Legal Notice

For

Air Quality Operating Permit for Bulldog Compressor Station of XTO Energy Inc

XTO Energy Inc at 22777 Springwoods Village Parkway W4.6B.344; Spring, TX 77389 has submitted an air quality operating permit application to the New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) for an air quality operating permit for its Bulldog Compressor Station. The owner of this plant is XTO Energy Inc. The exact location of the facility is/will be at latitude and longitude decimal degrees: 32.556666, -103.855277 Datum: WGS84. To aid in locating this facility, the approximate location is 22 miles northeast of Carlsbad in Eddy County, NM. This application file has been assigned an Operating Permit Number P294 and TEMPO Agency Interest ID No. 38798.

Previously, the facility received an air quality construction permit and is in operation.

The main purpose of the facility is to separate oil, natural gas, and water from a nearby pipeline; temporarily store condensate onsite until it is removed via truck or pipeline; and compress dehydrated natural gas for transport through the sales line.

This operating permit application is for a new permit. Per 20.2.70.401.C.(4) NMAC, this permitting action incorporates NSR permit 8153M1 and the facility consists of eleven (11) engines, one gas heater (1), three(3) reboilers, two (2) flares, one (1) still vent emission, two (2) skim tanks, four (4) condensate tanks, two (2) produced water tanks, two (2) vapor recovery units, three (3) TEG dehydrator units, low pressure separator, truck loading and fugitive emissions.

The emissions, as established in NSR Permit 8153M1 and brought forward into this permit are as follows. Emissions are expressed in tons per year (tpy). Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) at 204.7 tpy; Carbon Monoxide (CO) at 226.5 tpy; Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) at 260.2 tpy; Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) at 19.5 tpy; Particulate Matter 10 microns or less (PM₁₀) at 16.8 tpy, and Particulate Matter 2.5 microns or less (PM_{2.5}) at 16.8 tpy; and greenhouse gas (CO₂e) >75,000 tpy.

There are no changes to the existing air emission limits in this permitting action.

The NMED has conducted a preliminary review of the information submitted with the permit application. This review included evaluation of the emission rates and applicable requirements to determine compliance.

The NMED has made a preliminary determination that this facility will comply with the requirements of Title 20, New Mexico Administrative Code (NMAC), Chapter 2, Parts 1, 7, 38, 50, 61, 70, 71, 72, 73, 77 and 82; 40 CFR 50; 40 CFR 60 Subparts A, OOOOa, and JJJJ; 40 CFR 63 Subparts HH and ZZZZ; and the New Mexico Air Quality Control Act. Therefore, the preliminary intent of NMED is to issue the air quality operating permit on or before May 4, 2023.

Interested persons may obtain the draft operating permit, submit written comments, or request a public hearing on Operating Permit Number P294 by contacting Julia Kuhn at the New Mexico Environment Department, Air Quality Bureau, 525 Camino de los Marquez Suite 1, Santa Fe, NM 87505-1816, or by email at julia.kuhn@state.nm.us

Written requests for public hearing must state the nature of the issues proposed to be raised in the hearing. Comments must be based on the requirements of the applicable state and federal air quality regulations and the Clean Air Act. Comments or hearing requests must be received within 30 days after the public notice is published.

Due to the public health emergency order, certain NMED offices are closed to the public. The permit application is currently available for review on the AQB Public Notices of Permitting Actions website www.env.nm.gov/public-notices. The Department contact in Santa Fe is Julia Kuhn at 505-629-2893. Este es un aviso de la oficina de Calidad del Aire del Departamento del Medio Ambiente de Nuevo México, acerca de las emisiones producidas por un establecimiento en esta área. Si usted desea información en español, por favor comuníquese con esa oficina al teléfono 505-476-4311.

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