

January 13, 2004

Ms. Deborah Jordan
Director, Air Management Division
United States Environmental Protection Agency
75 Hawthorne Street
San Francisco, CA 94105

ALAMEDA COUNTY
Roberta Cooper
Scott Haggerty
(Chairperson)
Nate Miley
Shelia Young

Dear Ms. Jordan:

The requirements for public and EPA review of the following proposed Major Facility Review Permit have been completed:

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY
Mark DeSaulnier
Mark Ross
Gayle Uilkema
(Secretary)

Facility #	Facility Name	Application #
B1866	Los Medanos Energy Center, LLC	7081

MARIN COUNTY
Harold C. Brown, Jr.

No comments were received from EPA. One comment was received from the public. The District response to that comment is attached for your information.

NAPA COUNTY
Brad Wagenknecht

The following corrections and changes have been made to the permit as a result of proposed changes:

SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY
Willie Brown, Jr.
Chris Daly
Jake McGoldrick

- A definition for "Steam Turbine Cold Start-up" has been added to the Definitions section of condition #16676.
- A definition for "Combustor Tuning Activities" has been added to the Definitions section of condition #16676.
- A definition for "Combustor Tuning Period" has been added to the Definitions section of condition #16676.

SAN MATEO COUNTY
Jerry Hill
Marland Townsend
(Vice-Chairperson)

SANTA CLARA COUNTY
Liz Kniss
Patrick Kwok
Julia Miller
Dena Mossar

- Part 23 of condition #16676 has been modified to allow for increased emission rates from the gas turbines during steam turbine cold start-ups and combustor tuning periods.
- A provision has been added to part 24 of permit condition #16676 to allow the S-1 and S-3 Gas Turbines to operate under increased emission limits for a total of 30 hours per year per turbine to support steam turbine cold start-ups or combustor tuning activities.

SOLANO COUNTY
John F. Silva

SONOMA COUNTY
Tim Smith
Pamela Torliatt

- Part 55 has been added to condition #16676. This requires recordkeeping of gas turbine hours of operation in support of steam turbine cold start-ups and combustor tuning activities.

Jack P. Broadbent
EXECUTIVE OFFICER/APCO

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The District has made a decision to issue the Major Facility Review Permit.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of the final permit. If you have any questions regarding this project, please call Steve A. Hill, Air Quality Engineering Manager, at (415) 749-4673.

Sincerely yours,

Jack P. Broadbent
Executive Officer / APCO

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