



# San Joaquin Valley

## AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

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### SOUTHERN REGION HEARING BOARD MEETING

Southern Region Office Video Teleconference (VTC) Room  
34946 Flyover Court, Bakersfield, CA 93308  
Wednesday, January 13, 2010, 10:00 A.M.

The meeting will be held in the Southern Region Office with the Central Region Office included via VTC. The Central Region Office is located at 1990 E. Gettysburg Avenue, Fresno.

Members of the public are advised that all pagers, cellular telephones, and any other communication devices are to be turned off upon entering the Governing Board Room or VTC Rooms, as these devices interfere with the audio equipment.

**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. Angie DeSantiago, Clerk to the Boards.

### AGENDA

1. Call Meeting to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approve Minutes of December 09, 2009
4. Public Hearing:

	<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
A.	S-09-70i	Interim	<b>Occidental of Elk Hills, Inc.</b> Former Crimson Leases Buena Vista Oil Field Taft, CA
B.	S-09-71S	Short	<b>Aera Energy</b> North Midway Sunset and 25 Hill Midway Sunset Oil Field
C.	S-09-72S	Short	<b>Chevron USA, Inc.</b> 29D OCP Midway Sunset Oil Field Taft, CA
D.	S-09-73S	Short	<b>Kern River Cogeneration Company</b> 1600 China Grade Loop Bakersfield, CA 93308
E.	S-09-74S	Short	<b>California Dairies, Inc.</b> 2000 N. Plaza Drive Visalia, CA 93291

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

A. Docket S-09-67E – ExxonMobil Production Company

On December 10, 2009, Hearing Board member, Kimm Wolber, RN, COHN-S, CLNC, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board approved an emergency variance from December 10, 2009 to January 9, 2010. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070 and 4623 and allowed for the storage of VOC containing liquids in tanks without an operating VRS and provided relief from leak criteria on the subject tanks while the tanks are being drained and cleaned.

B. Docket S-09-68E – Kern River Cogeneration Company

On November 23, 2009, Hearing Board chair, Hollis Carlile, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board approved an emergency variance from December 10, 2009 to January 8, 2010. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2010, 2070, 2201, 2520, and 4703 and allowed for the performance testing with excess emissions upon installation of new combustion hardware.

C. Docket S-09-69E – Crimson Resource Management

On December 14, 2009, Hearing Board member, Kimm Wolber, RN, COHN-S, CLNC, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board approved an emergency variance from December 14, 2009 to December 31, 2009. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070, 2201, and 2520 and allowed for the flaring of gas over the permitted limit of 300 Mscf per day.

D. Docket S-09-64E – Crimson Resource Management

On November 23, 2009, Hearing Board member, Kimm Wolber, RN, COHN-S, CLNC, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board approved an emergency variance from December 1, 2009 to December 8, 2009. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2070, 2201, and 2520 and allowed for the flaring of gas over the permitted limit of 300 Mscf per day.

E. Docket S-09-73E – Kern River Cogeneration Company

On December 23, 2009, Hearing Board Chair, Hollis Carlile, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board approved an emergency variance from December 22, 2009 to January 13, 2010. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2010, 2070, 2201, 2520, and 4703 and allowed for the operation of the turbine with excess emissions when called upon to start up and provide electricity to the electrical grid.

F. Docket S-09-75E – South Kern Industrial

On December 31, 2009, Hearing Board chair, Kimm Wolber, RN, COHN-S, CLNC, acting for and on behalf of the Southern Region Hearing Board approved an emergency variance from December 30, 2009 to January 29, 2010. Said variance provided relief from specific requirements of District Rules 2010 and 2201 and allowed for the operation of the mixing building and associated conveyors without venting to the biofilters.

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: February 10, 2010

10. Adjournment