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April 11, 2014

Mr. Robert Gray
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Re: Corrections to Transcription Errors in Draft Permit, NPDES Permit No: MA0004006

Dear Mr. Gray:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1 (EPA) recently discerned several transcription errors in the recently issued Sunoco Logistics Terminal Draft Permit. This letter provides notification that these errors have been corrected. EPA has provided a copy of the corrected Draft Permit for your reference. EPA has also posted notice of these corrections, as well as the corrected document, a copy of this letter, and a summary document detailing the corrections, on EPA's website at

http://www.epa.gov/region1/npdes/chelseacreekfuelterminals/index.html.

Specifically, EPA has corrected the Draft Permit's effluent limits for total suspended solids (TSS) for Outfall 001 (see Part I.A.1. page 2) and monitoring and reporting requirements (see Part I.E. pages 24-26). The Fact Sheet does not contain errors and has not been changed. The corrections were needed due to errors by EPA in transcribing the effluent limits and reporting requirements to the Draft Permit from the Fact Sheet, dated March 10, 2014. The Fact Sheet provides the determinations and analysis that establish and explain the Draft Permit's technology-based effluent limits for TSS at outfall 001 and the monitoring and reporting requirements applicable to a Permittee not yet using EPA's web-based tool for reporting, "NetDMR".

Part I.E., pages 24-26, of the Draft Permit contain the typical requirements for a Permittee not yet using NetDMR for reporting and monitoring, consistent with the requirements included in the Draft Permits issued concurrently for Gulf Oil Terminal (MA0001091) and Irving Oil Terminal (MA0001929). In addition, the chart below shows the corrections made for Outfall 001 in the Draft Permit, page 2, to make them consistent with EPA's Fact Sheet, as EPA intended:

Effluent Characteristic	Discharge Limitation		Monitoring Requirements ¹	
Parameter	Average Monthly	Maximum Daily	Measurement Frequency ²	Sample Type ³
TOTAL SUSPENDED SOLIDS	30 mg/L	100 mg/L	Monthly	Grab

^{*} Italicized items denote changes to documents.

EPA suspects that you and others may already have detected these errors in your review of the Draft Permit and Fact Sheet.

Although EPA could have waited until receiving public comments to make any corrections necessary to "synchronize" the Draft Permit and Fact Sheet, EPA decided it would be better to make the corrections and notify the interested public immediately in order to avoid or minimize unnecessary confusion. EPA has also determined that it is not necessary to further extend the current 60-day comment period. The correct limits and monitoring and reporting requirements were presented and explained in the Fact Sheet, and, as of this date, more than 30 days remain in the comment period.

EPA regrets any confusion that has resulted from the above-described transcription errors.

If you have any technical questions regarding this notification letter, please contact Shauna Little at (617) 918-1989.

Sincerely,

David M. Webster, Chief

Water Permits Branch

Office of Ecosystem Protection

Enclosure

cc: C. Vakalopoulos, MassDEP

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