

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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QEP Energy Company Attention: Andrea Hoskins 1050 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 800 Denver, Colorado 80265 Andrea.hoskins@qepres.com

Re: QEP Energy Company, Docket No. CAA-08-2019-0007

Dear Ms. Hoskins:

Pursuant to paragraph 73 of the consent agreement referenced above ("Agreement"), QEP Energy Company ("QEP") has requested to be relieved of its obligations under the Agreement. The transferee, Oasis Petroleum North America LLC, has agreed to be bound by the terms of the Agreement, with the exception of paragraph 70 (Civil Penalty), and to implement the conditions of paragraph 72 of the Agreement in accordance with paragraphs 73(b) and (c) at all of the Tank Systems identified in Appendix A of the Consent Agreement, except for Tank Systems 18 and 26, which were previously transferred to Slawson Exploration Company, Inc.

QEP has met all the requirements of paragraph 73 of the Agreement and EPA hereby approves QEP's request, in accordance with paragraph 73(e) of the Agreement.

Please direct any questions to Abigail Dean, the staff attorney assigned to this matter, at (303) 312-6106.

Sincerely,

Suzanne J. Bohan, Director Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division

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