

PUBLIC NOTICE OF BRIEFING PERIOD
Petition for Review of the Hazardous Waste Permit Decision Issued to
AMERICAN OIL COMPANY
13736-13740 Saticoy Street
Van Nuys, California 91402

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) received two petitions of appeal concerning a final permit decision (Permit) issued for American Oil Company's facility located at 13736-13740 Saticoy Street, Van Nuys, California. On May 1, 2007, DTSC issued Order Number HWCA 06/07-P001 which granted the following appeal comments:

- Demenno/Kerdoon's (D/K) petition for review of a provision in the draft permit that requires PCB testing on each truck-to-truck transfer of used oil (D/K Appeal Comment 1).
- The Center for Environmental Health's (CEH) petition for review of the permit decision which contends that the permit should be revised to require the sealing of walls in the loading/unloading area within the secondary containment area (CEH Appeal Comment 4).

This Notice announces that decision and establishes a briefing schedule for the purpose of allowing individuals an opportunity to file a written argument concerning the Appeal Comments listed above. DTSC invites any interested person to submit written arguments pertaining to D/K's Appeal Comment 1 and CEH's Appeal Comment 4. Written arguments must be restricted to these issues only and must include a supporting statement of reasons. Interested persons may include a request in their written argument asking DTSC to hold an Informal Appeals Conference. If an Informal Appeals Conference is requested, DTSC will hold an Informal Appeals Conference for the presentation of oral comments by those interested persons who have submitted written arguments following the closure of the briefing schedule. All arguments must be in writing; postmarked by August 6, 2007 and be mailed to:

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To deliver in person or by express service, send to 1001 "I" Street, 11th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. DTSC will not accept arguments that fail to meet the content and filing requirements specified above.

If you would like to speak with a DTSC representative regarding this permit appeal, you may send an e-mail to appeals@dtsc.ca.gov or contact Peggy Harris. If you would like to speak with a DTSC representative regarding the permit or administrative record, you may contact Wei Wei Chui.:

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American Oil Company's petition for review, DTSC's Order Number HWCA 05/06-P001, the final permit decision, and other documents relating to this permit decision are available for your review at the following informational repositories:

Department of Toxic Substances Control
Berkeley Regional Office
700 Heinz Avenue, File Room
Berkeley, CA 94710-2721
Telephone: (510) 540-3800

Panorama City Branch Library
14345 Roscoe Boulevard
Panorama City, CA 91402
Telephone: (818) 894-4071

Van Nuys Branch Library
6250 Sylmar Avenue
Van Nuys, CA 91401-2787
Telephone: (818) 756-8453

For your convenience, significant documents are also posted at
www.dtsc.ca.gov/HazardousWaste/Projects/American_Oil_Company.cfm.

The public briefing period for this permit appeal will commence on June 19, 2007 and end on August 6, 2007. After considering all written arguments submitted during the briefing period, DTSC will issue an order that sets forth the final decision on the above stated appeal comments for American Oil Company. As set forth in Order Number HWCA 06/07 P001, the entire permit is stayed pending completion of the appeal process and issuance of DTSC's final decision on the appealed issues.