

# Air Quality Technical Advisory Committee

to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection

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Department of Environmental Protection  
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Re: Flat wood paneling surface coating processes final-form rulemaking

Dear Secretary Hanger:

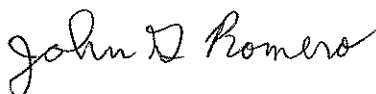
On June 17, 2010, the Air Quality Technical Advisory Committee (Committee) discussed the final-form amendments to 25 *Pa. Code* Chapters 121 and 129 (relating to general provisions; and standards for sources) for flat wood paneling surface coating processes. The proposed rulemaking was published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* on October 17, 2009 (39 *Pa.B* 6061).

The final-form rulemaking will add new terms and definitions under § 121.1 (relating to definitions) and add § 129.52c (relating to control of VOC emissions from flat wood paneling surface coating processes). The final-form rulemaking will also revise § 129.51 and § 129.66.

The final-form rulemaking will establish emission limits and work practice standards for these processes consistent with the volatile organic compound emissions control recommendations of the 2006 control techniques guidelines issued by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to meet the Clean Air Act "reasonably available control measures" requirement for ozone nonattainment areas.

The Committee voted 11-0 to concur with the Department's recommendation to present the final-form rulemaking amendments to the Environmental Quality Board for consideration as a final-form regulation.

Sincerely,



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Vice Chair