



BAY AREA
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DISTRICT

PUBLIC NOTICE

May 30, 2012

TO: Parents or guardians of children enrolled at the following school(s):

**San Francisco Friends School
International High School - French American International School
Chinese American International School
Spectrum Center**

All residential and business neighbors located within 1,000 feet of the proposed new source of air pollution listed below

FROM: Bay Area Air Quality Management District

RE: Permit Application 24138 for the following source of air pollution:

**Emergency Standby Generator Set – Diesel Powered Engine
Swords to Plowshares
150 Otis Street
San Francisco, CA 94103**

The Bay Area Air Quality Management District (the “District”) is a local agency that regulates stationary sources of air pollution such as factories, industrial sites, and gasoline stations.

Whenever we receive a permit application for a new or modified source(s) of toxic air contaminants located within 1,000 feet of a school site, State law requires that we notify the public. To comply with this requirement, we distribute or mail a Public Notice to the parents or guardians of students enrolled at schools located within ¼ mile, and all residents and businesses located within 1,000 feet, of the proposed source(s).

You are receiving this Public Notice because a permit application has been filed with the District for the above referenced source of air pollution. A description of the proposed project follows:

Swords to Plowshares is applying for an Authority to Construct and/or Permit to Operate an Emergency Standby Generator Set-Diesel Engine that will be used for providing electrical or mechanical work during emergencies, and will be periodically run for maintenance, reliability testing, and/or emissions testing.

If you are interested in getting more information on the District's evaluation of this proposed project, you may request copies of the applicable staff report(s) by calling the District at the telephone number listed at the end of this notice. This information also can be viewed or downloaded from the District website at:

<http://www.baaqmd.gov/Divisions/Engineering/Public-Notices-on-Permits.aspx>

There is a 30-day period for public response to this proposal. If you wish to comment on the proposed project, you may do so in writing or by e-mail. Alternatively, you may call and leave a telephone message up to one minute in length. Please leave your name and telephone number so that a District staff member may respond to your message.

Please use the following contact information if you would like to comment on the proposed project:

Mailing address: Public Notice Response (Application #24138)
 BAAQMD
 Engineering Division
 939 Ellis Street
 San Francisco, CA 94109
 Attn: Douglas Hall

E-mail address: dhall@baaqmd.gov

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The public comment period for this project ends on **June 28, 2012.**