Section 22a-174-36 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies is amended by adding subsections (g) and (h) as follows:

(g) Alternative Means of Compliance. Reserved.

(h) Fleet average enforcement.

(1) Notwithstanding the requirement that each vehicle manufacturer meet the fleet average emission standards set forth in Table 36-3, compliance with the specified fleet average shall be waived for a vehicle manufacturer through model year 2000, provided that:

(a) such vehicle manufacturer, who is otherwise subject to Table 36-3, submits an annual report within sixty days subsequent to the end of each model year which documents the average non-methane organic gas exhaust emissions of its fleet delivered for sale into the State of Connecticut; and

(b) if such report demonstrates that the fleet mix has exceeded a fleet average emission standard set forth in Table 36-3, then such manufacturer shall submit an additional report identifying all vehicle models delivered for sale into the State of Connecticut and their corresponding certification standards and the percentage of each model delivered for sale into Connecticut and California in relation to total fleet sales.

(2) Nothing in this subsection shall prevent manufacturers that have earned credits pursuant to note 6 to subdivision (e)(2) of this section from carrying such credits to future model years in accordance with the credit provisions of note 6 to subdivision (e)(2) of this section.