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FINAL POST CLOSURE PERMIT, PROCESS WATER POND, CONOCO PHILLIPS
LOS ANGELES REFINERY, CARSON PLANT, CALIFORNIA (EPA ID NUMBER
CAD 980881676)

Dear Ms. Wisdom:

The California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) has made the decision to issue the final Post Closure Permit for the closed Process Water Pond (PWP) at ConocoPhillips Los Angeles Refinery Carson Plant at 1520 East Sepulveda Boulevard, Carson, California.

In accordance with title 22, California Code of Regulations (CCR), section 66270.42(c), DTSC sent a notice of the draft Post Closure Permit to all persons on the facility mailing list and appropriate units of State and local government. The notification was also published in the Daily Breeze on August 23, 2007.

The public comment period for the draft Post Closure Permit and California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) draft Notice of Exemption (NOE) was from August 23, 2007 to October 9, 2007. On September 11, 2007, a public meeting was held at the Carson Public Library located at 151 East Carson Street, Carson. DTSC received three comments from ConocoPhillips during the comment period.

The final Permit is issued by DTSC in accordance with the CCR, title 22, section 66271.14 and becomes effective on November 27, 2007 unless a petition for review is filed pursuant to CCR, title 22, section 66271.18. Enclosed is a copy of the signed Final Post Closure Permit, the Response to Comments document, the DTSC memorandum to file listing the revisions made to the Draft Permit in response to public comments, a redline/strikeout version of the permit showing all the changes from Draft to the Final Permit and Final Notice of Exemption.

The final Permit includes three modifications as a result of the comments received on the draft Post Closure Permit and internal review by DTSC staff. A copy of the Response to Comments is enclosed.

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The final Post Closure Permit may be appealed in accordance with CCR, title 22, section 66271.18. Any person who filed comments on the draft Post Closure Permit may petition the DTSC to review any condition of the permit decision. Any person who failed to file comments on the draft Post Closure Permit may petition for administrative review only to the extent of the changes from the draft Permit to the final Permit.

The 30-day period within which a person may request review begins on October 25, 2007 and ends on November 26, 2007. A petition must be postmarked no later than November 26, 2007 and must be sent to:

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with a complete copy to:

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The petition shall include a statement of the reasons supporting the request for review, including a demonstration that any issues being raised were raised during the public comment period and when appropriate, a showing that the condition in question is based on:

- 1) a finding of fact or conclusion of law which is clearly erroneous, or
- 2) an exercise of discretion or an important policy consideration which DTSC should review.

Any questions regarding this final Post Closure Permit should be directed to Mr. Mike Eshaghian at (818) 551-2926.

Sincerely,

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