

Prevention of Significant Air Quality Deterioration Review  
Weyerhaeuser – Port Wentworth Mill,  
located in Port Wentworth, Georgia (Chatham County)

**FINAL DETERMINATION**  
SIP/Title V Permit Application No. 16155  
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## BACKGROUND

On April 9, 2005, the Weyerhaeuser – Port Wentworth Mill (hereafter “Weyerhaeuser”) submitted an application for an air quality permit to modify the market pulp dryer at the Port Wentworth pulp mill. The facility is located at 1 Bonnybridge Road in Port Wentworth, in Chatham County. The modifications to the market pulp dryer include the addition of eight new dryer decks, steam system pressure increase modifications, upgraded drivers, and a new dryer heat recovery system.

On February 9, 2006, the Division issued a Preliminary Determination stating that the modifications described in Application No. 16155 should be approved. The Preliminary Determination contained a draft Air Quality Permit for the construction and operation of the modified equipment.

The Division requested that Weyerhaeuser place a public notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the existing facility notifying the public of the proposed construction and providing the opportunity for written public comment. Such public notice was placed in *The Savannah Morning News* (legal organ for Chatham County) on February 15, 2006. The public comment period expired on March 17, 2006.

There were no comments received from the Region IV of the U.S. EPA, the applicant, or the general public.

A copy of the final permit is included as Appendix A.

**APPENDIX A**

**AIR QUALITY PERMIT**

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