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TO: Applicants Requesting Storage Extension

FROM: Department of Toxic Substances Control  
Enforcement and Emergency Response Program  
State Oversight and Enforcement Branch

DATE: December 2012

SUBJECT: STORAGE EXTENSION APPLICATION TO THE 90 DAY HAZARDOUS  
WASTE STORAGE LIMIT FOR GENERATORS

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The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) may grant an extension, of up to 30 days, to a generator who cannot meet the 90-day on site hazardous waste storage limit requirement. Pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66262.34(c), "An extension may be granted by the Department if hazardous waste must remain on-site for longer than 90 days due to unforeseen, temporary, and uncontrollable circumstances. An extension of up to 30 days may be granted at the discretion of the Department on a case-by-case basis".

DTSC grants extension for Resource Conservation Recovery Act (RCRA) waste only. Please contact the Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) in your jurisdiction for non-RCRA waste. For non-RCRA and RCRA exempt wastes, **one**-90-day extension is automatically granted if all of the conditions in title 22, California Code of Regulations, section 66232.35 (a)(1) are met.

The procedure adopted by DTSC in granting such extension is as follows:

- A. The generator who cannot meet the 90-day on-site hazardous waste storage limit requirement must submit a Storage Extension Application to DTSC.
  1. The application must include an original signature.  
(Faxed copies are not sufficient)
  2. The application must include information with the appropriate level of detail.

3. The application must be received by DTSC prior to the 90-day accumulation time limit expiring.
- B. DTSC reviews the request based on the information in the application. Based on this information, the request may be approved or denied.
1. If the request is approved, an appropriate expiration date will be given. The hazardous wastes must be removed from the facility within the extension time limit given.
  2. If the request is denied, DTSC will explain the reason for the denial. In most cases, denials are automatically given to applications submitted after the 90-day storage limit has expired or for incomplete applications. In the event of a denial, the hazardous wastes must still be removed, using appropriate means, from the facility within 90 days.
- C. The processing time for this request is approximately 10 days. The processed application, with DTSC's determination, will be returned to the generator.
- D. An extension of up to 30 days will be granted for a given hazardous waste, by DTSC.
- E. An extension does not waive any other provision, law or regulation. All requirements for hazardous waste generators still apply.
- F. A legible photocopy of the manifest showing that the waste was removed within the allotted time must be submitted to DTSC at the address listed below within 10 days after the expiration of the storage extension. Failure to submit copies of the manifest within the specified period will result in denial of any further storage extensions for the generator. The application number, found on the first page of the processed and returned application in the box marked "FOR OFFICE USE ONLY", must be printed on the top center of the copy of the manifest.
- G. Applications must be filled out accurately and completely and mailed to the address below. Inaccurate applications may be subject to enforcement action if the information is misrepresented.

If you have any question, please contact Ms. Asha Arora at (510) 540-3874 or by email at [asha.arora@dtsc.ca.gov](mailto:asha.arora@dtsc.ca.gov).

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Enforcement and Emergency Response Program  
State Oversight and Enforcement Branch  
700 Heinz Avenue, Suite 210  
Berkeley, California 94710-2721  
Attn: Ms. Asha Arora

**HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE EXTENSION APPLICATION**

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
APPLICATION #: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED	EXP. DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> DENIED (COMMENTS ON FOLLOWING PAGE)	
_____	_____
PREPARED BY	DATE:

**Please type the following information**

Generator Name	EPA ID #		
Site Address	City	State	Zip Code
Mailing Address	City	State	Zip Code
Name of Applicant	Title	Telephone Number	
		(     )	
Signature of Applicant	Date		

**A. DESCRIPTION OF WASTE:**

(Note: A separate application must be used for wastes with different accumulation start dates)

<u>Waste Component (s)</u>	<u>Waste Code</u>	<u>Concentration</u>	<u>(Gal/Drum)</u> ↓
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____

**B. DESCRIPTION OF STORAGE:**

Drums    Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Tank     Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Bins     Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Others    Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
(specify)

\_\_\_\_\_

**HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE EXTENSION APPLICATION**

**C. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF STORAGE AREA:**  
 (i.e., containment system, berms, warning signs, etc.):

**D. ACCUMULATION START DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E. DATE OF 90-DAY STORAGE LIMIT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**F. NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL DAYS REQUESTED:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 (30-DAY MAXIMUM)

**G. REASON FOR STORAGE EXTENSION:**

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE EXTENSION APPLICATION contact Ms. Asha Arora at (510) 540-3874. The signed APPLICATION should be sent to the following address:

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 Enforcement and Emergency Response Program  
 State Oversight and Enforcement Branch  
 700 Heinz Avenue, Suite 210  
 Berkeley, California 94710 – 2721  
 Attention: Ms. Asha Arora

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Reason for Denial:

- Does not meet California Code of Regulations, title 22, section 66262.34 (c)
- Other (Specify)