

Public Notice

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances by restoring contaminated resources, enforcing hazardous waste laws, reducing hazardous waste generation, and encouraging the manufacture of chemically safe products.

Emergency Permit

For

Salk Institute

10010 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, California 92037

Para información en español por favor comuníquese con Elsa Lopez al número (818) 717-6571

EMERGENCY PERMIT: On July 16, 2018, Salk Institute requested an Emergency Permit from the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) for onsite treatment of an expired chemical at 10010 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, California 92037. The item to be treated is a container of 100 grams of Picric Acid (E1).

The Clean Harbors Environmental Services company has been contracted to conduct this treatment. The chemical is potentially reactive and unsafe for transport in its present state. The treatment involves the addition of liquid solution to the container to stabilize the chemicals. Once the chemical is treated, it will be transported offsite for proper management. DTSC has determined that the chemical pose an imminent and substantial endangerment to human health and the environment if not properly managed. Therefore, an emergency permit should be issued. This Emergency Permit is effective from July 30, 2018 through September 28, 2018. The Emergency Permit includes measures to minimize any adverse impact to the community and the environment.

CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA): DTSC has determined that the project is exempt from the requirements of CEQA and has filed a Notice of Exemption (NOE) with the State Clearinghouse. The Emergency Permit, NOE, Salk Institute's request for this project are available for review at the file room located at:

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