179.1 Background

- Rule 1179.1 was adopted in 2020 and established emission limits for boilers, turbines, and engines located at publicly owned treatment works
- Rule 1179.1 contains Attachment 1 which describes requirements for engine inspection and monitoring plans
 - The intent of Rule 1179.1- Attachment 1 is to contain the same elements as Attachment 1 of Rule 1110.2 – Emissions from Gaseous - and Liquid-Fueled Engines (Rule 1110.2)
- South Coast AQMD staff identified erroneous cross references in Rule 1179.1 - Attachment 1
- On February 4, 2024, a compliance advisory was issued to correct Rule 1179.1 - Attachment 1 by harmonizing it with Rule 1110.2 – Attachment 1*
- Proposed Amended Rule 1179.1 – Emission Reductions from Combustion Equipment at Publicly Owned Treatment Works Facilities (PAR 1179.1) will codify the corrected rule references described in the compliance advisory

* <https://www.aqmd.gov/docs/default-source/compliance/rule-1179-1-compliance-advisory.pdf?sfvrsn=6>

PAR 1179.1 Preliminary Draft Rule Language

PAR 1179.1
corrects
erroneous rule
references in
Attachment 1

Attachment 1 Section	Rule 1179.1- Attachment 1 Erroneous Cross- References	PAR 1179.1 - Attachment 1 Corrected Cross- References
A 1	Clause (h)(2)(C)(ii)	Paragraph (e)(9)
C	Clause (h)(2)(D)(ii)	Paragraph (h)(2)
D 4	Clause (h)(2)(D)(ii)	Paragraph (h)(2)
E	Clause (h)(2)(D)(iii)	Paragraph (k)(1)
G	Subparagraph (h)(2)(H)	Paragraph (k)(4)

Impact Assessments

Emission Reductions

- No emission reductions from PAR 1179.1 are expected, as the proposed amendments are administrative

Costs, Cost Effectiveness, and Incremental Cost-Effectiveness

- PAR 1179.1 is not expected to impose any additional costs
- Health and Safety Code Section 40920.6 requires a cost-effectiveness analysis when establishing Best Available Retrofit Control Technology (BARCT) requirements and an incremental cost-effectiveness analysis for BARCT rules when there is more than one control option
- PAR 1179.1 does not include new BARCT requirements, so Health and Safety Code 40920.6 does not apply

Socioeconomic Assessment

- PAR 1179.1 is administrative in nature and does not affect air quality or emissions limitations
- No socioeconomic impacts are expected
- No socioeconomic impact assessment is required pursuant to Health and Safety Code Sections 40440.8 and 40728.5

California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

- PAR 1179.1 makes administrative clarifications which will not require physical modifications
- No significant adverse effects on the environment are expected
- PAR 1179.1 qualifies for an exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15061 (b)(3) – Common Sense Exemption
- A Notice of Exemption will be prepared

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