

STATEMENT IN LIEU OF A
RURAL AREA FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS

A Rural Area Flexibility Analysis is not being submitted with this rule because it will not impose any adverse impact on rural areas or any reporting, recordkeeping, or other compliance requirements on public or private entities in rural areas. The rule does not distinguish between regulated parties located in different geographical areas. The rule will merely set the dates for the 2002 - 2003 Amnesty Program. The program was established by Part R of Chapter 85 of the Laws of 2002.