



Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

February 17, 2022

Mr. Robert Suida
Plant Manger
Long Beach Generating Station
Long Beach Generation LLC
2665 Pier S Lane
Long Beach, CA 90802

Dear Mr. Suida:

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRS) AND NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT RENEWAL – LONG BEACH GENERATION LLC, LONG BEACH GENERATING STATION, CALIFORNIA (NPDES NO. CA0001171, CI NO. 5764)

We have completed our review of your application for your permit to discharge waste under the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Program. Pursuant to the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended, and in accordance with the California Water Code, tentative waste discharge requirements have been prepared.

Enclosed are copies of the following:

- 1. Tentative requirements, consisting of:
 - a. Board Order;
 - b. Definitions (Attachment A);
 - c. Location Map (Attachment B);
 - d. Site Layout, Drainage Area & Flow Schematic (Attachment C);
 - e. Standard Provisions (Attachment D);
 - f. Monitoring and Reporting Program (Attachment E);
 - g. Fact Sheet (Attachment F);
 - h. Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan Requirements (Attachment G)
 - i. RPA (Attachment H); and,
 - j. Ammonia RPA (Attachment I)
- 2. Public Notice

In accordance with administrative procedures, the Los Angeles Water Board at a public hearing to be held on **April 14, 2022, at 9:00 A.M.**, via a remote meeting, will consider the enclosed tentative waste discharge requirements, and comments submitted in writing regarding any and all portions thereof. The Board will hear any testimony pertinent to these waste discharge requirements. It is expected that the Board will take action at the hearing; however, as testimony indicates, the Board, at its discretion, may postpone taking action. The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board's website

(http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board info/agenda/index.shtml) approximately one week prior to the meeting.

Written comments regarding these tentative Order must be received at the Los Angeles Water Board office by **5:00 p.m. on March 18, 2021,** in order to be evaluated by Board staff and included in the Board's agenda folder. Comments received after that date will not be considered, absent extraordinary circumstances. Timely submittal of written comments is encouraged to ensure that all comments are accurately and fully included in the administrative record, that Board staff is able to provide timely review, and that Los Angeles Board members have sufficient time to give full consideration to the comments and issues raised. The Los Angeles Water Board chair may exclude from the record written materials received after this date. (See Cal. Code Regs., tit.23 § 648.4)

With respect to the public notices, in accordance with the Federal Clean Water Act, as amended, and the California Code of Regulations, the public notice will be posted on the Los Angeles Water Board's website

(https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/losangeles/board_decisions/tentative_orders/#1).

If you have any further questions, please contact Niels van Eybergen at niels.vaneybergen@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Bronwyn K. Kelly, PG, PMP Industrial Permitting Unit, Supervisor

Enclosures: Tentative NPDES Permit for Long Beach Generation LLC

cc: See Mailing List

Mailing List (via email only)

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