

Mr. Dennis E. Wamsley  
Director - GPL Operations  
Kinder Morgan Tejas Pipeline, L.P.  
17057 Farm-to-Market Road 1485  
New Caney, Texas 77357

Re: Void of General Operating Permit Authorization to Operate  
Permit Number: O171  
Kinder Morgan Tejas Pipeline, L.P.  
Compressor Station 5  
Houston, Harris County  
Regulated Entity Number: RN100209592  
Customer Reference Number: CN601542087

Dear Mr. Wamsley:

As requested in your December 22, 2004 letter, the authorization to operate Kinder Morgan Tejas Pipeline, L.P., Compressor Station 5 under the oil and gas general operating permit (GOP) provisions of Title 30 Texas Administrative Code § 122.511 (30 TAC § 122.511) has been voided. We understand that the gas-fired turbines have been removed and that the site no longer meets the applicability criteria of 30 TAC § 122.120. In accordance with 30 TAC § 122.146, you must submit a compliance certification report for the period from the date of the most recent certification to the date of this letter. This report and any questions regarding this compliance certification should be forwarded within 30 days of the date of this letter to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) Houston Regional Office, 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1486.

We recommend that documentation be maintained which supports your assertion that the Compressor Station 5 no longer meets the 30 TAC § 122.120 applicability criteria. If it is later determined by either Kinder Morgan Tejas Pipeline, L.P., Compressor Station 5 or the TCEQ that the Compressor Station 5 is subject to 30 TAC Chapter 122 requirements, enforcement action may be pursued by the TCEQ.

If the Compressor Station 5 becomes subject, or is determined to have been subject to 30 TAC Chapter 122 requirements, the owner or operator must submit the appropriate application for an operating permit at that time.

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Please reference the regulated entity number (RN), customer reference number (CN), and permit number noted in this document in all your future correspondence for the referenced facility or site. The RN replaces the former TCEQ account number for the facility (if portable) or site (if permanent). The CN is a unique number assigned to the company or corporation and applies to all facilities and sites owned or operated by this company or corporation.

Thank you for informing us of the status of your site. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact Mr. Robert Havalda, P.E., at (512) 239-1660.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Hyde, P.E., Director  
Air Permits Division  
Office of Permitting, Remediation, and Registration  
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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cc: Mr. Steve Marts, Senior Engineer, Kinder Morgan Tejas Pipeline, L.P., Houston  
Mr. Arturo Blanco, Bureau Chief of Air Quality Control, Health and Human Services  
Department, City of Houston, Houston  
Mr. Bob Allen, Director, Harris County Public Health and Environmental Services,  
Pollution Control Department, Pasadena  
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