

Proposition 65 Notification

REPORT OF ACTUAL OR THREATENED ILLEGAL HAZARDOUS WASTE DISCHARGE LIKELY TO CAUSE SUBSTANTIAL INJURY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH OR SAFETY
(California Health and Safety Code Chapter 6.5 HWCA Section 25180.7)

BACKGROUND

Date/Time Discharge Occurred: 24-hour sample obtained 7/25/22 and final results of laboratory analysis of sample received 7/27/22		Location of Discharge: Area surrounding 17115 Kingsview Avenue	
City: Carson	Zip: 90746	Facility Owner/Operator/DBA: Parter Medical Products, Inc.	Facility ID #: 77129
Date/Time Reporter Obtained Information and Knowledge of Risk: 7/27/22		Reported By: South Coast AQMD	
Name of Designated Government Employee: Wayne Nastri	Title: Executive Officer	Phone: (909) 396-3131	Designated Government Employee knows the discharge will affect public health or safety? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes No
Description of actual or threatened illegal hazardous waste discharge: Ambient air monitoring conducted by the South Coast AQMD between July 10, 2022 and July 25, 2022, has detected elevated levels of ethylene oxide (EtO) near the Parter Medical Products, Inc. facility located in the City of Carson. 24-hour samples were obtained to assess the cancer risk. The most recent ambient air monitoring laboratory result received on July 27, 2022 (based on a July 25, 2022 sample) confirmed levels of EtO likely to affect public health or safety near the Parter Medical Products, Inc. facility.			

CHARACTERISTICS OF HAZARDOUS WASTE

Materials/Quantity: Ethylene Oxide (EtO)	Concentration of Discharge: Detected EtO level of 117 ppb averaged over 24 hours for the July 25, 2022 discharge.
Hazard of Material: Toxic and Flammable	Physical Description: Liquid Solid <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas/Vapor

ASSESSMENT OF IMPACT ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

No. of Reported Illnesses:	No. Receiving Medical Treatment:	Route of Injury/Exposure: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Inhalation Ingestion Derma Drinking Water
How Exposure Occurred: Airborne transport		

Corrective Action: Pending. South Coast AQMD initiated discussions with the operator of the facility regarding enhanced control measures, though no comprehensive corrective action has been taken at this time.	Date/Time Corrective Action Taken:
Follow-up Action: South Coast AQMD is continuing to conduct air monitoring and investigate compliance issues at the Parter Medical Products, Inc. facility and will take all available regulatory and legal action to mitigate the impact.	

REFERRAL/DISCLOSURE

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I make this report on behalf of all designated employees of the South Coast Air Quality Management District.


Wayne Nastri
Executive Officer

7/28/2022
Date