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via electronic submittal

Mr. Gerardo Rios
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SUBJECT: Proposed Minor Revision to Title V Facility Permit
ConocoPhillips - Wilmington Refinery
1660 West Anaheim Street
Wilmington, CA 90744

REFERENCE: SCAQMD Facility ID: 800363
SCAQMD Application #'s 501727, 501735, 457557

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 - Wilmington Refinery Facility Permit. ConocoPhillips is proposing to add geodesic domes to two existing external floating roof storage tanks and update their Rule 1178 compliance plan. The proposed permit changes qualify as a minor revision.

	A/N	Equipment	Device ID	Permit Action	Section	Process	System
1	501727	Storage Tank No. 66	D555	Add geodesic dome to existing external floating roof storage tank; Move device from: Section D, Process 13, System 3	D	13	8
2	501735	Storage Tank No. 6	D549	Add geodesic dome to existing external floating roof storage tank; Move device from: Section D, Process 13, System 3	D	13	8
3	457557	Rule 1178 Compliance Plan	n/a	Revised Rule 1178 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 for your review. Please note that the evaluation contains information designated as confidential business information by ConocoPhillips. As agreed with your staff, we are submitting the required documents to the email address R9AirPermits_SC@epa.gov.

If you have any questions or wish to provide comments regarding this proposed permit, please contact Mr. Jonathan Uhl (909) 396-2725 (juhl@aqmd.gov) or Mr. Paul Park at (909) 396-2568 (ppark@aqmd.gov).

Sincerely,



Jay Chen, P.E.

Senior Manager

Refinery and Waste Management Permitting

Engineering and Compliance

Enclosures: Proposed Revision to Title V Permit, Sections D & I
Evaluation for A/N's 501727, 501735 & 457557

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