

VENTURA COUNTY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

**RULE 153 - HEALTH ADVISORY EPISODE ACTIONS**

*(Adopted 9/17/91)*

The Air Pollution Control Officer shall declare a Health Advisory Episode whenever the Health Advisory Episode criteria specified in Rule 151 are attained or predicted. Upon declaration of a Health Advisory Episode the Air Pollution Control Officer shall:

- A. Notify school officials that the California Air Pollution Emergency Plan requires the District to advise them that sustained rigorous outdoor exercise lasting longer than one hour by students must be discontinued.
- B. Announce the occurrence or prediction of a Health Advisory Episode using the procedures established pursuant to Rule 152. The announcement shall include:
  1. Health warnings appropriate for a Health Advisory Episode in accordance with the California Air Pollution Emergency Plan.
  2. The specific ozone level predicted or reached.
  3. The predicted duration of the episode including the predicted time of episode termination. If the ozone concentration persists or is predicted to persist at episode levels past the originally predicted termination time, the Air Pollution Control Officer shall re-declare the episode using the procedures in Rule 152.
  4. The receptor areas currently affected or predicted to be affected.