CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT

SAFE DRINKING WATER AND TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1986 PROPOSITION 65

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND EXTENSION OF THE COMMENT PERIOD

TITLE 27, CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE 6 SHORT-FORM WARNINGS

February 19, 2021

On January 8, 2021, the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) proposed amendments to certain sections of the regulations for safe harbor warnings. Specifically, the proposed amendments would modify the content and methods for providing short-form warnings. The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking for the proposed amendments was published in the California Regulatory Notice Register on January 8, 2021 (*Z-2020-1229-01*), and initiated a 60-day public comment period. OEHHA has received a request from The Gorilla Glue Company to hold a public hearing on the proposed amendments.

OEHHA has scheduled a public hearing on March 11, 2021, at 10:00 a,m. In accordance with Governor Newsom's Executive Orders N-29-20 and N-33-20 as well as recommendations from the California Department of Public Health, the hearing will not have a physical location. The hearing will be conducted remotely. Information concerning how to participate in the hearing will be posted on our website prior to the hearing. The public comment period for this regulatory action is being extended to March 29, 2021, to accommodate the hearing.

If you have special accommodation or language needs, please contact Monet Vela by telephone at (916) 323-2517 or <u>by email</u> at <u>monet.vela@oehha.ca.gov</u> by March 23, 2021. TTY/TDD/Speech-to-Speech users may dial 7-1-1 for the California Relay Service.

Because of limited in-office staffing during the COVID-19 emergency, OEHHA strongly recommends that written comments be submitted electronically through our website at OEHHA's Public Comments Webpage at https://oehha.ca.gov/comments. Comments submitted in paper form may still be mailed, but delays may occur if staff are unable to

¹ Title 27, California Code of Regulations, Section 25601, Safe Harbor Clear and Reasonable Warnings – Method and Content, Section 25602, Consumer Product Exposure Warnings – Methods of Transmission, Section 25603, Consumer Product Exposure Warnings – Content, and Section 25607.1 Food Exposure Warnings – Methods of Transmission.

access them in a timely manner.

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