

March 4, 2010

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

Dear Ms. Jordan:

The District is issuing the initial Major Facility Review permit for the following facility:

ALAMEDA COUNTY

Tom Bates
(Vice-Chairperson)
Scott Haggerty
Jennifer Hosterman
Nate Miley

Facility #	Facility Name	Address, City	Type of Operation
B7419	Air Liquide Large Industries, U.S., LP	1391 San Pablo Ave Rodeo, CA 94572	Hydrogen Manufacture

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

John Gioia
(Secretary)
David Hudson
Mark Ross
Gayle B. Uilkema

The facility consists of a new hydrogen plant, furnace, and hydrogen flare. The pre-construction review application was 13678. This hydrogen plant is a support facility for the ConocoPhillips Refinery.

This permit was proposed for public comment on April 15, 2009. The notice was published in the West Contra Costa Times. The public comment period ended on May 25, 2009.

MARIN COUNTY

Harold C. Brown, Jr.

The District received comments from EPA. No comments were received from ARB or the public. A response to EPA comments has been prepared and is enclosed as Enclosure 1.

SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY

Chris Daly
Eric Mar
Gavin Newsom

Some changes to the permit were made based on EPA's comments. The District has also made minor corrections to the permit, which are considered to be administrative amendments. A list of the changes is enclosed as Enclosure 2.

SAN MATEO COUNTY

Carol Klatt
Carole Groom

The final permit can be viewed or downloaded on the District website at <http://www.baaqmd.gov/Divisions/Engineering/Title-V-Permit-Programs/Title-V-Permits.aspx>. We will also send the permit to you via the Electronic Permit Submittal System. If you have any questions regarding this project, please call Barry Young, Air Quality Engineering Manager, at (415) 749-4721, fax (415) 749-5030.

SANTA CLARA COUNTY

Susan Garner
Ash Kalra
Liz Kniss
Ken Yeager

Sincerely,

Signed by Jeff McKay for Jack P. Broadbent
Jack P. Broadbent
Executive Officer/Air Pollution Control Officer

SOLANO COUNTY

James Spering

SONOMA COUNTY

Shirlee Zane
Pamela Torliatt

Enclosures

Jack P. Broadbent
EXECUTIVE OFFICER/APCO

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