



# MOJAVE DESERT AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

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## PERMIT TO OPERATE

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Operation under this permit must be conducted in compliance with all information included with the initial application, initial permit condition, and conditions contained herein. The equipment must be maintained and kept in good operating condition at all times. This Permit to Operate or copy must be posted on or within 8 meters of equipment. If a copy is posted, the original must be maintained on site, available for inspection at all times.

**EXPIRES LAST DAY OF: JUNE 2026**

### OWNER OF OPERATOR (Co. #1047)

High Desert Power Project, LLC  
19000 Perimeter Road  
Victorville, CA 92394

### EQUIPMENT LOCATION (Fac. #1849)

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#### Description:

DIESEL IC ENGINE, EMERGENCY GENERATOR consisting of: Year of Manufacturer: TBD.

One Caterpillar, Diesel fired internal combustion engine Model No. 3516 and Serial No. 1H202373, Turbo Charged, After Cooled, producing 2848 bhp with 6 cylinders at 1800 rpm while consuming a maximum of 136.0 gal/hr. This equipment powers a Caterpillar Generator Model No. SR4B and Serial No. 8NN01133, rated at 2000 kW(e).

#### EMISSIONS RATES

Emission Type	Est. Max Load	Unit
CO	0.20	gm/bhp-hr
NOx	7.62	gm/bhp-hr
PM10	0.05	gm/bhp-hr
VOC	0.12	gm/bhp-hr

#### CONDITIONS:

1. This equipment shall be installed, operated and maintained in strict accordance with those recommendations of the manufacturer/supplier and/or sound engineering principles which produce the minimum emissions of contaminants. Unless otherwise noted, this equipment shall also be operated in accordance with all data and specifications submitted with the application for this permit.

Fee Schedule: 7 (g)

Rating: 1 device

SIC: 4911

SCC: 20100102

Location/UTM(Km):  
473E/3820N

This permit does not authorize the emission of air contaminants in excess of those allowed by law, including Division 26 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California and the Rules and Regulations of the District. This permit cannot be construed as permission to violate existing laws, ordinances, statutes or regulations of this or other governmental agencies. This permit must be renewed by the expiration date above. If billing for renewal fee required by Rule 301(c) is not received by expiration date above, please contact the District.

High Desert Power Project, LLC  
ATTN: Accounts Payable

Victorville, CA 92394

By: **COPY**  
Eldon Heaston  
Air Pollution Control Officer

[District Rule 204]  
[40 CFR 63.6640(a) and Table 6]

2. This equipment shall only be fired on diesel fuel that meets the following requirements, or an alternative fuel approved by the ATCM for Stationary CI Engines:

- (a) Ultra-low sulfur concentration of 0.0015% (15 ppm) or less, on a weight per weight basis; and,
- (b) A cetane index or aromatic content, as follows:
  - (i) A minimum cetane index of 40; or,
  - (ii) A maximum aromatic content of 35 volume percent.

[17 CCR 93115.5(a) and 40 CFR 80.510(b)]

Note: Use of CARB certified ULSD fuel satisfies the above requirements.

3. A non-resettable hour meter with a minimum display capability of 9,999 hours shall be installed and maintained on this unit to indicate elapsed engine operating time.

[Title 17 CCR 93115.10(d)]

[40 CFR 63.6625(f)]

4. This unit shall be limited to use for emergency power, defined as in response to a fire or when commercially available power has been interrupted. In addition, this unit shall be operated no more than 50 hours per year for testing and maintenance excluding compliance source testing. Time required for compliance source testing will not be counted toward the 50 hour per year limit.

[17 CCR 93115.6(b)]

[40 CFR 63.6640(f)]

5. This unit shall not be used to provide power during a voluntary agreed to power outage and/or power reduction initiated under an Interruptible Service Contract (ISC); Demand Response Program (DRP); Load Reduction Program (LRP) and/or similar arrangement(s) with the electrical power supplier.

[17 CCR 93115.6(c)(2)]

[40 CFR 63.6640(f)]

6. This unit shall be limited to use for emergency power, defined as in response to a fire or when commercially available power has been interrupted. Emergency stationary RICE located at area sources of HAP may be operated for up to 50 hours per calendar year in non-emergency situations 40 CFR 60.6640(f)(4). In addition, pursuant to 17 CCR 93115.6(b) this unit shall be operated no more than 50 hours per year for testing and maintenance. The 50 hours of testing and maintenance hours are counted as part of the 50 hours of operation in non-emergency situations provided in 40 CFR 60.6640(f)(4). Except as provided in 40 CFR 60.6640 (f)(4)(ii), the 50 hours per year for non-emergency situations cannot be used for peak shaving or non-emergency demand response, or to generate income for a facility to an electric grid or otherwise supply power as part of a financial arrangement with another entity.

[17 CCR 93115.6(b)]

[40 CFR 63.6640(f)(4)]

7. The owner/operator shall minimize the engine's time spent at idle during startup and minimize the engine's startup time to a period needed for appropriate and safe loading of the engine, not to exceed 30 minutes.

[40 CFR 63.6625(h)]

8. The owner/operator shall maintain an operations log for this equipment current and on-site (or at a central location) for a minimum of five (5) years, and this log shall be provided to District, State and/or Federal personnel, upon request. The log shall include, at a minimum, the information specified below:

- (a) Date of each use and hours of operation with documentation of how many hours are spent for emergency operation, including what classified the operation as emergency, and how many hours are spent for non-emergency operation, including what classified the operation as non-emergency. and,
- (b) Monthly and calendar year operation in terms of total hours, both emergency and non-emergency use, classified as described in 'a.'; and,
- (c) Monthly fuel use; and,
- (d) Documentation of certified fuel use, as required by condition 2 (may use the supplier's certification of sulfur content if it is maintained

as part of this log); and,

(e) Maintenance performed on this equipment, inclusive of the management practice requirements of condition 9 below.

[17 CCR 93115.10(f)]

[40 CFR 63.6655(f)]

9. This facility is an area source for HAP. The owner/operator shall conduct inspections in accordance with the following schedule. All inspections must occur at least annually regardless of operating hours.

(a) Change oil and filter every 500 hours of operation or annually, whichever comes first, or use an oil change analysis program to extend oil change frequencies per the requirements in 40 CFR 63.6625(i);

(b) Inspect air cleaner every 1,000 hours of operation or annually, whichever comes first; and

(c) Inspect all hoses and belts every 500 hours of operation or annually, whichever comes first, and replace as necessary. The District must be notified within 5 working days of any exceedance of these maintenance intervals, noting the duration, cause, and corrective actions taken.

[40 CFR 63.6630(a)]

10. If this emergency engine is operating during an emergency and it is not possible to shut down the engine in order to perform the management practice requirements required by condition 9, or shutting down the engine would pose an unacceptable risk, the management practice can be delayed until the emergency is over, or the risk has been abated. The management practice should be performed as soon as practicable after the emergency/risk has ended. Sources must report any failure to perform the management practice on the schedule required and the Federal, State or local law under which the risk was deemed unacceptable.

[40 CFR 63.6603(a)]

11. A facility wide Comprehensive Emission Inventory (CEI) for all emitted criteria and toxic air pollutants must be submitted to the District, in a format approved by the District, upon District request.

[District Rule 107(b); H&S Code 39607 & 44341-44342; and 40 CFR 51, Subpart A]