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CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation (LCI) State Clearinghouse P.O. Box 3044, 1400 Tenth Street, Room 212 Sacramento, California 95812-3044	From: Department of Toxic Substances Control Permitting Division 8800 Cal Center Drive Sacramento, California 95826
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Project Title: Emergency Permit for Management of Hazardous Waste, RAPT
Therapeutics, Inc., South San Francisco, California

Project Location: 561 Eccles Avenue, South San Francisco, California 94080

County: San Mateo

Project Applicant: Matt Hernan, Senior Facilities Manager

Approval Action Under Consideration by DTSC: Emergency Permit

Statutory Authority: California Health and Safety Code, Chapter 6.5

Project Description: The California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC), pursuant to authority granted under California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 22, Division 4.5, Chapter 20, Sec. 66270.61, has issued an Emergency Permit to the RAPT Therapeutics, Inc., (EPA ID# CAR000254631) to treat hazardous waste through a controlled reaction with chemical solutions/open detonation; transfer and storage of Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) hazardous waste to a trailer that meets the the Department of Transportation's (DOT) flammable specifications and transport the hazardous waste to the final disposition facility. Specifically, one (1) 100-gram container of 1-Hydroxybenzotriazole must be stabilized prior to transport to an authorized hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facility.

This chemical is currently being stored at RAPT Therapeutics, Inc. located at 561 Eccles Avenue, South San Francisco, California. DTSC has determined as a safety precaution to

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prevent an accident or severe injury, an Emergency Permit should be issued for treatment of chemicals to chemically stabilize the hazardous wastes prior to storage and eventual transportation off-site by Triumvirate Environmental, LLC. (TEI).

Background: 1-Hydroxybenzotriazole is a white crystalline powder with lumps and is a primary explosive that is shock-sensitive and friction-sensitive. Due to the potential explosivity and the sensitivity to shock and friction, DTSC considers this chemical to be an imminent and substantial endangerment to human health and the environment. Chemical stabilization is recommended prior to transport to a permitted treatment, storage, and disposal facility.

Project Activities: Because friction and disturbance caused by removing a container cap can potentially trigger the detonation or deflagration of some shock-sensitive chemicals, the TEI's High Hazard Technician will utilize specially designed remote opening equipment to access the containers from a safe distance. Once the bottle has been remotely opened, the 1-Hydroxobenzotriazole will be diluted with deionized water into 1-gallon containers to achieve 1% dilutions. There will be ~40 grams per 1 gallon of water.

Within 10 business days of the expiration of this permit, RAPT Therapeutics, Inc. will submit a final report, signed in accordance with Title 22, CCR Sec. 66270.11(d). The report shall include certification that the treatment area has been cleared of all residual hazardous waste generated from this emergency treatment and all generated waste has been properly managed. The Emergency Permit is effective beginning June 29, 2026 and shall expire on August 27, 2026.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: Department of Toxic Substances Control

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Triumvirate Environmental, LLC. (TEI)

Exempt Status: Emergency Project Public Resources Code (PRC), Sec. 21080(b)(4); 14 CCR, Sec.15269(b)(c)

Reasons Why Project is Exempt: This action is necessary to prevent an emergency. Chemical stabilization of the chemicals is necessary prior to transportation to an

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authorized hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facility to prevent accidental fire and/or explosion during transport.

The administrative record for this project is available to the public by appointment at the following location:

Department of Toxic Substances Control
Permitting Division
File Room
8800 Cal Center Drive
Sacramento, CA 95826

Approver's Name	Approver's Title	Approver's Phone Number
Lung-Yin Tai	Hazardous Substances Engr.	916-255-3615

Approver's Signature:

Date:

Lung-yin Tai

June 24, 2026

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