

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

Notice of Public Comment Period
Proposed Issuance of a Construction Permit
Electro-Motive Diesel in McCook

Electro-Motive Diesel (EMD) has applied to the Illinois EPA, Bureau of Air for a construction permit for two new test cells at its facility located at 9301 West 55th Street in McCook. EMD operate test cells to evaluate the operation of the reciprocating engines that it develops and manufactures at this facility. The new test cells will replace two existing test cells. As a result, the net increase in emissions will not be significant and the project will not be a major modification for purposes of the state rules for Major Stationary Sources Construction and Modification (MSSCAM), 35 IAC Part 203, or the federal rules for Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD), 40 CFR 52.21.

Based on its review of the application, the Illinois EPA has made a preliminary determination that this project will comply with the applicable air pollution control regulations and has prepared a draft permit for public review.

The Illinois EPA is accepting comments prior to making a final decision on the application for this project. **Comments must be postmarked by midnight December 15, 2012.** If sufficient interest is expressed in this matter, a hearing or other public meeting may be held. Comments, questions and requests for information, should be directed to Brad Frost, Bureau of Air, Illinois EPA, P. O. Box 19506, Springfield, IL 62794-9506, phone 217/782-2113, TDD 217/782-9143.

Persons wanting more information may view the draft permit and project summary at <http://www.epa.gov/reg5oair/permits/ilonline.html> The repositories for these documents and the application are located at the Illinois EPA's offices at 9511 West Harrison in Des Plaines, 847/294-4000 and 1340 N. Ninth St., Springfield, 217/782-7027 (please call ahead to assure that someone will be available to assist you). Copies of the documents will be made available upon request.