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DIVISION 45. HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE RESPONSE [78000 - 81050] (Division 45 added by Stats. 2022, Ch. 257, Sec. 2.) PART 2. HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCOUNT [78000 - 81050] (Part 2 added by Stats. 2022, Ch. 257, Sec. 2.) CHAPTER 6. Site-Specific Rules Related to Cleanup [79450 - 79495] (Chapter 6 added by Stats. 2022, Ch. 257,

Sec. 2.)

ARTICLE 2. Santa Susana Field Laboratory [79465-79465.] (Article 2 added by Stats. 2022, Ch. 257, Sec. 2.)

- 79465. (a) Notwithstanding paragraph (1) of subdivision (b) of Section 25187 of the Health and Safety Code, the department may use any legal remedies available pursuant to this part or Chapter 6.5 (commencing with Section 25100) of Division 20 to compel a responsible party or parties to take or pay for appropriate removal or remedial action necessary to protect the public health and safety and the environment at the Santa Susana Field Laboratory site in Ventura County.
- (b) A response action taken or approved at the Santa Susana Field Laboratory site shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.
- (c) A response action taken or approved pursuant to this chapter for the Santa Susana Field Laboratory site shall be based upon, and be no less stringent than, the provisions of Section 25356.1.5. In calculating the risk, the cumulative risk from radiological and chemical contaminants at the site shall be summed, and the land use assumption shall be either suburban residential or rural residential (agricultural), whichever produces the lower permissible residual concentration for each contaminant. In the case of radioactive contamination, the department shall use as its risk range point of departure the concentrations in the Preliminary Remediation Goals issued by the Superfund Office of the United States Environmental Protection Agency in effect as of January 1, 2007.
- (d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law regarding transfers of land, no person or entity shall sell, lease, sublease, or otherwise transfer land presently, or formerly occupied by the Santa Susana Field Laboratory, except as provided in subdivision (e).
- (e) As a condition for a sale, lease, sublease, or transfer of land presently or formerly occupied by the Santa Susana Field Laboratory, the Director of the Department of Toxic Substances Control or his or her designee shall certify that the land has undergone complete remediation pursuant to the most protective standards in subdivisions (a) to (c), inclusive.

(Added by Stats. 2022, Ch. 257, Sec. 2. (AB 2293) Effective January 1, 2023. Operative January 1, 2024, pursuant to Sec. 4 of Stats. 2022, Ch. 257.)