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ADVISORY NOTICE

AUTO REFINISHING OPERATIONS

To: Distribution

From: Todd Nishikawa, Manager of Compliance and Enforcement

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The purpose of this advisory is to alert owners and operators of auto refinishing operations to new Federal requirements imposed on paint stripping and surface coating operations. These requirements are contained in the National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (Subpart HHHHHH). Attached is a brochure prepared by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on this subject. Notification required by the Standard is directly to EPA. Sample Notification and Petition for Exemption forms can be found on the District website at www.placer.ca.gov/apcd.