

## NOTICE INVITING WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENTS

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Executive Officer/Air Pollution Control Officer of the Bay Area Air Quality Management District invites interested persons to submit written public comments on the proposed issuance of the Major Facility Review Permit for the following facility:

Application	Facility #	Facility Name	Address, City	Type of Operation
2805	B2183	Metcalf Energy Center, LLC	1 Blanchard Road San Jose, CA 95013	Generation of Electricity

Major facilities are required to obtain operating permits under Title V of the 1990 Clean Air Act Amendments, the Federal Operating Permit Program and the District's Regulation 2, Rule 6 - Major Facility Review. Facilities that combust fossil fuels to generate electricity for sale to the grid are required to obtain an Acid Rain Permit pursuant to Title IV of the Clean Air Act. The permits summarize all air-related requirements that apply to each source of emissions at each facility. The Metcalf Energy Center, LLC is a combined-cycle facility that generates electricity by burning natural gas in two gas turbines. The facility began operation in April of 2005.

The Air Pollution Control Officer invites written comment on the above proposed permit renewal. Comments must be received by May 27, 2011. Any interested person may also request a public hearing for this permit.

Major Facility Review Permits are also subject to review and approval by US EPA. If US EPA has not objected to a proposed permit and District has not addressed a public comment in a satisfactory manner, the public may petition US EPA, Region IX, Operating Permits Section at 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105, within 60 days after the end of US EPA's review, to reconsider the decision to not object to the permit. The beginning and end of EPA's review period can be found on the EPA Region IX website at: <http://www.epa.gov/region09/air/permit/index.html>.

The proposed revised Major Facility Review permit, application, and evaluation report are available for public inspection at the District Headquarters, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA, in the Engineering Division, 3rd Floor. For an appointment, please call May Leung at (415) 749-4729. The proposed permit and evaluation report are also available on the District's webpage at the following address: <http://www.baaqmd.gov/Divisions/Engineering/Title-V-Permit-Programs/Title-V-Permits.aspx>. Written comments should be directed to Dennis Jang at the Bay Area Air Quality Management District, 939 Ellis Street, San Francisco, CA 94109 or by email to [djang@baaqmd.gov](mailto:djang@baaqmd.gov). Any request for information or for a public hearing should be directed to Dennis Jang at (415) 749-4707.

Dated at San Francisco, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2011.

**Signed by Jeff McKay for Jack P. Broadbent**

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