

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

Southern Region Office Video Teleconference (VTC) Room
34946 Flyover Court, Bakersfield, CA 93308

ACTION SUMMARY MINUTES

Wednesday, July 13, 2016

*Meeting held via teleconferencing with the
Central Region Office (Fresno) and the
Southern Region Office (Bakersfield)*

1. Call Meeting to Order

The Chair, William Bland, called the meeting to order at 10:07 a.m.

2. Roll Call

William Bland (Chair) – Public	Present
John Stovall – Attorney	Present
Dr. Dean Haddock – Medical	Present
Nancy Dunn – Public	Present
Daniel Padilla – Engineer	Present

Staff Present:

Southern Region (Bakersfield): Amelia Yuan – Air Quality Supervising Inspector

Central Region (Fresno): Clay Bishop, Supervising Air Quality Specialist; Patrick Houlihan, Senior Air Quality Specialist; Shannon Moore, Air Quality Specialist; Crystal Bussard, Air Quality Specialist; Jessi Fierro, Assistant District Counsel; Carol Flores, Operations and Program Support Supervisor

3. Approval of Consent Calendar Items 9-11

These items are routine in nature and are usually approved by a single vote. Prior to action by the Hearing Board, the public will be given the opportunity to comment on any consent item.

9. Approve Minutes of June 15, 2016

10. Emergency Variance

11. Next Scheduled Meeting

The next scheduled meeting is on August 10, 2016. The meeting will be held in the Southern Region Office (Bakersfield) with the Central Region Office (Fresno) included via VTC.

Public Comments: None

Moved: Stovall
Seconded: Haddock
Ayes: Stovall, Dunn, Haddock, Bland, Padilla
Nays: None

Motion unanimously carried to approve Consent Calendar Items 9-11

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.	S-16-26S	Short	Chevron USA Inc. Station 31 Midway Sunset Oil Field

Petitioners: Kris Rickards

Mr. Houlihan presented the Staff Report.

Chevron has requested a short variance from applicable requirements of District Rules 2070, 2201, and 4623 in addition to the applicable conditions on the subject permits. The requested short variance period would be for a non-consecutive 24-hour period to occur sometime between July 18, 2016, and October 15, 2016, inclusive. If granted, the short variance would allow for the continued storage of VOC containing liquids in the tanks without a functional or operating VRS while Chevron performs the work described above.

The petitioner had no further comments.

Public Comments: None

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

	<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
B.	S-16-27S	Short	Chevron USA Inc. 26C Oil Cleaning Plant Midway Sunset Oil Field

Petitioners: Kris Rickards and Sara Gordon

Ms. Bussard presented the Staff Report.

Chevron has requested a short variance from the applicable requirements of District Rules 2010, 2070, 2201, 2520, 4401, and 4623, in addition to applicable conditions of the subject permits. The requested variance period would be for a non-

consecutive 72-hour period to occur sometime between July 14, 2016, and October 11, 2016, inclusive. If granted, the variance would allow Chevron to continue to store VOC containing liquids in the subject tanks without an operating or functional VRS while Chevron conducts the maintenance. In addition, it will allow wells with closed casing gas vents to produce into tanks that do not have a functional or operating VRS.

The petitioners had no further comments.

Public Comments: None

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

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
C. S-16-28S	Short	Crimson Resource Management Greeley Gas Plant Section 20 T29S R26E Bakersfield, CA 93312

Petitioners: Kristine Boyer

Mr. Moore presented the Staff Report.

Crimson has requested a short variance from the applicable requirements of District Rules 2070, 4701, and 4702 in addition to applicable conditions of the subject permit. The requested variance would be from July 25, 2016, until October 22, 2016. If granted, it would allow the subject engine to postpone its biennial compliance source test.

Mr. Moore reported the following modifications to the Recommendations:

2A. Conditions 10, 14 and 15 of S-3247-2-1

Mr. Bland asked when the crank shaft was discovered to not be in working order. Ms. Boyer explained the equipment was started specifically for the source test as it had not been in production since 2015 and upon start up the crank shaft was found to be not working properly.

Dr. Haddock asked for the location of the Greeley Oil Field. Ms. Boyer explained the Greeley Oil Field is located at Hageman Rd and Nord Ave going northwest up to 7th Standard Rd and Enos Ln.

Mr. Padilla asked if the equipment is actively being repaired. Ms. Boyer responded affirmatively.

Public Comments: None

Having decided the petition had met the required findings, on motion of Mr. Padilla and seconded by Ms. Dunn, unanimously passed, the petitioner was granted a short variance.

<u>Docket No.</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Company Name</u>
D. S-16-29S	Short	California Resources Production Corp Hopkins Lease South Belridge Oil Field

Petitioners: Doug Shaffer

Mr. Houlihan presented the Staff Report.

CRPC has requested a short variance from the applicable requirements of District Rules 2070, 2201, 2520, and 4623, in addition to the applicable conditions of the subject permits. The requested variance would be for a non-consecutive 24-hour period to occur sometime between July 13, 2016, and August 12, 2016, inclusive. If granted, the variance would allow the continued storage of VOC containing liquids in the subject tanks without a functional or operating VRS.

The petitioner had no further comments.

Public Comments: None

Having decided the petition had met the required findings, on motion of Ms. Dunn and seconded by Mr. Padilla, unanimously passed, the petitioner was granted a short variance.

5. Public Comments
None

6. Hearing Board Member Comments
Dr. Haddock reported he will not be available for the August meeting.

7. New Business
None

8. Adjournment
The Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:35 a.m.