

San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District
Central REGION HEARING BOARD MEETING

Central Region Office Governing Board Room
1990 E. Gettysburg Ave., Fresno, CA 93726

ACTION SUMMARY MINUTES

Wednesday, February 19, 2014

*Meeting held in the
Central Region Office (Fresno)*

1. Call Meeting to Order

The Chair, Jerry Boren, called the meeting to order at 9:59 a.m.

2. Roll Call

Jerry Boren (Chair) - Engineer	Present
Dr. Lorraine Goodwin, M.D. – Medical	Present
Daniel Hartwig – Public	Present
Gerry Mulligan – Public	Present

Staff Present:

Central Region (Fresno): Ryan Hayashi, Supervising Air Quality Specialist; Clay Bishop, Supervising Air Quality Inspector; Patrick Houlihan, Senior Air Quality Specialist; Jeff Voorhees, Air Quality Specialist; Shannon Moore, Air Quality Specialist; Annette Williamson, Legal Counsel; Carol Flores, Operations and Program Support Supervisor

3. Approve Minutes of January 15, 2014

The Chair asked if there were any comments regarding the Minutes for January 15, 2014. Hearing no comments, the Chair declared the minutes were approved as submitted.

4. Public Hearing

The Chair swore in all those present to testify for all matters.

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
A. C-12-11X2	Extension	Naval Air Station Lemoore 700 Avenger Avenue Lemoore, CA 93246

Petitioners: Kim Rasmussen and Commander Russ Dickison

Patrick Houlihan presented the Staff Report.

NASL has requested further extension of a previously granted variance from the applicable requirements of District Rules 2070.7.0, 2201, and 2520 in addition to applicable conditions of the subject Permits to Operate (PTOs). The requested

variance period would be from March 2, 2014, until July 31, 2014. If granted, the variance would allow the two subject test cells to exceed their daily fuel usage limit until the permits can be modified to increase the daily fuel usage.

Mr. Mulligan asked where the funds from the mitigated charges will be used. Mr. Houlihan explained the monies go toward funding the District grants and incentive programs. Mr. Hayashi added the funds obtained focus on the area where the exceedences occurred.

Ms. Rasmussen had no further comment.

Public Comments: None

Having decided the petition has met the required findings, on motion of Mr. Mulligan and seconded by Dr. Goodwin, unanimously passed, the petitioner was granted an extension of the variance.

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
B. C-14-02S	Short	PPG Industries, Inc. 3333 South Peach Avenue Fresno, CA 93725

Petitioners: Jim Parsons and Ruth Santos

Patrick Houlihan presented the Staff Report.

PPG is requesting a short variance from the requirements of District Rules 2070.7.0, 2201, 2520, 4101, 4201, and 4354 in addition to conditions of the subject PTOs. The requested short variance period would be for a consecutive 14-day period to occur sometime between February 24, 2014, and March 25, 2014, inclusive. If granted, the variance would allow the continued operation of the glass melting furnace and the manufacture of glass with excess emissions and without the use of the CEMS and COMS to monitor and record emission levels while the exhaust stream bypasses the EP and wet scrubber.

Mr. Houlihan also presented photos of the equipment at the facility.

Mr. Boren asked if the penalty amounts incur after the 14-day period. Mr. Houlihan responded affirmatively.

Petitioner had no comments.

Dr. Goodwin asked if the majority of the visual emissions are first observed when starting up. Mr. Parsons responded affirmatively and explained the majority of the opacity will occur at approximately 5:00 p.m.

Mr. Mulligan asked if any complaints were received. Mr. Parsons stated there have not been any complaints.

Public Comments: None

Having decided the petition has met the required findings, on motion of Mr. Hartwig and seconded by Dr. Goodwin, unanimously passed, the petitioner was granted a short variance.

5. Emergency Variance

The Central Region Hearing Board has not heard nor granted any emergency variances since the January 15, 2014, hearing.

6. Public Comments

None

7. Hearing Board Member Comments

None.

8. New Business

None.

9. Next Scheduled Meeting

The next scheduled meeting is March 19, 2014. The meeting will be held in the Central Region Office (Fresno) in the Governing Board room.

10. Adjourn

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:22 a.m.