

March 28, 2000

Mr. Stan Collier
Collier Materials
P.O. Box 86
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Re: Collier Materials
West Wet Sand and Gravel Plant
Marble Falls, Burnet County

Dear Mr. Collier:

This is in response to your letter dated February 18, 2000 concerning the proposed installation and operation of the above referenced facility in Marble Falls, Blanco County. We understand that the proposed facility will be located inside the Colorado River bed and will be in operation for a maximum of 4,800 hours per year. The routine emissions associated with the normal operations at this facility are estimated to be 0.58 tons per year (tpy) of particulate matter (PM) and 1.2 tpy of Total Suspended Particulate (TSP).

After evaluation of the information which you have furnished, we have determined that your facility is exempt from the permit procedures under 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Section 106.143 if constructed and operated as described in your letter. On this basis, no changes in the exemption status will be required. The information which you supplied will be incorporated into the exemption file. This permit by rule authorized by the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) pursuant to 30 TAC Chapter 106.143. A copy of the permit by rule in effect at the time of this determination is enclosed. You must operate in accordance with all requirements of the enclosed permit by rule.

You are reminded that regardless of whether a permit is required, these facilities must be in compliance with all rules and regulations of the TNRCC and of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at all times.

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If you have any questions concerning this permit by rule, please call Mr. Rahsaan R. Cook, at (713) 767-3764 or write to him at Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission, Office of Permitting, Remediation, and Registration, Air Permits Division (MC-162), P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

Sincerely,

Mark S. Gibbs, P.E.
Manager, Mechanical and Combustion Section
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Enclosure

cc: Mr. Chris Smith, Air/Waster Manager, Austin

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