

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 waste generation and encouraging the manufacture of chemically safer products.

Hazardous Waste Emergency Permit Allergan Inc 2525 Dupont Drive Irvine, California 92612

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has issued an Emergency Permit to Allergan Inc for onsite treatment of expired chemicals at 2525 Dupont Drive, Irvine, California. The items to be treated are two 250 milliliter containers of Tert-Butyl Methyl Ether, one 1 Liter container of Propylene Glycol Ethyl Ether and three 1 Liter containers of 1,4 Dioxane. The chemicals are potentially reactive and unsafe for transport in their present state. DTSC determined that they pose an imminent and substantial endangerment to human health and the environment if not properly managed. Therefore, an emergency permit should be issued.

Clean Harbors Environmental Services has been contracted to conduct this treatment. The treatment involves the addition of liquid solution to the containers to stabilize the chemicals. Once they are treated, they will be transported offsite for proper management. This Emergency Permit is effective from April 23, 2019 through June 21, 2019. 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, and Allergan Inc's request for this project are available for review at the file room located at:

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