

STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

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DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

September 15, 2008

Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 445B, the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 445B, and the Clean Air Act, the Division of Environmental Protection is issuing the following notice.

The Director received an application for a revision to Class II Air Quality Operating Permit AP2992-1473 from the following applicant:
Bango Oil, LLC
22211 Bango Road
Fallon, Nevada 89406

The project is located on Bango Road west of Fallon, Churchill County, Nevada. The Director has prepared tentative determinations regarding the revised operating permit that, in brief, are the following:

The revised permit is for new construction and revised operation of a used oil and recycled fuel oil re-refining facility that will process up to 2,400 gallons/hour of used oil and recycled fuel oil into value added products. The proposed revision will reconfigure the permit to reflect current operating conditions; double the volume of used oil that can be refined; modify the existing thermal combustor that will be used for treating oily waste water; modify emission limits and operating parameters for cooling tower #1; add two cooling towers; add a process heater and associated re-refining equipment that will allow for a doubling of the amount of used oil and recycled fuel oil that can be refined; add a hydrotreating filtration system that will be used to purify refined oil products; and add a 1.68 MMBtu/hr steam boiler as a non-permitted emission unit. Revised emissions from Bango Oil LLC will not exceed 5.24 tons/year of PM₁₀, 32.30 tons/year of NOx, 71.89 tons/year of SO₂, 5.17 tons/year of VOC, and 12.23 tons per year of CO. No adverse ambient air quality impacts are expected based on air dispersion modeling analyses.

On the basis of the preliminary review and the requirements of the NRS, the NAC and the Clean Air Act, the Director is hereby announcing his intent to issue a revised Class II air quality operating permit based on a review of the information, as proposed. A copy of the revised draft operating permit is available for public inspection at:

Churchill County Library 553 South Maine Street Fallon, NV 89406

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Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed determinations by the Director regarding this proposed action or to request a hearing pursuant to NRS 445B Air Pollution and NAC 445B Air Controls should submit their comments or request in writing either in person or by mail or fax within thirty (30) days to:

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The application, revised draft permit, any comments received, and other relevant information may be copied at the above address or copies may be obtained by requesting in writing at the above address. Written comments or objections, will be received at the Division of Environmental Protection, above address, until close of business on October 17, 2008, and will be retained and considered prior to final action on the revised Class II operating permit. Upon a valid written request received prior to the end of the comment period, the Director will schedule a public hearing on the application and proposed action.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know may be interested in this matter.