

**NOTICE CONCERNING PROPOSED KANSAS AIR QUALITY
CONSTRUCTION PERMIT and PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) is soliciting comments regarding a proposed air quality construction permit. AFG Industries, Inc. has applied for an air quality construction permit in accordance with the provisions of K.A.R.28-19-300 to rebuild part of the glass manufacturing plant. Emissions of particulate matter equal to or less than 10 microns in diameter (PM₁₀), volatile organic compounds (VOCs), oxides of nitrogen (NO_x), carbon monoxide (CO), and sulfur dioxide (SO₂) were evaluated during the permit review process.

AFG Industries, Inc. owns and operates a stationary source located at 20400 N. Webster, Spring Hill, Kansas 66083 in Johnson County at which the facility will rebuild their glass manufacturing furnace and limit their average glass production.

A public comment period has been established to allow citizens the opportunity to express any concerns they may have about this proposed permitting action. The public comment period is to begin on August 30 2007, and will end on October 1, 2007, at noon. All comments should be submitted in writing to James Stewart, Bureau of Air and Radiation, 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 310, Topeka, Kansas 66612-1366 or presented at the public hearing.

Any member of the public may request to hold a public hearing to receive comments on the proposed issuance of the draft air quality construction permit. Written requests to hold a public hearing should be sent to the attention of Ms. Sherry Walker at the address listed above or by FAX to (785) 291-3953 and must be received by noon on Monday, October 1, 2007. If a request is received, a public hearing is tentatively scheduled by the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) at the Civic Center, Room 10, 401 N. Madison Street, Spring Hill, Kansas 66083 on Tuesday, October 2, 2007, at 7:00pm. **If no requests to hold the public hearing are received by noon on October 1, 2007, the public hearing will be cancelled.**

A copy of the proposed permit, permit application, all supporting documentation, and all information relied upon during the permit application review process are available for public review for a period of 30 days from the date of publication during normal business hours (8:00 AM to 5:00 PM) at the KDHE, Bureau of Air and Radiation (BAR), 1000 SW Jackson, Suite 310, Topeka, Kansas 66612-1366. Also, a copy of the proposed permit only can be reviewed, at the KDHE Johnson County Environmental Department, 11811 S. Sunset, Suite 2700, Olathe, Kansas 66061. To obtain or review the proposed permit and supporting documentation, contact James Stewart, (785) 296-1556 at the central office of the KDHE and to review the proposed permit only, contact the Air Quality Representative at (913) 715-6939, in the Johnson County Environmental Department. The standard departmental cost will be assessed for any copies requested.

Roderick L. Bremby, Secretary
Kansas Department of Health and Environment