SPECIAL PUBLIC NOTICE

FINAL GENERAL CONFORMITY DETERMINATION AND RECORD OF DECISION FOR THE PACIFIC L.A. MARINE TERMINAL LLC CRUDE OIL TERMINAL PROJECT, PORT OF LOS ANGELES

LOS ANGELES DISTRICT

Corps Case No.: SPL-2004-00917-SDM
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The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District, Regulatory Division (Corps) has made a final general conformity determination and executed the Record of Decision (ROD) for the Federal action associated with the following project in the Port of Los Angeles:

Pacific L.A. Marine Terminal LLC Crude Oil Terminal Project (hereinafter, the Project)

A Notice of Availability of the final general conformity determination and ROD is also being published in the Federal Register.

In November 2008, the Corps and the Los Angeles Harbor Department (LAHD) published the Pacific L.A. Marine Terminal LLC Crude Oil Terminal Project Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement/ Subsequent Environmental Impact Report (SEIS/SEIR). On February 19, 2010, the Corps published a draft general conformity determination for the Federal action associated with the Project. Comments were received on the draft general conformity determination until March 22, 2010. A general conformity determination was necessary because Project construction would require Federal action (i.e., issuance of a Corps permit for work and structures in and over navigable waters of the U.S. pursuant to Section 10 of the River and Harbor Act) and not all the Federal action’s direct and indirect emissions would be below specified de minimis thresholds (40 C.F.R. §51.853 (b)).
On June 1, 2010 and June 3, 2010, the Corps made a final general conformity determination and completed its environmental review and executed the ROD, respectively, for the Federal action associated with the Project. The Corps considered and responded to all comments received in making the final general conformity determination and executing the ROD.

Document Requests/Additional Information:

Requests for copies of either or both of these documents should be directed to:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District
Regulatory Division, Ventura Field Office (ATTN: CESPL-RG-N-2004-00917-SDM)
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In addition, the final general conformity determination can be viewed or downloaded from the Corps’ website (http://www.spl.usace.army.mil/regulatory/POLA.htm, scroll down to the link under Pier 400 Crude Oil Marine Terminal Project) or the Port’s website (http://www.portoflosangeles.org/environment/public_notices.asp, scroll down to link under Pacific L.A. Marine Terminal LLC Crude Oil Terminal). In addition, copies of the final general conformity document are available for review during the next 30 days at the following libraries: L.A. Public Library, Central Branch, 630 West 5th Street, Los Angeles California; L.A. Public Library, San Pedro Branch, 931 South Gaffey Street, San Pedro, California; and L.A. Public Library, Wilmington Branch, 1300 North Avalon, Wilmington, California.

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