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Subject: New Analysis Examines Blood Levels Near Exide

Dear Advisory Group Member:

We wanted to let you know about an announcement the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) made today regarding blood lead levels in children near the former Exide Technologies battery recycling facility in Vernon. .

A California Department of Public Health (CDPH) analysis has found blood lead levels in children near the former Exide Technologies battery recycling facility in Vernon are higher than for those who live further from the facility, but that the age of housing in the area appears to play a significant role. The analysis, conducted by CDPH at the request of the California Environmental Protection Agency and the DTSC, also showed that children under age six living in the area near the Exide facility were more likely to have higher blood lead levels than children in Los Angeles County overall.

Below are links to the news release and the analysis:

News Release

Analysis of Children's Blood Levels in the Area Around Exide Site