



## MOJAVE DESERT AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

14306 Park Avenue Victorville, CA 92392-2310  
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### PERMIT TO OPERATE

T000528

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: JULY 2026**

#### **OWNER OF OPERATOR (Co.#9)**

Searles Valley Minerals Operations, Inc  
13200 Main Street  
Trona, CA 93562

#### **EQUIPMENT LOCATION (Fac.#79)**

SVM - Argus Facility  
82090 First Street  
Trona, CA 93562

#### **Description:**

STORAGE, A FRAME SODA ASH consisting of: "A" Frame Soda Ash Storage Structure, 10,000 ton capacity, vents to an Air Pollution Control Baghouse (District permit C000529). Total volume: 2,493,333 gallons.

#### **CONDITIONS:**

1. This equipment shall not be operated unless it is vented to the permitted baghouse (District permit C000529).  
[District Rule 204]
2. All openings to the atmosphere shall be closed during soda ash receiving.  
[District Rule 204]

Fee Schedule: 5 (d)

Rating: 2490000 gallons

SIC: 1474

SCC: 30102127

Location/UTM(Km):  
465E/3958N

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.

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By: **COPY**  
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