

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE INVITING WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENTS

NOTICE is hereby given that the Air Pollution Control Officer of the Bay Area Air Quality Management District will hold a public hearing to receive comment on the proposed renewal of the Major Facility Review Permit and Acid Rain Permit for the following facility:

Application	Facility #	Facility Name	Address, City	Type of Operation
6441, 7181	A0026	Mirant Potrero LLC	1201-A Illinois Street San Francisco, CA 94107	Generation of Electricity

The public hearing will be held on May 6, 2004, at the Potrero Hill Neighborhood House (Theater) at 953 De Haro St. (at Southern Heights Ave.), San Francisco, CA from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. The auditorium is accessible to the handicapped.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Air Pollution Control Officer of the Bay Area Air Quality Management District invites written public comments on the proposed renewal for the above facility. Comments must be received by May 13, 2004.

NOTICE is also given that permit conditions have been changed to improve monitoring, clarity, and enforceability. All changes are clearly shown in "strikeout/underline format."

Mirant Potrero LLC is a power plant that is subject to Title IV of the federal Clean Air Act and the District's Regulation 2, Rule 7 – Acid Rain. Acid Rain facilities are required to obtain operating permits under Title V of the federal Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. Section 7401 et seq.), the Federal Operating Permit Program (40 CFR Part 70) and the District's Regulation 2, Rule 6 - Major Facility Review. The permits summarize all air-related requirements that apply to each source of emissions at each facility. This notice fulfills both Title IV and Title V requirements.

The emissions change since the permit was originally permitted in 1998 is shown below. The estimated emissions have been reduced by:

Pollutant	Quantity
Nitrogen Oxides	482 tons per year
Carbon Monoxide	22 tons per year
Precursor Organic Compounds	5 tons per year
Particulate Matter (PM ₁₀)	18 tons per year
Sulfur Dioxide	194 tons per year

Renewals of Title V and Title IV Permits are also subject to review and approval by US EPA. If US EPA has not objected to a proposed permit and District has not addressed a public comment in a satisfactory manner, the public may petition US EPA, Region IX, Operating Permits Section at 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105, within 60 days after the end of US EPA's review, to reconsider the decision to not object to the permit. The beginning and end of EPA's review period can be found on EPA Region IX's website at: <http://www.epa.gov/region09/air/permit/index.html>.

The proposed Major Facility Review/Acid Rain permit, application, and evaluation report/statement of basis are available for public inspection at the San Francisco Public Library, 100 Larkin Street, and 4075 3rd. Street, San Francisco, at the District Headquarters, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA, in the Engineering Division, 3rd Floor. For an appointment, please call May Leung at (415) 749-4729. The permit and evaluation report/statement of basis are also available on the District's webpage at the following address:

<http://www.baaqmd.gov/pmt/t5/t5publicnotices/t5publicnotices.asp>. Written comments should be directed to Donald Van Buren, at Bay Area Air Quality Management District, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA 94109 or by email to dvanburen@baaqmd.gov. Any request for information should be directed to Brenda Cabral at (415) 749-4746.

Dated at San Francisco, the 25th day of March, 2004.

Signed by Peter Hess for Jack P. Broadbent

Jack P. Broadbent

Executive Officer/Air Pollution Control Officer

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