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STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENT BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO 20.2.91 NMAC – New Motor Vehicle Emission Standards

No. EIB 23 - 56(R)

PETITION FOR REGULATORY CHANGE TO AMEND NEW MOTOR VEHICLE EMISSION STANDARDS

The New Mexico Environment Department ("Department"), pursuant to 20.1.1 NMAC, *Rulemaking Procedures*, hereby petitions the Environmental Improvement Board ("Board") to adopt the proposed amendments to 20.2.91 NMAC, *New Motor Vehicle Emission Standards*. A Statement of Reasons is included as <u>Attachment 1</u> to this Petition and the text of the regulation is included as both a redline showing proposed amendments and a clean copy in

Attachment 2.

The proposed amendments conform to California's recently-adopted Advanced Clean Cars – II regulation (ACT – II) and also incorporate that state's Advanced Clean Trucks (ACT) and Low Oxides of Nitrogen (Low NOx) rules.

The Department requests that the Board consider this petition during its July 2023 meeting and schedule a hearing with beginning in Early November of 2023. The Department anticipates that a hearing in this matter would take approximately two days with an additional day for deliberation by the board.

NMED PETITION TO AMEND 20.2.91 NMAC

Respectfully submitted,

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