

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 safer products.

EMERGENCY PERMIT

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - DAVIS

2201 Environmental Services Lane
Davis, California 95616

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has issued an emergency permit to the University of California – Davis (UC-Davis) for onsite treatment of expired chemicals. The items to be treated includes a 25-gram container of Picryl Sulfonic Acid, 200-ml container of Borane THF, and 2x100-gram containers of Diazald. The items are stored at the Environmental Services Facility located at 2201 Environmental Services Lane, Davis, CA, 95616. DTSC has determined that these chemicals 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 May 6, 2019 through August 2, 2019. The Emergency Permit includes measures to minimize any adverse impact to the community and the environment.

These chemicals are potentially reactive and unsafe for transport in their present state. The treatment involves the addition of liquid solution to the container(s) to stabilize the chemical and will take place in an exclusion zone near the storage location. Clean Harbors Environmental Services has been contracted to conduct this treatment. Once the chemicals are treated, they will be transported offsite for proper management.

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, UC-Davis's request for this project are available for review at the file room located at:

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