

Public Notice

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances by restoring contaminated resources, enforcing hazardous waste laws, reducing hazardous waste generation, and encouraging the manufacture of chemically safer products.

HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY DRAFT PERMIT RENEWAL FOR KW PLASTICS OF CALIFORNIA FACILITY BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: FEBRUARY 29, 2016 — APRIL 18, 2016

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) invites you to review and comment on the draft Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA)-equivalent Hazardous Waste Facility Permit (Permit) for KW Plastics of California (KW Plastics) located at 1861 Sunnyside Court, Bakersfield, California 93308 (Facility). The Facility is a treatment and storage facility that accepts hazardous waste lead-acid battery casings from third party generators and uses the treated plastics to manufacture plastic paint cans. The battery casings are considered hazardous due to the lead content. The Facility consists of a 40,000-square foot building on approximately 6 acres.

A Permit is a tool that helps DTSC to effectively regulate the hazardous waste management activities at facilities. Permits are developed after DTSC's detailed technical review of permit applications and are intended to ensure that facilities operate in a manner that protects human health, safety, and the environment. DTSC's Sacramento Regional Permitting Office, located at 8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, California 95826, has conducted the technical review of KW Plastic's permit application and prepared the draft Permit.

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT: Under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), DTSC must evaluate whether the Permit may have any significant impacts on human health and the environment. As part of this evaluation pursuant to CEQA, DTSC has prepared an addendum to the previously adopted 2000 Negative Declaration.

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE? DTSC will accept written public comments on the draft Permit during the public comment period **February 29, 2015 to April 18, 2016**. Please submit all comments by **April 18, 2016** to: Hiral Doshi, Project Manager, at 8800 Cal Center Drive or Hiral.Doshi@dtsc.ca.gov.

PUBLIC MEETING/HEARING: Oral or written comments and data may also be submitted at the public hearing on **Tuesday, March 29, 2016 6:00 P.M. – 8 P.M. at Rasmussen Senior Center at 115 East Roberts Lane in Bakersfield, California 93308.**

WHERE DO I GET MORE INFORMATION? The permit renewal application, draft Permit, and related documents can be viewed at the repository located at:

Rathbun Branch Library
200 W. China Grade Loop
Bakersfield, California 93308
(661) 393-6431; Call for hours

DTSC Sacramento Regional File Room
8800 Cal Center Drive
Sacramento, California 95826
(916) 255-3758; Call for appointment

or on DTSC's website at: www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public/hwmp_profile_report.asp?global_id=CAD982435026.

NOTICE TO HEARING IMPAIRED: TTY users may use the California Relay Service @ 711 or 1-800-855-7100. You may also contact the Public Participation Specialist listed at the end of this update.



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