NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Date: October 17, 2008

From: San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
1990 East Gettysburg Avenue
Fresno, CA 93726

To: County of Fresno
Clerk / Recorder Office
2221 Kern Street
Fresno, CA 93721

Project Title: Proposed Amendments to Rule 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters – 2.0 MMBtu/hr to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)

Project Location - Specific: Not Applicable

Project Location - City: All cities within the San Joaquin Valley Air Basin (SVJAB)

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Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: San Joaquin Valley Unified APCD

Exempt Status: (Check one)

___ Ministerial: §21080(b)(1); 15268
___ Declared Emergency: §21080(b)(3); 15269(a)
___ Emergency Project: §21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)
___ Categorical Exemption: (State type and section number)
___ Statutory Exemptions: (State Code number)
X General Exemption: Section 15061(b)(3)

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: The project is an amendment to existing District Rules 4307. The SJVAPCD investigated the possible environmental impacts of the proposed project and determined that said project would have no possible significant adverse effect on the environment and is necessary to reduce emissions of criteria pollutants and/or ozone precursors.

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Signature: Scott Nester

Date: 10/16/08

Title: Director of Planning

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From: San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
1990 East Gettysburg
Fresno, CA 93726

To: County of Kern
Clerk / Recorder Office
1115 Truxton Ave.
Bakersfield, CA 93301

Project Title: Proposed Amendments to Rule 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters – 2.0 MMBtu/hr to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)

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To: County of Kings
Planning Department
1400 W. Lacey Blvd.
Hanford, CA 93230

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San Joaquin Valley
AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

Date: October 17, 2008

From: San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
1990 East Gettysburg
Fresno, CA 93726

To: County of Madera
Clerk / Recorder Office
209 W. Yosemite Ave.
Madera, CA 93637

Project Title: Proposed Amendments to Rule 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters – 2.0 MMBtu/hr to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)

Project Location - Specific: Not Applicable

Project Location - City: All cities within the San Joaquin Valley Air Basin (SJVAB)

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From: San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
1990 East Gettysburg
Fresno, CA 93726

To: County of Merced
Clerk / Recorder Office
2222 “M” Street, Room 14
Merced, CA 95340

Project Title: Proposed Amendments to Rule 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters – 2.0 MMBtu/hr to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)

Project Location - Specific: Not Applicable

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From: San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District
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Fresno, CA 93725

To: County of San Joaquin
Clerk / Recorder Office
6 S. El Dorado St., 2nd Floor
Stockton, CA 95202

Project Title: Proposed Amendments to Rule 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters – 2.0 MMBtu/hr to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)

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To: County of Stanislaus
Clerk / Recorder Office
1021 “I” Street, Suite 101
Modesto, CA 95354

Project Title: Proposed Amendments to Rule 4307 (Boilers, Steam Generators, and Process Heaters – 2.0 MMBtu/hr to 5.0 MMBtu/hr)

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To: County of Tulare
Clerk / Recorder Office
221 S. Mooney Blvd.
Visalia, CA 93291-4593

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