

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT**NOTICE OF EXEMPTION**

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From: Department of Toxic Substances Control
Permitting Division
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Project Title: Safety-Kleen of California Inc.-Davis, Standardized Hazardous Waste Permit Class 1* Permit modification

Project Location: 44561 County Road 30-8, Davis, California 95616

County: Yolo

Project Applicant: Brian Culnan, Director – Facility Closures & Corrective Actions, Safety-Kleen of California Inc.

Approval Action Under Consideration by DTSC: Permit Modification

Statutory Authority: California Health and Safety Code, Chapter 6.5

Project Description: The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has approved a Class 1* Permit Modification to the Hazardous Waste Facility (HWF) Permit for Safety-Kleen of California, Inc. Davis Branch. The permit modification will authorize the modification of several closure plan provisions:

- Alteration of removal, characterization, and disposal procedures for concrete containment,
- Removing requirements for waste characterization for stored wastes because all stored wastes will be transported to another permitted facility and be subject to characterization prior to acceptance,
- Revision of wipe sample standards for the metal catwalk and stairs to meet current standards and practices,
- Add soil gas sampling,
- Add detailed methods to sampling plans, and
- Perform administrative updates to the closure plan to reflect the current ownership of the facility.

Specifically, the modifications are intended to allow recycling, reuse, and/or disposal of materials that are determined to not be contaminated with hazardous waste after sampling and to remove inapplicable provisions.

Background: DTSC issued a Series “C” Standardized Hazardous Waste Facility Permit to Evergreen Environmental Services on December 30, 1997 to operate the Davis facility. The Facility is located within a larger 33-acre area of land owned and operated by KC Farms. It occupies about 3,700 square feet of land leased from KC Farms who uses the surrounding land for agricultural purposes. Evergreen submitted a renewal application on December 29, 2006 under the name of Evergreen Oil, Inc. Evergreen was issued a new permit on November 6, 2012. The Facility’s name was changed through a Class 1* permit modification on January 8, 2014 and is now known as “Safety-Kleen of California, Inc. – Davis.”

The Facility’s operations consisted of collecting used oil, waste antifreeze, oily water, and oil-contaminated solid waste from offsite generators (gas stations, oil changers, auto repair shops, etc.). They consolidated the waste on site before shipping them to an authorized hazardous waste treatment or disposal facility. The facility is undergoing closure for the following units: Tank Storage Unit in Containment Area #1 (Unit #1) and Drum Storage Unit in Containment Area #2 (Unit #2) and will no longer be permitted to operate truck-to-truck transfers in the Truck-to-Truck Transfer, Loading, and Unloading Area (Unit #3). Unit #3 closure activities were conducted in November 2017 and included cleaning the concrete transfer area, concrete chip sampling and soil sampling, and were extended for additional testing after not meeting closure standards.

On May 31, 2019, Safety-Kleen notified DTSC of its intention to initiate full closure of the facility with modifications proposed to the closure plan. DTSC provided comments on the proposed modifications and a revised closure plan was transmitted by Safety-Kleen on February 13, 2020. This facility must close in accordance with their approved closure plan. The Class 1* permit modification is required by CCR Title 22 section 66270.42.5(c)(5) for standardized permits to update the closure plan.

Project Activities: The updated closure plan includes specific laboratory methods and sampling locations for soil gas sampling, chip sampling, and wipe sampling to identify and characterize if any contamination is present throughout the facility. The characterization will indicate the specific path that different waste materials from the facility’s demolition may take including disposal at a permitted hazardous waste treatment, disposal, or storage facility; disposal at a non-hazardous landfill; recycling as scrap material; and/or reuse of materials and/or equipment.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Toxic Substances Control

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Safety-Kleen of California, Inc.

Exempt Status: Categorical Exemption: Class 1, Existing Facilities, 14 CCR section 154301

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The permit modification will allow for collection of additional sampling information and to clarify specific methods for sampling, consistent with the previously approved closure plan. Additionally, the modification allows non-hazardous waste to be recycled, reused, or disposed of using non-hazardous waste procedures after testing. The modifications do not substantially expand the closure operations from those previously approved. DTSC has evaluated whether any of the exceptions to the categorical exemptions apply to this project, as described in Public Resources Code Section 21084(c), (d), and (e), and 14 CCR Section 15300.2. DTSC has determined that no exceptions to the categorical exemption apply to this project.

The administrative record for this project is available to the public by appointment at the following location:

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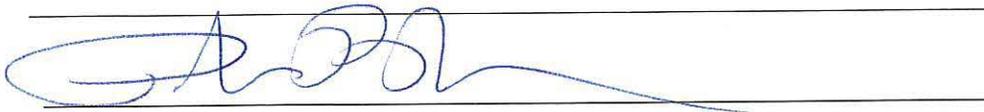
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