

May 17, 2007

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

Dear Ms. Jordan:

The requirements for public and EPA review of the following proposed reopening to a Major Facility Review Permit pursuant to Application 12430 have been completed:

ALAMEDA COUNTY

Tom Bates
Scott Haggerty
Janet Lockhart
Nate Miley

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

John Gioia
Mark Ross
(Chair)
Michael Shimansky
Gayle B. Uilkema

MARIN COUNTY

Harold C. Brown, Jr.

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Brad Wagenknecht

SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY

Chris Daly
Jake McGoldrick
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SAN MATEO COUNTY

Jerry Hill
(Vice-Chair)
Carol Klatt

SANTA CLARA COUNTY

Erin Garner
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Liz Kniss
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SOLANO COUNTY

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SONOMA COUNTY

Tim Smith
Pamela Torliatt
(Secretary)

Jack P. Broadbent
**EXECUTIVE
OFFICER/APCO**

Facility #	Facility Name	Address, City	Type of Operation
A0011	Shell Martinez Refinery, Shell Oil Products, US	3485 Pacheco Blvd. Martinez, CA 94553	Petroleum Refinery

This reopening of the Title V permit addresses permit deficiencies identified by the EPA on October 8, 2004. The reopening also incorporates changes in applicable requirements authorized in Authorities to Construct, and addresses issues raised in the refinery's appeals and comments. The Authorities to Construct are the following: 3930, 4106, 4192, 4688, 4695, 6745, 9504, 10053, 11157, 12473, 12732, 13078, 13086, 13410, and 14224. The following Title V applications are associated with the above Authorities to Construct and are also being finalized in this action: 9699, 11158, 12731, and 13085.

The District sent a formal notice of reopening pursuant to BAAQMD Regulation 2-6-415 on December 16, 2004. The regulation requires at least 30 days' notice for any reopening.

The public notice was published on April 21, 2005. The public notice period for Application 12430 ended on May 24, 2005. Comments were received from the facility.

The reopening was proposed to EPA on December 11, 2006. The EPA review period ended on January 25, 2007. EPA did not comment on the proposal.

The District is responding to the facility's Comment #1. A response has not been prepared to Comments #2-#17 because they were not included in this action when the public notice for this reopening was published. Responses will be handled in subsequent revisions. A copy of the comments and the response is attached.

The District has decided to issue the revised permit. The final permit can be viewed and/or downloaded on the BAAQMD website at http://www.baaqmd.gov/pmt/title_v/public_notices.htm. We will also send the final permit via the Electronic Permit Submittal System. If you have any questions regarding this permit, please call Barry Young, Air Quality Engineering Manager, at: (415) 749-4721.

Sincerely,

Signed by Jack P. Broadbent

Jack P. Broadbent

Executive Officer/Air Pollution Control Officer

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Enclosures

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