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GREAT OAKS SOUTH BACKUP GENERATING FACILITY
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DISCUSSION OF AMMONIA EMISSIONS
TIER 4 COMPLIANT ENGINES

Based on the data sheet included in the application, the NH₃ slip will be 20 ppm (@15% O₂) and 0.08 g/bhp-hr. ADI modified the emissions spreadsheet (attached) to include the new emission factors. The composite emission factor of 0.06 g/bhp-hr based on the first 15 minutes was assumed to be zero NH₃ slip and the last 45 minutes was assumed to be at the 20 ppm (15 minutes assumes warmup of the SCR and no NH₃ use). These assumptions were used for 20 hours of Maintenance and Readiness testing for all 36 engines and yield:

- NH₃
- 440 lbs/yr
- 0.61 lb/hr per engine

These emissions are far below the BAAQMD Regulation 2, Rule 5 significance thresholds of 7.1 lb/hr and 7,700 lbs/year.

NH₃ is not a carcinogen but it does have both acute respiratory and eye irritation (1-hour) and chronic respiratory (annual) effects.

- Acute REL (ug/m³) = 3200
- Chronic REL (ug/m³) = 200

We know that the modeled concentration of NH₃ will never approach these levels based, for example, on the NO_x emission rate of 58.2 lbs/hr (100 percent load case, not the D2 cycle weighted data) produces a max impact of less than 200 ug/m³ which is way below the 3200 ug/m³ REL. Same for annual where we get around 3 ug/m³ for NO_x at 20 hours of operation and the chronic REL is 200 ug/m³.

DPM has no acute or chronic impacts so the ammonia would not be additive.

Therefore, NH₃ slip at 20 ppm does not represent any potential for impacts on the HRA.

Emergency Ops

			Single Engine							
Hrs/engine/yr:	100		NOx	CO	VOC	SOx	PM10/2.5	CO2e	NH3	
Warmup hrs:	33.3	1st Hr	lbs/yr	498.92	169.99	55.25	1.70	5.10	167548	20.40
Steady state hrs:	66.7	2 Hrs	lbs/yr	340.492185	340.492185	95.3378117	3.40492185	10.2147655	335598	54.4787495
# engines:	30	Total	lbs/yr	839.42	510.48	150.58	5.10	15.31	503146	74.88
		1 engine	Max lbs/3hr	20.09	10.21	3.09	0.10	0.31	NA	1.43
			30 Engines							
		TPY		Nox	CO	VOC	SOx	PM10/2.5	CO2e	NH3
		30 engines	Max lbs/3hr	602.63	306.29	92.65	3.06	9.19	NA	42.88
		M&R + Emergency Ops	TPY	Nox	CO	VOC	SOx	PM10/2.5	CO2e	NH3
				28.65	9.49	3.10	0.09	0.28	9359	1.34

Scenario 2 BAAQMD Emissions Evaluation

1. 20 hrs of maintenance and readiness (M&R) testing at 100% load, using D2 Cycle EFs
2. 100 hrs of emergency ops, 100% load, T4 EFs
3. Redundant engines will not be run during emergency ops
4. Daily M&R-engines will be tested consecutively, i.e., one engine per hour

M&R Testing

Hrs/engine/yr:	20		Nox	CO	VOC	SOx	PM10/2.5	CO2e	NH3
1 Engine	lbs/hr		44.62	5.10	2.35	0.05	0.15	NA	0.61
1 Engine	lbs/day		44.62	5.10	2.35	0.05	0.15	NA	0.61
1 Engine	TPY		0.446	0.051	0.023	0.001	0.002	50.3	0.006
6 Engines	lbs/day		267.7	30.6	14.1	0.31	0.92	NA	3.68
All Engines	TPY		16.06	1.84	0.85	0.02	0.06	1811	0.22

Emergency Ops

			Single Engine							
Hrs/engine/yr:	100		NOx	CO	VOC	SOx	PM10/2.5	CO2e	NH3	
Hrs/engine/day:	24									
# engines:	30	lbs/hr	5.10	5.10	1.43	0.05	0.15	NA	0.82	
		lbs/day	122.52	122.52	34.30	1.23	3.68	NA	19.60	
		TPY	0.255	0.255	0.071	0.003	0.008	251.57	0.041	
			30 Engines							
		lbs/hr	Nox	CO	VOC	SOx	PM10/2.5	CO2e	NH3	
		lbs/day	153.145	153.145	42.881	1.531	4.594	NA	24.503	
		TPY	3675.478	3675.478	1029.134	36.755	110.264	NA	588.076	
		M&R + Emergency Ops	TPY	7.657	7.657	2.144	0.077	0.230	7547	1.225
				23.72	9.49	2.99	0.09	0.28	9359	1.45

