

Affected Facility	TransAlta Centralia Generation - Centralia Plant 913 Big Hanaford Road Centralia, WA 98531
Description of Facility	Coal-fired power plant
Source Designation	<u>Major</u> The Centralia Plant has the potential to emit more than 100 tons per year of sulfur dioxide, nitrogen oxides, particulate matter with an aerodynamic diameter less than 10 microns, particulate matter with an aerodynamic diameter less than 2.5 microns, and carbon monoxide which are criteria air pollutants listed under section 302 of the Federal Clean Air Act, more than 100 tons per year of volatile organic compounds (VOCs), and the potential to emit more than 25 tons per year of all hazardous air pollutant (HAP) emissions combined, which are listed under Section 112 of the Clean Air Act.
TransAlta's Request	The Southwest Clean Air Agency (SWCAA) has received a request by TransAlta Centralia Generation to establish a new hourly sulfur dioxide (SO <sub>2</sub> ) emission limit for the coal-fired boilers. The requested emission limit is intended to ensure that SO <sub>2</sub> emissions from the facility will not cause or contribute to an exceedance of the ambient air quality standard for SO <sub>2</sub> issued by the Environmental Protection Agency in 2010. Washington subsequently adopted this same standard in state rules. This new standard is significantly more stringent than previous SO <sub>2</sub> standards.
Anticipated Agency Action	SWCAA intends to issue a Regulatory Order establishing a new SO <sub>2</sub> emission limit for the coal-fired boilers. The new limit would restrict SO <sub>2</sub> mass emissions on an hourly basis. The new SO <sub>2</sub> limit would not replace or relax any existing emission limits. This regulatory action will not impact emissions of other pollutants.
Opportunity for Public Involvement	Any person who wishes to review or comment on this request and the resulting Regulatory Order may: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contact the agency contact person identified below for more information;</li> <li>• Request a public comment period pursuant to SWCAA 400-171(3). Requests for a public comment period must be submitted to SWCAA in writing via letter, fax, or electronic mail no later than the date specified below;</li> <li>• Request a copy of the draft Regulatory Order via regular or electronic mail when available. Requests for a copy of the draft Order must be submitted to SWCAA in writing via letter, fax, or electronic mail no later than the date specified below;</li> <li>• Provide comment on the draft Regulatory Order if a public comment period is provided. Comments must be submitted to SWCAA in writing prior to the end of the designated public comment period; or</li> </ul> Request a public hearing for the draft Regulatory Order. Public hearing requests must be received by SWCAA in writing during the designated public comment period, indicate the interest of the person filing the request, and state why a hearing is warranted. A public hearing will be held if the Control Officer determines that significant public interest exists.
Application Dates	Date received: October 27, 2016 Date of public notice: October 27, 2016
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