

TCEQ, Air Permits Division
Air Curtain Incinerator General Operating Permit
April 13, 2010
10:00A.M. – 12:00P.M.
TCEQ, Austin Campus,
Bldg. B, Rm. 201A

Minutes

- I. Opening Remarks Johnny Bowers, Rules Development Team**
The meeting started with introduction of agency staff.
- II. Background or Update Information Johnny Bowers**
GOPs are required to be renewed every 5 years by the agency. During that 5 year window the agency usually revises the GOPs to incorporate changes sometimes from federal and/or state laws. This GOP will be renewed by June 1, 2012. At this time, we are incorporating new emission guidelines from Chapter 113 that were adopted in 2009 by the agency. We are also addressing Chapter 117 Minor Sources for Engines, and other revisions to help clarify existing language within the GOP.
- III. Discussion Topics Johnny Bowers**
- A. Incorporation of Chapter 113 Emission Guidelines Johnny Bowers**
Existing language was replaced with Chapter 113, Subchapter D, Division 4 (Emission Guidelines and Compliance Times for Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incineration Units That Commenced Construction On or Before November 30, 1999)(Page 21, new #17).
- New language from Chapter 113, Subchapter D, Division 5 (Emission Guidelines and Compliance Times for Other Solid Waste Incineration Units That Commenced Construction On or Before December 9, 2004)(Page 23, new #18).*
- B. Incorporation of Chapter 117 Minor Sources for Stationary Engines Johnny Bowers**
These revisions address Chapter 117 Minor Sources for Stationary Engines. We are still in the process of refining the requirements. Some language may be excluded and more requirements may be added (Page 25, new #20 - end of document).
- Updates to qualification criteria:*
-New #5 captures horsepower limits of less than 240
-New #6 captures NO_x emission limits
- C. Other Revisions Johnny Bowers**
Other revisions were made to the GOP for clarity.
- D. Open Discussion/Questions and Answers..... Johnny Bowers**
- Q: What are the Opacity reporting requirements?*
A: There is an initial and annual Opacity reporting requirement.
- IV. Closing Remarks/Action Items Johnny Bowers**
The stakeholder comment period ends on April 27, 2010. You may e-mail and fax comments to jbowers@tceq.state.tx.us or (512) 239-1331. GOP will be proposed in early summer.