

State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Executive Order R-10-020

Relating to Adoption of a Regulation for Reducing Sulfur Hexafluoride Emissions from Gas Insulated Switchgear

WHEREAS, on February 25, 2010, the Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) conducted a public hearing to consider the proposed adoption of a Regulation for Reducing Sulfur Hexafluoride Emissions from Gas Insulated Switchgear, as set forth in the Initial Statement of Reasons released to the public on January 7, 2010;

WHEREAS, following the public hearing, the Board adopted Resolution 10-1, in which the Board approved sections 95350, 95351, 95352, 95353, 95354, 95355, 95356, 95357, 95358, and 95359, title 17, California Code of Regulations, as set forth in Attachment A thereto, with the modifications set forth in Attachment B thereto;

WHEREAS, Resolution 10-1, directed the Executive Officer to take final action to adopt the regulations set forth in Attachments A and B thereto, and such other conforming modifications as may be appropriate, after making the modified regulatory language available for public comment for a period of 15 days, provided that the Executive Officer shall consider such written comments as may be submitted during this period, shall make such modifications as may be appropriate in light of the comments received, and shall present the regulations to the Board for further consideration if the Executive Officer determines that this is warranted;

WHEREAS, on September 9, 2010, the approved regulations, with the changes to the originally proposed text clearly indicated, have been made available for public comment for a period of 15 days in accordance with the provisions of title 1, California Code of Regulations, section 44; and

WHEREAS, the written comments received during this 15 day period have been considered by the Executive Officer and do not require modification or reconsideration by the Board of the approved regulations.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the recitals and findings contained in Resolution 10-1 are incorporated herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that sections 95350, 95351, 95352, 95353, 95354, 95355, 95356, 95357, 95358, and 95359, title 17, California Code of Regulations, are approved and adopted as set forth in Attachment I to this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the adopted regulatory text may be further revised with nonsubstantive changes, which will be added to the rulemaking record and indicated as such.

Executed this 15th day of December 2010, at Sacramento, California.

/s/

James N. Goldstene
Executive Officer

Attachment