

**STANDARDS PRESENTATION  
TO  
CALIFORNIA OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

PROPOSED STATE STANDARD,  
TITLE 8, CHAPTER 4

Amend Section 5155 to read:

§5155. Airborne Contaminants.

(a) Scope and Application.

(1) This section establishes requirements for controlling employee exposure to airborne contaminants and skin contact with those substances which are readily absorbed through the skin and are designated by the "S" notation in Table AC-1 at all places of employment in the state.

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Table AC-1

PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LIMITS FOR CHEMICAL CONTAMINANTS

<i>Chemical Abstracts Registry Number<sup>(a)</sup> Skin<sup>(b)</sup> Name<sup>(c)</sup></i>	<i>PEL<sup>(d)</sup></i>		<i>Ceiling<sup>(g)</sup></i>	<i>STEL<sup>(o)</sup></i>	
	<i>ppm<sup>(e)</sup></i>	<i>mg/M<sup>3(f)</sup></i>		<i>ppm<sup>(e)</sup></i>	<i>mg/M<sup>3(f)</sup></i>
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Wood dust					
All soft and hard woods, except Western red cedar	--	5 <u>2</u>		--	40 <u>5</u>
Wood dust, Western red cedar	--	2.5 <u>0.5</u>			
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NOTE: Authority cited: Section 142.3, Labor Code. Reference: Sections 142.3 and 144.6, Labor Code.