

STATE OF NEVADA

Department of Conservation & Natural Resources

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DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Leo M. Drozdoff, P.E., Administrator

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

Web posting 6/2/09

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following notice of proposed action under the Nevada Revised Statutes. The Administrator has received an application for temporary discharge permit # TNEV2009465 from:

Encore Energy, Inc. 16640 Wedge Parkway Reno, NV 89511

The applicant operates Bango Oil, LLC (Bango Oil) located at 22211 Bango Road, Fallon, NV 89406 (Churchill County). Bango Oil is an oil recycling facility, which re-refines used lubrication oil. Under Order No. 2146 from the Division, Bango Oil has been directed to construct an oil removal treatment works and use the treated effluent on the company's property for dust control water and non-potable plant reuse water (concrete pad washing and emergency fire water storage). This non-potable reuse water also includes input of non-contact blow down water from two cooling towers. The treated effluent from the treatment works must meet the Division's effluent standards for facilities treating sources of water contacted with petroleum hydrocarbons. The permitted discharge flow rate is not to exceed 14,000 gallons per day (30-day average basis). The Division has made the tentative determination to issue this temporary discharge permit for a period of 180 days (6 months).

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding permit issuance, or request a hearing pursuant to the Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request, in writing, within fourteen (14) calendar days of the date of newspaper publication, hand-delivered, e-mailed, faxed or postmarked no later than 5:00 P.M. PST on Friday, June 19, 2009, either in person or by mail to:

Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
Division of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Water Pollution Control
901 S. Stewart St, Suite 4001
Carson City, Nevada 89701-5249

The request must be filed within the comment period and must indicate the interest of the person filing the request and the reasons why a hearing is warranted. All comments or objections received within the fourteen (14) day period will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty (30) days prior to the hearing date.

If no hearing is held and the determinations of the Administrator are substantially changed from the tentative determinations, the Administrator will give public notice of the revised determinations. Additional comments

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and objections will be considered at that time. The application, proposed permit, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by calling Mark A. Kaminski, P.E., Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9424, or via e-mail at: mkaminsk@ndep.nv.gov. The office fax number is (775) 687-4684. The fact sheet and proposed permit conditions for this permit can be viewed at the following website: http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm