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## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

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October 5, 2023

MR TODD SALERNO  
PLANT MANAGER  
LINDE INC  
1585 SAWDUST RD STE 300  
THE WOODLANDS TX 77380-2095

Re: Initial Permit  
Permit Numbers: 172324, PSDTX1620, and GHGPSDTX231  
Expiration Date: October 5, 2033  
Linde Inc.  
Nederland Facility  
Nederland, Jefferson County  
Regulated Entity Number: RN111708863  
Customer Reference Number: CN600130645

Dear Mr. Salerno:

Linde Inc. has requested an initial permit concerning the above-referenced project. In accordance with Title 30 Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Chapter 116 your permit is hereby issued. Enclosed are general conditions, special conditions, and a maximum allowable emission rates table.

This permit will be automatically void upon the occurrence of any of the following, as indicated in 30 TAC §116.120(a):

1. Failure to begin construction within 18 months of the date of issuance,
2. Discontinuance of construction for more than 18 months prior to completion, or
3. Failure to complete construction within a reasonable time.

Upon request, the executive director may grant extensions as allowed in 30 TAC §116.120(b).

All preconstruction authorizations (including the pending authorization, permit GHGPSDTX231) must be obtained prior to start of construction.

If you need further information or have any questions, please contact Mr. Harry Xue, P.E. at (512) 239-0541 or write to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of Air, Air Permits Division, MC-163, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087.

Sincerely,

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Samuel Short, Deputy Director  
Air Permits Division  
Office of Air  
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Enclosure

cc: Air Section Manager, Region 10 - Beaumont  
Air Permits Section Chief, New Source Review Section (6PD-R), U.S. Environmental Protection  
Agency, Region 6, Dallas

Project Number: 355639