

February 24, 2004

Valero Benicia Asphalt Plant

3001 Park Road
Benicia, CA 90748-1257

Attention: Mr. John U. Roach, Refinery Manager

Application Number: None
Plant Number: A0901
Equipment Location:
Same as above

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Dear Mr. Roach:

The District is proposing to reopen the Major Facility Review permit for your facility for the following purposes: to finalize monitoring for Regulation 9, Rule 10 limits, to incorporate authorities to construct that were not included in the permit issued on December 1, 2003, and to incorporate other corrections.

The District sent the formal notice of reopening pursuant to BAAQMD Regulation 2-6-415 on December 15, 2003. The regulation requires at least 30 days' notice for any reopening.

The District is inviting public comment on the changes to proposed permit. The District is also inviting comments on changes made to the draft permit published on July 3, 2003, as reflected in the final permit issued on December 1, 2003. The notice inviting written public comment will be published in the Benicia Herald. The final date for comments is March 31, 2004. This permit will be sent to EPA for review after the public comment period and any response to public comments.

Enclosed are copies of the proposed permit and the evaluation report/statement of basis. If you have any questions regarding this project, please call Brenda Cabral, Air Quality Engineer, at (415) 749-4686, fax (415) 749-5030.

Sincerely,

Jack P. Broadbent
Executive Officer/Air Pollution Control Officer

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Enclosures

Cc: Clark Hopper, Eric Hengst, Sam Hammonds, Valero Benicia Asphalt

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