

Emergency permit to treat hazardous waste issued to Abbott Cardiovascular Systems, Inc.

The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has issued an **Emergency Permit to Abbott Cardiovascular Systems, Inc. for onsite treatment of expired chemicals at 3200 Lakeside Drive, Santa Clara, California 95054**. The items to be treated include one (1) 100-milliliter container of 1, 2 Dimethoxymethane.

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 a solution to the container to stabilize the chemical. Once the chemical is treated, it will be transported offsite for proper management. DTSC has determined that this 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 1, 2025, through May 31, 2025.** The Emergency Permit includes measures to minimize any adverse impacts on 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.

DTSC Sacramento Regional Office - Administrative Record: The Emergency Permit, NOE, and Abbott Cardiovascular Systems, Inc request for this project is available upon request from the Project Manager or for review at the file room located at:

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(916) 255-3758 (you need an appointment: Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM)

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