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TO: Interested Parties

FROM: Brett Sherry, Program Manager

Toxic Free Kids Program

RE: Notice of Proposed Rulemaking – OAR 333-016-2035 Exhibit A -

"Amendment of Practical Quantification Limits for High Priority Chemicals

of Concern for Children's Health"

The Oregon Health Authority (Authority), Public Health Division, is proposing to amend Exhibit A referenced in OAR 333-016-2035 pertaining to practical quantification limits (PQLs) for high priority chemicals of concern for children's health (HPCCCH) used in children's products. The Authority proposes to add PQLs to Exhibit A that correspond to the five HPCCCH added to OAR 333-016-2020 in a permanent rulemaking filed with the Secretary of State and Legislative Counsel on September 11, 2018 and effective January 1, 2019 (PH 252-2018). In addition, the Authority proposes to remove PQLs for the three HPCCCH that were delisted in the permanent rulemaking referenced above.

You are invited to review and comment on the proposed changes. Only written comments will be accepted. Please file written comments before 5:00 p.m. on November 23, 2018 by submitting them to the Public Health Division Rules Coordinator at the following address:

OHA, Public Health Division Brittany Hall, Administrative Rules Coordinator 800 NE Oregon Street, Suite 930 Portland, Oregon 97232

E-mail comments to: publichealth.rules@state.or.us You may also send comments by fax to (971) 673-1299.

Final rules will be filed after consideration of all comments.

For more details, please see the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, Statement of Need and Fiscal Impact, and the full text of the proposed rules, including Exhibit A, at the following website: http://www.healthoregon.org/toxicfreekids. These are found on the Rules and Implementation page under Phase 2.1.

If you have questions or would like a paper copy of these rule changes, please contact Justin Waltz at 971-673-1217 or justin.waltz@state.or.us. Thank you for your continued support.