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Mr. Gerardo Rios
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Dear Mr. Rios:

Proposed De-Minimus Significant Revision to Title V Permit for Chevron USA Inc., Montebello (ID# 8000032)

Enclosed for your review is the proposed revision to the Title V permit for Chevron USA Inc. located at 601 S. Vail Ave., Montebello, CA 90640. This revision is considered to be a de-minimus significant revision and a public notice is not required. Chevron is making this change to comply with a state law requiring a higher ethanol content for gasoline. **Due to the urgency of this project, we respectfully request your expedited review of this proposal.** We are enclosing a draft permit as shown below, and the engineering evaluation.

Chevron USA Inc. (ID 800032) has proposed to revise their Title V permit by increasing their throughput in their ethanol storage tank.

SECTION D (Permit to Operate) Revision # 1

Appl. No.	Equipment	Description
501749 (previously identified as 484641)	Ethanol Storage Tank	Increase throughput from 143,000 to 190,000 barrels in any one calendar month.

The initial Title V permit for this facility was issued on May 25, 2009. This is the first revision and is covered under Application No. 500190.

The proposed changes will result in a negligible increase of emissions from the increase in throughput in the ethanol storage tank (less than one pound per day).

This package is being submitted electronically in order to facilitate your review. If you have any questions or need additional information concerning the proposed Title V package, please contact Mr. Arturo Arreola, P.E. at 909.396.2534.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosures

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