



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA  
AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DISTRICT HEARING BOARD

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District Hearing Board will hold a public hearing to consider the following matters on Wednesday, February 4, 2015 at 9:30 a.m. at the Board of Supervisors Hearing Room, 511 E. Lakeside Parkway, Santa Maria, California, 93454.

Case No. 2015-01-R (Regular Variance) – Southern California Gas Co.  
1171 More Ranch Road  
Goleta, CA 93111

**Hearing** – To consider an application by Southern California Gas Company submitted on January 14, 2015 for a Regular Variance from District Rule 333.E.1.a, and Conditions 9.C.1.(a), 9.C.1.(b)(iv), 9.C.1.(b)(v), and 9.C.1.(b)(vi)(A) of Permit to Operate 9584-R4. A 650 BHP natural gas fueled engine and its associated compressor at the facility were recently overhauled and are ready to be placed back in service. It is necessary to operate the engine under no-load and light-load conditions to adjust and properly break-in the equipment following the overhaul for up to 150 hours. Equipment necessary to reduce emissions (a catalytic converter and the air/fuel controller) does not operate properly under these conditions and will be disabled until the engine is capable of operating at or near its normal load and temperatures. On November 12, 2014 Hearing Board member Larry Lavagnino heard and issued 90-Day Variance Order 29-14-N. Said Order remains in effect from November 12, 2014 through February 9, 2015. Due to activities outside of the control of the Petitioner, they will not be able to properly break-in the engine under the conditions of 90-Day Variance Order 29-14-N, therefore a Petition for Regular Variance was filed. The Regular Variance, if granted, will allow the petitioner enforcement relief through February 3, 2016 or the date the break-in period of the engine is complete, whichever occurs first, and not to exceed 150 hours of engine run time.

Said Petition is on file with the Clerk of the APCD Hearing Board and is available for public inspection during regular business hours. Interested persons may submit written evidence or arguments concerning these matters before or at said hearing to: The Clerk of the Hearing Board, 260 North San Antonio Rd., Suite A, Santa Barbara, California 93110.

Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of January 2015.

LOUIS D. VAN MULLEM, JR.  
Clerk of the Hearing Board



By: Sara Hunt  
Deputy