

**NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DECISION
FOR THE ISSUANCE OF AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT AND
THE PROPOSED MINOR MODIFICATION OF FEDERALLY
MANDATED OPERATING PERMIT**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District solicits public comment on the proposed issuance of Authority To Construct to Occidental of Elk Hills at Occidental's office complex at the Elk Hills Oil Field, within the SE/4 of Section 11, Township 31S, Range 24E, California. The project consists of Occidental of Elk Hills proposing to install a 755 bhp (intermittent) diesel-fired emergency standby internal combustion (IC) engine powering an electrical generator.

The District's analysis of the legal and factual basis for this proposed action, project #S-1133502, is available for public inspection at http://www.valleyair.org/notices/public_notices_idx.htm and at any District office. For additional information, please contact the District at (661) 392-5500. Written comments on the proposed initial permit must be submitted by November, 12, 2013 to DAVID WARNER, DIRECTOR OF PERMIT SERVICES, SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT, 34946 FLYOVER COURT, BAKERSFIELD, CA 93308.