

May 13, 2010

County Clerk, Tasha Arterberry
County of Los Angeles
12400 E. Imperial Hwy, Room 2001
Norwalk, CA 90650

Ms. Arterberry:

Re: Notice of Determination – Addendum to the Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Chevron Products Company, El Segundo Refinery, Product Reliability and Optimization Project - SCH No. 2007081057

Enclosed are two copies of a Notice of Determination (NOD) for the above project, which is located in Los Angeles County. The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) document for the project was certified on May 13, 2010. Please record and post according to the provisions of CEQA. Enclosed is a check for \$75 to cover the handling fee for posting the NOD.

The proposed project is an Addendum to the Final EIR for the Chevron Products Company (Chevron) Product Reliability and Optimization (PRO) Project (SCH No. 2007081057), which was determined in September 6, 2007, to be exempt from the Department of Fish and Game filing fee pursuant to §753.5(d), Title 14, California Code of Regulations (CCR) due to a no effect impact on wildlife and the habitat upon which the wildlife depends. For your reference, a copy of the NOD dated May 9, 2008, the Department of Fish and Game Environmental Filing Fee Cash Receipt stamped by your office, and the CEQA Filing Fee No Effect Determination form are also included. The changes to the project for which this addendum was prepared will have no effect on biological resources. Based on the proposed modifications, only minor additions or changes are necessary to make the May 2008 Final EIR adequate for the proposed project. Therefore, when considering the effects of the proposed project, the SCAQMD has concluded that an Addendum to the Final EIR is the appropriate document to be prepared in accordance with CEQA (CEQA Guidelines §15164) in order to evaluate potential environmental impacts associated with the proposed project.

Please confirm receipt of one copy and return to the undersigned. Self addressed envelopes have been provided for your convenience. If you have any questions, you can call me at (909) 396-3054 or Jeff Inabinet at (909) 396-2453.

Sincerely,

Steve Smith, Ph.D.
Program Supervisor
Office of Planning and Policy

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION

To: *County Clerk, Harnell Harper* **From:** *South Coast Air Quality Management District*
County of Los Angeles
12400 E. Imperial Hwy, Room 2001 *21865 Copley Drive*
Norwalk, California 90650 *Diamond Bar, California 91765*

SUBJECT: *FILING OF NOTICE OF DETERMINATION IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 21152 OF THE PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE*

Project Title: Addendum to the Final EIR for the Chevron Products Company, El Segundo Refinery, Product Reliability and Optimization Project

SCH Number: 2007081057 **Date Certified:** May 13, 2010

Contact Person: Jeff Inabinet **Telephone Number:** (909) 396 - 2453

Project Location: The El Segundo Refinery is located at 324 West El Segundo Boulevard, El Segundo, California, 90243, Los Angeles County.

Project Description: Chevron is proposing modifications to a previously approved project, which would change the tankage as approved, and add a scrubber to the tail gas unit (TGU) for additional control of sulfur oxides (SOx) to meet Best Available Control Technology (BACT) requirements established by the South Coast Air Quality Management District's (SCAQMD) during the permitting process.

This is to advise that the *South Coast Air Quality Management District* has approved the above described project and has made the following determinations regarding the above described project:

1. The proposed project will not have a significant adverse impact on the environment.
2. An Addendum to the Final EIR was prepared for this project pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.
3. Mitigation measures were not made a condition of the approval of this project.
4. A mitigation reporting or monitoring plan under PRC Section 21081.6 was not adopted for this project.
5. A Statement of Overriding Considerations was not required or adopted for this project because the potential environmental impacts were not significant.
6. Findings were not made pursuant to the provisions of CEQA.

This is to certify that the Addendum to the Final EIR, supporting documentation, and record of project approval may be examined at: SCAQMD, 21865 Copley Drive, Diamond Bar, CA. 91765

Date Received for Filing

Signature: _____
Barry R. Wallerstein, D. Env.
Executive Officer