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Re: Plant #591 Application 1209, Minor Modification of Title V Permit

Dear Ms. Zimpfer:

This is to advise you that the Bay Area Air Quality Management District has made minor modifications to the Major Facility Review Permit for East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD – plant 591).

These changes are made according to permit applications 1068, 1209, and 27693. Applications 1209 and 27693 was for the installation of new gravity belt thickeners (S-171, S-172, and S-173) and AN #1068 was to replace the headworks scrubber A-7 with new scrubbers A-461 and A-462. Part of the new GBT applications was the archiving of a portion of source S-170 and the shutdown of source S-181.

New conditions for these sources include Condition #17335 (for S-110 headworks), Condition 16810 (for sources S-171 and S-172) and Condition #17399 (S-173). All of these conditions and requirements have been built into the appropriate sections in the Title V permit.

None of the above modifications result in any emissions increase or in any sort of process throughput increase. The modifications were necessary for maintenance or process improvement reasons. As such all of these actions were deemed to constitute minor permit modifications.

Source S-182, Thermal Conditioner has also been removed from the source list.

A copy of the modified Major Facility Review Permit is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions on this matter, please call **Randy Frazier, Air Quality Engineer II at (415) 749-4672.**

Very truly yours,

Ellen Garvey
Executive Officer
Air Pollution Control Officer

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