Table 1A-2 Emissions Estimates for Emergency Standby Generators

Engine Mfg:	Cummins	# of Units:	3	Max # of Engines Tested per Day:	3	Redundant Engines:	0								
Model #:	QSX15-G9	<i>(engines are not tested concurrently)</i>													
Fuel:	ULSD	Engine OPs Data													
		Stack Vel,													
Fuel S, %wt:	0.0015	BHP	kWe	Load %	RPM	Fuel, gph	Stk Ht, ft	Stk Diam, in	Stk Temp, F	mmbtu/hr	Stk ACFM	f/s	METRIC UNITS		
Fuel wt, lb/gal:	7.05	731	500	100	1800	34	TBD	12	894	4.73	3442	73.0415	Stk Diam, m	Stk Temp, Kelvins	Stk Vel, m/s
Btu/gal:	139000	554	375	75	1800	25.3	TBD	12	852	3.52	2771	58.8025	0.3048	752.04	22.2631
Lbs S/1000 gal:	0.10575	378	250	50	1800	18.4	TBD	12	828	2.56	2245	47.6404	0.3048	728.71	17.9230
Lbs SO2/1000 gal:	0.2115	201	125	25	1800	10.4	TBD	12	719	1.45	1418	30.0909	0.3048	715.37	14.5208
EPA Tier:	2	96	50	10	1800	5.9	TBD	12	541	0.82	955	20.2657	0.3048	654.82	9.1717
Turbocharged:	Yes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.0000	0.0000	555.93	6.1770
Aftercooled:	Yes												0.0000	0	0.0000
Stack Exit Area (sq.ft) = 0.785398															
Emissions Factor Scenarios (all values in g/bhp-hr)													CO2e		
Scenarios		NOx	CO	VOC	SO2	PM10	PM2.5						lb/mmbtu		
Declared Emergency Ops, 100 hrs/yr, D2 Cycle EFs, 100% Load		3.71	0.40	0.19	0.005	0.080	0.080						163.052		
Maint/Readiness Testing, 20 hrs/yr, D2 Cycle EFs, 100% Load		3.71	0.40	0.19	0.005	0.080	0.080						163.052		
		0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.000	0.000						0		
APC Installed:	Diesel Particulate Filters														
Controlled Emissions Factor Scenarios (all values in g/bhp-hr)													CO2e		
		NOx	CO	VOC	SO2	PM10	PM2.5						lb/mmbtu		
Declared Emergency Ops, 100 hrs/yr, D2 Cycle EFs, 100% Load		3.71	0.40	0.19	0.005	0.015	0.015						163.052		
Maint/Readiness Testing, 20 hrs/yr, D2 Cycle EFs, 100% Load		3.71	0.40	0.19	0.005	0.015	0.015						163.052		
		0.00	0.00	0.00	0	0.000	0.000						0		
Scenario 1:	Declared Emergency Ops, 100 hrs/yr, D2 Cycle EFs, 100% Load														
Max Hourly Runtime:	1														
Max Daily Runtime:	24														
Max Annual Runtime:	100														
		Nox	CO	Single Engine			PM10	PM2.5	CO2e						
	lbs/hr	5.979	0.645	VOC	SO2	0.024	0.024	na							
	lbs/day	143.496	15.471	7.349	0.193	0.580	0.580	na							
	TPY	0.299	0.032	0.015	0.000	0.001	0.001	38.5							
		Nox	CO	All Engines			PM10	PM2.5	CO2e						
	lbs/hr	17.937	1.934	VOC	SO2	0.073	0.073	na							
	lbs/day	430.487	46.414	22.047	0.580	1.741	1.741	na							
	TPY	0.897	0.097	0.046	0.001	0.004	0.004	115.6							

Scenario 2: Maint/Readiness Testing, 20 hrs/yr, D2 Cycle EFs, 100% Load

Max Hourly Runtime:	1								
Max Daily Runtime:	1								
Max Annual Runtime:	20								
		Nox	CO	Single Engine			PM10	PM2.5	CO2e
		lbs/hr	5.979	0.645	0.306	0.008	0.024	0.024	na
		lbs/day	5.979	0.645	0.306	0.008	0.024	0.024	na
		TPY	0.060	0.006	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.706
					3 Engines				
		Nox	CO	VOC	SO2	PM10	PM2.5	CO2e	
		lbs/hr	5.979	0.645	0.306	0.008	0.024	0.024	na
		lbs/day	17.937	1.934	0.919	0.024	0.073	0.073	na
					All Engines				
		TPY	0.179	0.019	0.009	0.0002	0.0007	0.0007	23.118

Scenario 3:

Max Hourly Runtime:	0								
Max Daily Runtime:	0								
Max Annual Runtime:	0								
		NOx	CO	Single Engine			PM10	PM2.5	CO2e
		lbs/hr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	na
		lbs/day	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	na
		TPY	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.00000	0.000
					3 Engines				
		NOx	CO	VOC	SO2	PM10	PM2.5	CO2e	
		lbs/hr	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	na
		lbs/day	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	na
					All Engines				
		TPY	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0000	0.0000	0.000

BAAQMD M/R Testing + Emergency Emissions Totals, TPY:

QSX-15 Scenario 1 + 2	Nox	CO	VOC	SO2	PM10	PM2.5	CO2e
	1.076	0.116	0.055	0.001	0.004	0.004	138.705