



SOUTHERN REGION HEARING BOARD MEETING
Southern Region Office Video Teleconference (VTC) Room
2700 "M" Street, Bakersfield, CA 93301
Wednesday, December 12, 2007, 10:00 A.M.

GOVERNING BOARD

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Note: Eight copies of any additional information shall be provided in advance of this meeting, if it is to be considered by the Hearing Board. This information shall be submitted to Ms. Toni Taber, Clerk to the Boards.

AGENDA

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approve Minutes of November 20, 2007
4. Public Hearing:

Docket No. Type Company Name

A. S-07-47M Modification of a Regular Variance **Chevron USA Inc.**
Cymric Oilfield
Western Heavy Oil Stationary Source
McKittrick, CA 93224

5. The Southern Region Hearing Board approved the following emergency variances orders:

A. Docket S-07-72E – Kern River Cogeneration Company

On November 14, 2007, Hearing Board member Ms. Kimm Wolber, RN, COHN-S, approved an emergency variance from November 14, 2007, to December 13, 2007. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2010, 2070, 2201, and 2520, and allowed the continued operation of the subject turbine unit with excess NO_x and CO emissions while performance tests are conducted.

B. Docket S-07-75E - Chevron USA Inc.

On November 8, 2007, Hearing Board member Ms. Kimm Wolber, RN, COHN-S, approved an emergency variance from November 8, 2007, to December 7, 2007. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2010, 2070, 2520, and 4623 and allowed the continued operation of the subject tanks without an operational VRS while the VRS compressor is shut down for repair or replacement.

6. Public Comments:

This time is made available for comments from the public on matters within the Board's jurisdiction that are not on the Agenda. It is requested that no comments be made during this period on items on the Agenda. The public may make comments after each Board Agenda Item during the time allowed for public comment. Additionally, state law prohibits the Hearing Board from acting on matters that are not on this Agenda.

7. Hearing Board Member Comments:

8. New Business:

9. Next Scheduled Meeting: January 9, 2008

10. Adjournment