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COMPLIANCE ADVISORY

Authority to Operate Asphalt Pavement Crushing and Recycling Equipment

The San Diego Air Pollution Control District (District) Rule 10 requires written authorization to operate equipment that may cause the issuance of air contaminants. The requirement for written authorization to operate includes asphalt pavement crushing and recycling equipment. This type of equipment includes road milling machines and cold planer attachment units. The required written authorization to operate this equipment may be in the form of a local District permit to operate, a local District certificate of registration, or a registration under the State's portable equipment registration program (PERP) issued by the California Air Resources Board (CARB). You are not required to obtain authorization from both CARB and the District. If you operate the equipment per the conditions stated in the authorization, only one authority to operate is needed.

If you operate road milling machines and cold planer attachment units and would like to apply for District authorization to operate, you will be required to complete the following application forms:

- Permit/Registration Application (APCD 116):
<http://www.sdapcd.org/permits/APPS/AppsPDF/app116.pdf>
- Portable Registration Program (Form 40x):
http://www.sdapcd.org/permits/EquipRegis/Regis_Forms/port40x.pdf
- Certificate of Compliance/Registration (110018/40X):
http://www.sdapcd.org/permits/EquipRegis/Regis_Forms/40X-018.pdf

Please be advised that the correct fee must be submitted with the application forms when applying for District authorization to operate. Please contact the District at (858) 586-2600 and ask for assistance to determine the correct application fee.

If you would like to apply for State authorization to operate with the CARB, you will be required to complete application forms and submit them with the correct fee, per the PERP program. This information can be found at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/portable/portable.htm>. Should you have any questions regarding this advisory or need additional compliance assistance, please contact the District's Business Assistant, Eric Luther, at (858) 586-2656.

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