

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.

Hazardous Waste Emergency Permit

For

GILEAD SCIENCE, INC

28065 Franklin Parkway, Valencia, California 93182

Para información en español por favor comuníquese con Manuel Lopez al número (818) 717-6575

EMERGENCY PERMIT: On April 8, 2019, Gilead Science Inc (Gilead) requested an Emergency Permit from the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) for onsite treatment of expired chemicals at 333 Lakeside Dr., Foster City, CA 94404. The items to be treated include 1(one) 1H-Tetrazole and 4 (four) Dibutyl Ether.

Clean Harbors Environmental Service has been contracted to conduct this treatment. The chemicals are 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 chemicals are treated, they will be transported offsite for proper management. DTSC has determined that the 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 April 17, 2019 through June 15, 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 Gilead's request for this project are available for review at the file room located at:

DTSC Cal Center Office
8800 Cal Center Drive
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(916) 255-3758, call for an appointment

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