

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS PERMITS FOR AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS

APPLICATION DUE DATE: A complete application, including all applicable supplemental forms and fees, must be received by the District by no later than February 24, 2007.

FORM AG100: This is the general application form for agricultural operations. Each agricultural source seeking a permit from the SMAQMD must fill out this form.

SUPPLEMENTAL FORMS: In addition to Form AG100, please complete all applicable supplemental forms as follows:

Agricultural sources with emissions exceeding the levels specified in Rule 215, Section 102.1: Complete all applicable forms. If you have an operation or equipment identified in one of the supplemental forms, you must complete that form.

<u>Agricultural source subject to Rule 496 – Large Confined Animal Facilities:</u>

If emissions from the agricultural source are below the levels specified in Rule 215, Section 102.1, complete the appropriate Emission Mitigation Form (Form POL-EMP, Form DAI-EMP or an equivalent plan meeting all the applicable requirements of Rule 496) and the supplemental form for your confined animal facility (i.e. form CHK100, TKY100, DAI100 or COW100). No other supplemental form needs to be completed except for Form B100, if applicable.

If emissions from the agricultural source are equal to or greater than the levels specified in Rule 215, Section 102.1, complete the appropriate Emission Mitigation Form and the supplemental form for your confined animal facility **and** all other applicable supplemental forms.

Agricultural sources subject to Rule 215, Section 102.3:

Agricultural sources operating a boiler, heater, water heater, or steam generator having a rated heat input of 1,000,000 Btu/hr or greater must complete supplemental form B100.

If the agricultural source is required to obtain a permit only because of Rule 215, Section 102.3 (i.e. emissions are below the levels specified in Rule 215.102.1 and it is not a Large Confined Animal Facility as defined in Rule 496, Section 228) this is the only supplemental form needed. Otherwise, all other applicable forms must also be submitted.

FEES:

Initial Permit Fees for Existing Agricultural Units:

Agricultural emission units that begun operation before January 1, 2004 shall pay an initial fee based on the following schedules. **Note:** Agricultural operations subject to permitting **only** because they are subject to Rule 496 (i.e. emissions do not exceed the levels specified in Rule 215, Section 102.1

<u>Fuel Burning (Forms B100 or AIN100):</u> This fee is for any agricultural emission unit in which fuel is burned, with the exception of internal combustion engines. Boilers, heaters, and large water heater and incinerators are examples of equipment that would fall under this fee schedule. A fee will be assessed for each individual unit, based on the renewal fee schedule as prescribed in Rule 310, Section 307.2.

The fees in effect until June 30, 2007 are:

Unit Rating		
(million Btu per hour)	Initial Permit Fee	
Less than 1	\$148	
1 or greater but less than 10	\$295	
10 or greater	\$589	
Note: This is the applicable fee schedule for Form B100		
Incinerators For incinerators, the fee will be based on the maximum horizontal inside cross sectional area, in square feet, of the primary combustion chamber.		
Less than 10 sq. ft.	\$589	
10 or greater	\$1,767	
Note: This is the applicable fee schedule for Form AIN100		

For the most current fee (the applicable fee after 6/30/07), please refer to Rule 310, Section 307.2 (www.airquality.org/rules/rule310.pdf).

<u>Stationary Internal Combustion Engines (Form ESP100):</u> This fee schedule applies to stationary internal combustion engines such as stationary deep-well pumps, stationary booster pumps, stationary lift pumps, and stationary electrical generators. The fee is based on the cumulative total rated horsepower of all stationary internal combustion engines, in accordance with Rule 310, Section 307.3.

The fees in effect until June 30, 2007 are:

Total rated horse power of all		
stationary engines combined	Initial Permit Fee	
(total horse power)		
Less than 50 hp	\$148	
From 50 hp to less than 250 hp	\$295	
From 250 hp to less than 500 hp	\$589	
From 500 hp to less than 1000 hp	\$1,178	
1000 hp or greater	\$2,355	
Note: This is the applicable fee schedule for Form ESP100		

For the most current fee (the applicable fee after 6/30/07), please refer to Rule 310, Section 307.3 (www.airquality.org/rules/rule310.pdf).

<u>Portable Internal Combustion Engines (Form EPP100):</u> This fee schedule applies to portable internal combustion engines such as portable deep-well pumps, portable booster pumps, portable lift pumps, and portable electrical generators. The fee is based on the cumulative total rated horsepower of all portable internal combustion engines, in accordance with Rule 310, Section 307.3.

The fees in effect until June 30, 2007 are:

Total rated horse power of all portable		
engines combined (total horse power)	Initial Permit Fee	
Less than 50 hp	\$148	
From 50 hp to less than 250 hp	\$295	
From 250 hp to less than 500 hp	\$589	
From 500 hp to less than 1000 hp	\$1,178	
1000 hp or greater	\$2,355	
Note: This is the applicable fee schedule for Form EPP100		

For the most current fee (the applicable fee after 6/30/07), please refer to Rule 310, Section 307.3 (www.airquality.org/rules/rule310.pdf).

<u>Large Confined Animal Facilities (Forms POL-EMP or DAI-EMP):</u> This is the fee for any confined animal operation subject to an Emission Mitigation Plan pursuant to Rule 496. The fee shall be based on Rule 310, Section 307.4

The fees in effect until June 30, 2007 are:

An initial fee of \$589 for the first 10 hours of evaluating the application and processing the permit, plus \$123 per hour for any time spent in excess of the 10 hours, plus the cost of public noticing (if public noticing is required pursuant to Rule 215 or Rule 496)

For the most current fee (the applicable fee after 6/30/07), please refer to Rule 310, Section 307.4 (www.airquality.org/rules/rule310.pdf).

<u>Gasoline Dispensing Equipment (Form AGT100):</u> This is the fee for any gasoline dispensing equipment at a single location. It includes the storage tanks, dispensers and vapor recovery system. The fee is assessed pursuant to Rule 302, Section 307.5, based on the type of vapor recovery installed.

The fees in effect until June 30, 2007 are:

Type of Equipment Installed	Initial Permit Fee
Systems equipped with Phase I and Phase II vapor recovery (less	\$148
than 50% of fuel dispensed is for farming equipment)	
Systems exempt from Phase II vapor recovery (systems fueling	\$295
primarily farm equipment)	

For the most current fee (the applicable fee after 6/30/07), please refer to Rule 310, Section 307.3 (www.airquality.org/rules/rule310.pdf).

<u>General Farming/Miscellaneous Equipment:</u> This is the fee applicable to any equipment not included in one of the schedules above such as storage silos, cattle feed lots, broiler ranches, turkey ranches or dairy farms not subject to Rule 496 – Large Confined Animal Facilities, etc. The fee for general farming of miscellaneous equipment will be assessed pursuant to Rule 310, Section 307.5.

The fees in effect until June 30, 2007 for this fee schedule are \$589

For the most current fee (the applicable fee after 6/30/07), please refer to Rule 310, Section 307.4 (www.airquality.org/rules/rule310.pdf).