



# South Coast Air Quality Management District

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via electronic submittal

Mr. Gerardo Rios  
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SUBJECT: Proposed Minor Revision to Title V Facility Permit  
ConocoPhillips Refinery, Carson  
1520 E. Sepulveda Blvd.  
Carson, CA 90745

REFERENCE: SCAQMD Facility ID: 800362  
Title V Application No. 503016

Dear Mr. Rios:

The South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) has received and reviewed a Title V application for a Minor Revision to the ConocoPhillips, Carson Refinery facility permit. ConocoPhillips is submitting a compliance plan for AQMD Rule 1123 – Refinery Process Turnarounds. The proposed permit change qualifies as a minor revision and is subject to a 45-day EPA review (AQMD Rule 3003). The plan is listed in the table below.

|   | A/N    | Equipment                 | Device ID | Permit Action   | Section | Process | System |
|---|--------|---------------------------|-----------|-----------------|---------|---------|--------|
| 1 | 331746 | Rule 1123 Compliance Plan | n/a       | Compliance Plan | I       | --      | --     |

The AQMD is required under Rule 3003(j) to provide a copy of the proposed permit to the EPA administrator for a 45-day review. A copy of the proposed revision to the existing Title V permit is attached along with our evaluation, draft approval letter, and the compliance plan submitted by ConocoPhillips for your review. As agreed with your staff, we are submitting the required documents to the email address [R9AirPermits\\_SC@epa.gov](mailto:R9AirPermits_SC@epa.gov).

If you have any questions or wish to provide comments regarding this proposed permit, please contact Ms. Meredith Hankins (909) 396-2493 ([mhankins@aqmd.gov](mailto:mhankins@aqmd.gov)) or Mr. Bhaskar Chandan at (909) 396-3902 ([bchandan@aqmd.gov](mailto:bchandan@aqmd.gov)).

Sincerely,



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Senior Manager

Refinery and Waste Management Permitting  
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Enclosures: Proposed revision to Title V permit, Section I  
Evaluation report for A/N 331746

cc w/o enclosures: Marshall Waller, Senior Environmental Engineer, ConocoPhillips Los  
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