

DTSC PUBLIC NOTICE

Department of Toxic Substances Control – Our Mission is to protect California's people, communities, and environment from toxic substances, to enhance economic vitality by restoring contaminated land, and to compel manufacturers to make safer consumer products.

EMERGENCY PERMIT TO TREAT HAZARDOUS WASTE LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT, FORENSIC SCIENCE DIVISION 1800 PASEO RANCHO CASTILLA LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90032

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has issued an Emergency Permit to Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Forensic Science Division for onsite treatment of an expired chemical at 1800 Paseo Rancho Castilla Los Angeles, CA 90032. The item to be treated includes one (1) 205 milliliter container of ethyl ether.

The Clean Harbors Environmental Services (Clean Harbors) has been contracted to conduct the treatment. The chemical is potentially reactive and unsafe for transport in its present state. The treatment involves the addition of liquid solutions to the container to stabilize the chemical. Once the chemical is treated, it will be transported offsite for proper management. DTSC has determined that the chemical poses 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 19, 2023, through June 19, 2023. 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 issuance of this permit is exempt from the requirements of CEQA and has filed a Notice of Exemption (NOE) with the State Clearinghouse. The Emergency Permit, NOE, and LAPD Forensic Science Division's request for this project is available for review at the file room located at:

DTSC Sacramento Regional Office
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Sacramento, California 95826
(916) 255-3758, call for an appointment

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