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FINAL PERMIT DECISION FOR THE BECKMAN COULTER, INC. HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY, 4300 HARBOR BOULEVARD, FULLERTON, CALIFORNIA, EPA ID NUMBER CAD 008 254 708

The California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has made its decision to issue the final Hazardous Waste Facility (HWF) Permit for Beckman Coulter, Inc., Fullerton, California. The final Permit incorporates changes to the draft Permit that was circulated for public comment. Changes from the draft to the final Permit resulted primarily from comments received on the draft Permit and internal review by DTSC staff. DTSC prepared a response to comments document and placed it in the information depository.

DTSC also issued a Negative Declaration for this permit renewal to comply with the California Environmental Quality Act.

In accordance with title 22, California Code of Regulations (CCR), section 66270.42(c), DTSC sent a notice of the draft HWF Permit to all persons on the facility mailing list and appropriate units of State and local government. The notification was also published in the Orange County Register on April 21, 2006, and a radio announcement aired on May 5, 2006 on KNX-AM in Los Angeles.

The public comment period for the draft HWF Permit was from April 21, 2006 to June 6, 2006. A Public Hearing was conducted on May 23, 2006 at the Sonora High School Little Theater in La Habra to receive public comments on the draft HWF Permit. DTSC received written comments concerning the proposed draft HWF Permit.

A final Permit package containing all relevant documents will be available for review from June 27, 2006 to July 27, 2006 at the information repository located at:

La Habra Library
221 East La Habra Blvd.
La Habra, California 90631

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The full administrative record for this facility will also be available for review at:

Department of Toxic Substances Control
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The final Permit is issued by DTSC in accordance with the CCR, title 22, section 66271.14 and becomes effective on July 28, 2006 unless a petition for review is filed pursuant to CCR, title 22, section 66271.18.

The final Permit incorporates requirements as a result of public comments received on the draft Permit and internal review by DTSC staff.

The final Permit may be appealed in accordance with the CCR, title 22, section 66271.18. Any person who filed comments on the draft Permit or who participated in the public hearing on the draft Permit may petition the DTSC to review any condition of the final Permit decision. Any person who failed to file comments or failed to participate in the public hearing on the draft Permit may petition for administrative review only on the extent of the changes from the draft Permit to the final Permit.

The petition must include a statement of the reasons supporting the request for review, including a demonstration that any issues being raised were raised during the public comment period, or were not reasonably ascertainable at the time of the public comment period. When appropriate, the petition must show that the condition in question is based on: 1) a finding of fact or conclusion of law which is clearly erroneous; or 2) an exercise of discretion or an important policy consideration which DTSC should review.

A petition must be submitted to DTSC requesting a review of the permit decision within a 30 day appeal period beginning on June 27, 2006, and ending July 27, 2006. The Permit becomes effective on July 28, 2006, unless a petition for review is filed. The petition must be sent to:

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Any questions regarding this final Permit should be directed to Allan Plaza, Unit Chief, at (818) 551-2922 or Bill Jeffers at (818) 551-2185.

Sincerely,

Original signed by Jose Kou

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