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**SUBJECT: DRAFT SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT/
SUBSEQUENT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (SEIS/SEIR) FOR
THE PACIFIC L.A. MARINE TERMINAL LLC CRUDE OIL TERMINAL
PROJECT**

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District (Corps) and the Los Angeles Harbor Department (Port) have prepared a joint Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement/ Subsequent Environmental Impact Report (SEIS/SEIR) for the following project in the Port of Los Angeles:

Pacific L.A. Marine Terminal LLC Crude Oil Terminal Project

The Draft SEIS/SEIR is included for your review, in accordance with current City of Los Angeles Guidelines for the Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, Article I; the State CEQA Guidelines, Article 7, Sections 15086-15087; and the California Public Resources Code Section 21153.



Availability:

The Draft SEIS/SEIR is available for review at: L.A. Public Library, Central Branch, 630 West 5th Street, Los Angeles California; L.A. Public Library, San Pedro Branch, 921 South Gaffey Street, San Pedro, California; L.A. Public Library, Wilmington Branch, 1300 North Avalon, Wilmington, California; or the Los Angeles Harbor Department, 425 South Palos Verdes Street, San Pedro, California. The joint public notice is available online at the Army Corps of Engineers website: www.spl.usace.army.mil/regulatory/POLA.htm and the entire document is available at the Port of Los Angeles web site: <http://www.portoflosangeles.org>. A limited number of hard copies of the Draft SEIS/SEIR are also available at the Environmental Management Division offices to purchase. The Draft EIR/EIS is also available on CD for no charge.

Public Meeting:

The Corps and the Port will jointly conduct a public meeting to receive public comment on the Draft SEIS/SEIR for this project on June 26, 2008 at the Port of Los Angeles in the Board Hearing Room located at 425 S. Palos Verdes Street San Pedro CA at 6:00 p.m. Participation in the public meeting by federal, state and local agencies and other interested organizations and persons is encouraged. This meeting is to be conducted in English with simultaneous English/Spanish translation services provided.

Comments

Written comments on the EIS/EIR will be received until July 29, 2008 and should be sent to both:

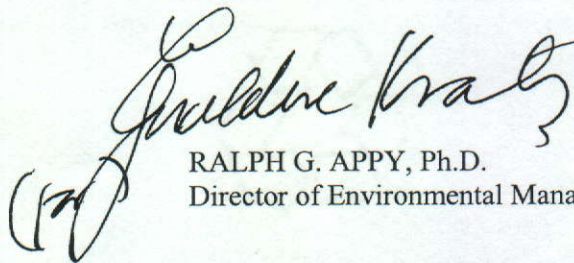
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Los Angeles District
Regulatory Division
c/o Spencer D. MacNeil D.Env.
ATTN: CESPL-RG-2004-00917-SDM
P.O. Box 532711
Los Angeles, California 90053-2325

and

Dr. Ralph Appy, Director Environmental Management Division
425 South Palos Verdes Street
San Pedro, CA 90731

For additional information, please contact Spencer D. MacNeil at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at (805) 585-2152 or Lena Maun-DeSantis at the Port of Los Angeles at (310) 732-3950.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ralph G. Appy". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "R" and a flourish at the end.

RALPH G. APPY, Ph.D.
Director of Environmental Management

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