



Air Pollution Control Board

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC WEBINAR

FOR DISCUSSION OF DRAFT PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO RULE 12 – REGISTRATION OF SPECIFIED EQUIPMENT

The San Diego County Air Pollution Control District (District) invites you to participate in the following public webinar to discuss and provide input regarding draft proposed amendments to Rule 12 – Registration of Specified Equipment. Comments and questions concerning this proposal may be submitted in writing before or made at the webinar, which is scheduled as follows:

DATE: Wednesday, November 18, 2020
TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
HOW TO PARTICIPATE: Via web browser or mobile device at:
<https://primetime.bluejeans.com/a2m/live-event/rcwyfaqf>
(Enter your name, e-mail address, and click on “Join as Guest”)

The District is proposing to revise Rule 12 requirements applicable to existing engines (commenced operation on or before November 15, 2000) in order to align the maintenance and record keeping requirements with those of Rule 69.4.1 – Stationary Reciprocating Internal Combustion Engines, which was amended on July 8, 2020.

Existing engines registered under Rule 12 are not subject to Rule 69.4.1. However, certain requirements specified in Rule 69.4.1 are State and federal requirements that apply to all engines, including units registered under Rule 12. Therefore, for consistency, Rule 12 is proposed for amendment to incorporate the same maintenance and record keeping requirements specified in Rule 69.4.1.

In summary, the draft proposed amendments to Rule 12 specific to existing engines will:

- Require annual maintenance to include changing the oil and filter, or testing the oil; and inspecting and replacing certain parts as necessary.
- Require maintaining an operating log containing dates and elapsed times of every instance of emergency standby engine operation either based on actual readings of engine hour or fuel meter; and time of day of every instance of emergency standby diesel engine operation for testing or maintenance located within 500 feet of school grounds.
- Require documentation from a serving utility for a total external power outage; a description of what caused the failure, and receipts and/or work orders for the necessary repairs for internal power outages; and a description of the incident for a partial external power outage.
- Require written notification to the District within 10 calendar days of replacing an engine hour meter.
- Revise definition for “Emergency Situation.”
- Add definition for “Testing or Maintenance.”

Draft Documents

Copies of the draft proposed amendments to Rule 12 are available on the District's website at https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/apcd/en/Rule_Development/Workshops.html. Those unable to access the document may contact Janet McCue (858-586-2712, Janet.McCue@sdcountry.ca.gov).

Comment Deadline

Comments and questions regarding the draft proposed amendments to Rule 12 may be made orally, in writing, or by utilizing the chat/discussion feature during the public webinar. All written comments may be submitted in writing no later than Friday, November 20, 2020. Please email all written comments directly to Randy Consolacion (Randy.Consolacion@sdcountry.ca.gov) or Angela M. Fisch (Angela.Fisch@sdcountry.ca.gov).

More Information

Please contact Randy Consolacion (858-586-2752, Randy.Consolacion@sdcountry.ca.gov) or Angela M. Fisch (760-822-0173, Angela.Fisch@sdcountry.ca.gov) with any questions.

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