



# South Coast Air Quality Management District

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## NOTICE OF PROPOSED REVISION TO TITLE V PERMIT

This notice is to inform you that the South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) has received application(s) for the permit revision described below and intends to issue a revised Title V permit. The AQMD is the air pollution control agency for all of Orange County and portions of Los Angeles, Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. Anyone wishing to operate, install or modify equipment that could be a source of air pollution within this region must first obtain permits from the AQMD. For certain projects, such as this one, Rule 3006 (Title V) requires publication of a public notice prior to the issuance of a permit.

The AQMD has evaluated the permit applications for the following equipment and determined that the equipment will meet all applicable air quality requirements of our Rules and Regulations.

**APPLICANT:** **Paramount Petroleum Corp**  
**FACILITY ID NO.:** **800183**  
**FACILITY LOCATION:** **14700-08 Downey Ave, Paramount CA 90732**  
**FACILITY CONTACT:** **June Christman, Director of Environmental Affairs**  
**14700 Downey Ave, Paramount CA 90732**

The facility is a petroleum refinery which processes crude oil into products such as gasoline, diesel, jet fuel and other petroleum related products. The project consists of the installation and operation of one new, 642 brake horsepower, diesel-fueled, internal combustion engine driving an emergency generator at the refinery. This facility will use the best available technology for controlling air pollution. Our calculations show that, based on a 30-day average, a daily maximum emissions of 0.59 pounds of Nitrogen Oxides, 0.50 pounds of Carbon Monoxide, 0.02 pounds of Volatile Organic Compounds, 0.03 pounds of Sulfur Oxides and 0.02 pounds of Particulate Matter may be emitted from the engine.

As required by Title V of the federal Clean Air Act, the AQMD will revise the existing Title V permit of this facility to reflect the installation of the equipment at this facility. The revised Title V permit will include all of the emission limits and operating conditions. The facility is required to certify compliance with the Title V permit in addition to recordkeeping and mandatory reporting of any violations of the permit conditions. A Title V permit is enforceable by the AQMD, by the federal government, and by citizens.

The air quality analysis of this project and the proposed permit are available for public review during normal business hours at the AQMD, 21865 Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, CA. The proposed permit can also be viewed at <http://www.aqmd.gov/webappl/PublicNotices/Search.aspx> by entering the facility's ID number. Information regarding the facility's compliance history submitted to the AQMD pursuant to California Health & Safety Code Section 42336, or otherwise known to the AQMD based on credible information, is also available from the AQMD for public review.

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Anyone wishing to comment on the proposed issuance of the revised permit should submit their comments in writing to the AQMD by **December 24, 2009** at:

South Coast Air Quality Management District  
Engineering and Compliance  
21865 Copley Drive  
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Attention: Jay Chen, Senior Engineering Manager

For additional information or to review the supporting documents, please contact Ms. Cynthia Carter at (909) 396-2431, or [ccarter@aqmd.gov](mailto:ccarter@aqmd.gov).

The public may request the AQMD to conduct a public hearing on the proposed Title V permit by submitting a Hearing Request Form (Form 500-G) to Mr. Jay Chen at the above AQMD address. The AQMD will hold a public hearing if there is evidence that the proposed Title V permit is incorrect or inadequate to ensure compliance with regulatory requirements, and that a public hearing will likely provide additional information that will affect the drafting and/or issuance of the permit. Public hearing request forms and the schedule of public hearings may be obtained from the AQMD by calling the Title V hotline at (909) 396-3013 or downloading from the Internet at <http://www.aqmd.gov/titlev>. The public must submit hearing requests to the AQMD by **December 9, 2009**, and must send a copy of the hearing request by first class mail to the facility contact person listed above.