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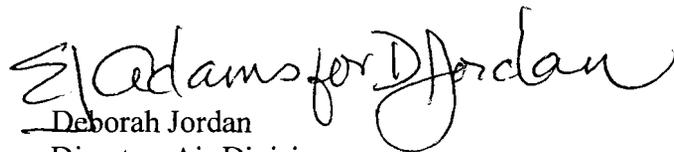
Dear Mr. Fletcher:

We received your May 20, 2010, request on behalf of the Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District (District) for delegation of the authority to implement and enforce federal Clean Air Act section 112 maximum achievable control technology (MACT) standards for area sources not covered by the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 40, Part 70 program. By this letter, we are hereby granting the District formal delegation of the unchanged MACT standards for area sources.

As of the date of this letter, the District will have authority to implement and enforce existing MACT standards for area sources as promulgated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), with the exception of the perchloroethylene dry cleaning standard and the chromium electroplating standard for which statewide or district rules have already been approved and delegated by EPA. Additionally, the District will receive delegation of future area source MACT standards or revisions 90 days after promulgation of these standards or revisions, unless the District chooses to decline delegation of a particular future standard by notifying the EPA Region IX office in writing. If no such notification is received, the delegation will go into effect 90 days after promulgation of the standard or revision, without any additional action from the District or EPA. EPA will publish a future Federal Register notice to codify these delegations into the CFR.

We appreciate efforts by the California Air Resources Board and the District to implement the federal air toxics program and hope to continue working with you to reduce emissions of air toxics in California. If you have any questions about this delegation, please call me at (415) 947-8715 or have your staff contact Mae Wang at (415) 947-4124.

Sincerely,


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Director, Air Division

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