



NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Former Baron Blakeslee, Inc
Draft Post Closure Permit
Newark, California



PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: October 15, 2009 to January 18, 2010

What is being proposed? The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites you to comment on a draft Hazardous Waste Facility Post Closure Permit for the former Baron Blakeslee, Inc. Facility, 8333 Enterprise Drive, Newark, California.

DTSC is the state agency responsible for regulating the generation, storage, treatment, and disposal of hazardous waste in California. If approved, the 10-year post-closure permit would allow the closed facility to continue environmental monitoring and maintenance.

As part of the permit process, DTSC has performed a review of the proposed draft post closure permit as required by the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Based on this review, DTSC has determined that the proposed draft permit will not have any significant adverse effects on public health or the environment. DTSC proposes to issue a CEQA Notice of Exemption in connection with this project.

A public comment period began October 15 and ends on January 18, 2010. Written comments must be received or e-mailed by January 18, 2010 and sent to: Mike Eshaghian, DTSC Project Manager, 9211 Oakdale Avenue, Chatsworth, California 91311, MEshaghi@dtsc.ca.gov

Where do I get more information? The post closure permit application, draft permit, and related documents can be viewed at the repository located in the Newark Public Library, 6300 Civic Terrace Ave., Newark. The administrative record on the facility is available by appointment only at the DTSC Regional Records Room, at the Chatsworth address above. Call (818) 717-6522 for appointment. For more information about DTSC, please visit our website at www.dtsc.ca.gov.

For additional information contact: If you have any questions or wish to discuss the permit, please contact Mike Eshaghian, DTSC Project Manager at 818-717-6679; MEshaghi@dtsc.ca.gov or Jeanne Matsumoto, DTSC Public Participation Specialist at 714-484-5338; JMatsumo@dtsc.ca.gov. Members of the media, please contact Claudia Loomis, DTSC Public Information Officer, at 916-255-6578 or CLoomis@dtsc.ca.gov.

Si desea información en español, comuníquese con: Ricardo Gonzalez al (818) 717-6693.