

interpretation of this definition that has been given since the inception of the SB 14 program.

**Section 67100.1(d):** This section is eliminated since the two referenced sections were eliminated through statute (SB 1222, 1995). Its elimination, together with the additions to section 67100.1 discussed below, necessitates re-lettering many of the definitions in this section; (b) through (o).

**Section 67100.1(f):** This is a new section that defines what "laboratory" means for the purposes of SB 14. This defines a laboratory as a facility that uses small quantities of chemicals for a non-production basis. The Department is proposing to exempt waste streams generated at research laboratories involved in non-production scale research activities. Through this exemption, these facilities would not be required to prepare SB 14 source reduction documents. (Note: Proposed sections 67100.1(f), (g) and (h) are taken from CAL/OSHA, Title 8, section 5191, of the California Code of Regulations. However, not all of section 5191 was used to define the proposed laboratory scale research wastes exemption).

**Section 67100.1(g):** This is a new section that defines what "laboratory scale" means. This section states that laboratory scale excludes the production of commercial quantities of material. In general, laboratories that conduct research to prepare for full scale manufacturing, routinely generate hazardous waste from repetitive ongoing processes. Laboratories routinely generating hazardous waste resulting from ongoing processes and operations are required to prepare source reduction documents. Laboratory scale research activities do not routinely generate these types of waste streams and are the focus of these regulations.

**Section 67100.1(h):** This is a new section, replacing the below mentioned 67100.1(i), that defines what "laboratory use of hazardous chemicals" means. This section ties together the definitions in sections 67100.1(f) and (g).

**Section 67100.1(i):** This section is eliminated due to the passage of AB 1089. The Progress Report requirement has been replaced with a "Summary Progress Report." The requirements for the Summary Progress Report are found in section 67100.9 of this package.

**Section 67100.1(i):** This is a new section that defines "motor vehicle fluids" to replace the existing SB 14 "automotive fluids" definition. This clarifies the interpretation that fluids essential for the operation of all types of vehicles (not only automobiles) are exempt from source reduction reporting and planning requirements. This is consistent with the interpretation the Department has given to industry since the beginning of the SB 14 program over seven years ago. The current regulation exempts "automotive fluids" and filters from SB 14 planning activities. The reason for this exemption is that there is little or no source reduction that can be