

NOTICE INVITING WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENT

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bay Area Air Quality Management District invites written comments on the proposed Major Facility Review Permit for the following Facility:

Application	Facility #	Facility Name	Address, City	Type of Operation
16468	A0031	Dow Chemical Company	901 Loveridge Road Pittsburg, CA 94565	Chemical Manufacturing

Notice is also given that permit conditions have been changed to improve monitoring, clarity, and enforceability, to remove obsolete conditions, and to add throughput limits pursuant to BAAQMD Regulation 2, Rule 2, as amended on May 17, 2000.

The District invites written comment on the above proposed permit. Comments must be received by November 14, 2003. The public may also request a public hearing for this permit.

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 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/region9/air/permit/epsdata.htm>.

The proposed Major Facility Review permit, application, and evaluation report are available for public inspection at the Pittsburg Main Library located at 80 Power Ave., Pittsburg, CA, and at the District Headquarters, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA, in the Permit Services Division, 3rd Floor. For an appointment, please call May Leung at (415) 749-4729.

The proposed revised permit and evaluation report 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 Tamiko D. Endow, at Bay Area Air Quality Management District, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA 94109 or by email to tendow@baaqmd.gov. Any request for information or for a public hearing should be directed to Bhagavan R. Krishnaswamy at (415) 749-4939.

Dated at San Francisco, the 10th day of October, 2003.

Signed by Gary Kendall for William C. Norton
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