AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO

REPEAL OF DISTRICT RULE 1204 – SURFACING APPLICATIONS FOR SERPENTINE MATERIALS CONTAINING ASBESTOS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE STATEWIDE ASBESTOS AIRBORNE TOXIC CONTROL MEASURE FOR SURFACING APPLICATIONS

WORKSHOP REPORT

A workshop notice was mailed to each company known to have a potential for use of ultramafic, serpentine or asbestos-containing rock. Notices were also mailed to mineral and rock producing companies, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the California Air Resources Board (ARB) and other interested parties.

Currently, surfacing applications of asbestos containing materials are regulated by District Rule 1204 which, when adopted in 1992, was consistent with the statewide Asbestos Airborne Toxic Control Measure for Surfacing Applications (Asbestos Surfacing ATCM). On July 20, 2000, ARB amended the ATCM to further reduce public exposure to asbestos emissions. The District will implement and enforce the amended ATCM without formally adopting it, as allowed by state law and in accordance with the procedure approved by the Air Pollution Control Board on July 25, 1995 (APCB #2).

The workshop to discuss the repeal of Rule 1204 and the amended ATCM implementation was held on July 22, 2002. There were no attendees at the workshop and the District did not receive any public comments. There were also no comments received from ARB or EPA.