
Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board

July 19, 2023

Jessica Hoffman
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Equilon Enterprises LLC dba Shell Oil Products US
Shell Oil Products US Mormon Island Terminal
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**TRANSMITTAL OF WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS (WDRs) AND
NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT –
EQUILON ENTERPRISES LLC DBA SHELL OIL PRODUCTS US, SHELL OIL
PRODUCTS US MORMON ISLAND TERMINAL WILMINGTON, CALIFORNIA
(NPDES NO. CA0064637, CI NO. 10297)**

Dear Ms. Hoffman:

On April 18, 2023, the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Los Angeles Water Board) transmitted the tentative Waste Discharge Requirements (WDRs) and National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the Shell Oil Products US Mormon Island Terminal. Pursuant to Division 7 of the Water Code, the Los Angeles Water Board at a public hearing held on June 22, 2023, reviewed the tentative requirements, considered all factors in the case, and adopted Order No. R4-2023-0293. Order No. R4-2023-0293 serves as an NPDES permit, and it expires on July 31, 2028. Section 13376 of the Water Code requires that an application/Report of Waste Discharge for a new permit be filed at least 180 days before the expiration date.

You are required to comply with all terms and conditions prescribed in Order No. R4-2023-0293 and implement the Monitoring and Reporting Program (MRP) (Attachment E) on the effective date (August 1, 2023) of Order No. R4-2023-0293. Table E-4 on page E-17 of the MRP provides details regarding the monitoring periods and reporting schedule. Your first monitoring report for the period of July 1 through September 30, 2023, is due by November 15, 2023.

Order No. R4-2023-0293 (pages 12-16 and E-20) requires you to submit the following documents to the Los Angeles Water Board no later than 90 days after its effective date (due by October 30, 2023):

- Initial Investigation Toxicity Reduction Evaluation (TRE) Workplan
- Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)
- Best Management Practices Plan (BMPP)
- Spill Contingency Plan (SCP)

In addition, Order No. R4-2023-0293 (pages 15-16 and E-20) requires you to submit a Climate Change Effects Vulnerability Assessment and Mitigation Plan to the Los Angeles Water Board no later than 12 months after its effective date (due by July 31, 2024).

Please electronically submit Self-Monitoring Reports (SMR's) using the State Water Resource Control Board's California Integrated Water Quality System (CIWQS) Program web site (<http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/ciwqs/index.html>). The CIWQS web site will provide additional information for SMR submittal in the event there is a planned service interruption for electronic submittal. Also, please do not combine other reports with your monitoring reports. Submit each type of report as a separate document and please include a reference to Compliance File CI-10297 and NPDES No. CA0064637, which will ensure that the reports are directed to the appropriate file and staff.

If you have any questions, please contact Randy Ly at: randy.ly@waterboards.ca.gov or (213) 576-6652.

Sincerely,

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Industrial Permitting Unit, Supervisor

Enclosures: Order No. R4-2023-0293 (Permit)

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