State of California Office of Administrative Law

In re:

Department of Toxic Substances Control

Regulatory Action:

Title 22, California Code of Regulations

Adopt sections:

66260.40, 66260.41, 66269.10, 66269.11, 66269.20, 66269.21, 66269.22, 66269.30, 66269.32, 66269.33, 66269.34,

66269.35

Amend sections:

66260.10, 66269.1

[renumbered to 66269.40], 66269.2 [renumbered to 66269.47], 66269.3

[renumbered to 66269.41], 66269.4 [renumbered to 66269.42], 66269.5

[renumbered to 66269.43], 66269.6 [renumbered to

66269.44], 66269.7

[renumbered to 66269.45], 66269.8 [renumbered to

66269.46]

Repeal sections:

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY REGULATORY ACTION

Government Code Sections 11346.1 and 11349.6

OAL Matter Number: 2025-0117-02

OAL Matter Type: Emergency (E)

This emergency action by the Department of Toxic Substances Control (Department) makes several changes related to administration of the generation and handling fee for hazardous waste. First, it creates new reporting requirements applicable to persons engaged in generation, transportation, treatment, storage, or disposal of hazardous waste. Second, it specifies requirements to establish eligibility for exemptions and deductions from the generation and handling fee, as well as procedures for verifying that eligibility with later review. Third, it specifies a methodology by which the Department will impose penalties for violation of reporting requirements and fee payment requirements. Fourth, it renumbers and relocates without substantive change several existing sections.

OAL approves this emergency regulatory action pursuant to sections 11346.1 and 11349.6 of the Government Code.

This emergency regulatory action is effective on 1/27/2025. Pursuant to Health and Safety Code section 25205.5.4, this is a deemed emergency and this emergency regulation shall remain in effect until repealed by the Department.

Date: January 27, 2025

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