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January 07, 2011

Emergency Response Commission
DPS & Corrections- Office of State Police
Transportation & Environmental Safety Section
Right to Know Unit Mail
P. O. Box 66168
Baton Rouge, LA 70896

COURTESY ONLY
HAZMAT No. 10-06241
AI#2538, 2624-V10
ConocoPhillips
Area B #1/2 SRU

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This letter is to follow-up the telephone notification on October 25, 2010. The notification was regarding a release of SO2 from an upset in the SRU. The tail gas unit experienced a foaming incident. The engineering calculations determined that max hourly permit limit was slightly exceeded but no RQ was exceeded. The permit limit exceedance of 42.4lbs SO2 / hr will be reported on the Title V deviation report. This was a courtesy only notification.

Should you have any questions concerning the notification, please call Anna Todd at 337-491-4567.

Sincerely,

Starr Livingston

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cc: Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality
7010 0290 0001 2542 9820
Attn: Single Point of Contact (SPOC)
P. O. Box 4312
Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4312

Mr. Billy Eakin, LDEQ
La. Dept. of Environmental Quality
1301 Gadwall Street
Lake Charles, LA 70615

Local Emergency Planning Commission
C/O Office of Emergency Preparedness
Right to Know Unit Mail
P.O. Box 1391
Lake Charles, LA 70602

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SPOC

INCIDENT # 10-06241 SOURCE: STATE POLICE HAZMAT HOTLINE
877-925-6595 / 225-925-6595

** (INITIAL REPORT) DATE AND TIME

HOTLINE NOTIFIED: 10/25/10 15:20

INCIDENT OCCURRED: 10/25/10 15:05

510-3826
T 12-7251
GQ
SAW

** (INITIAL REPORT) INCIDENT LOCATION

PARISH: Calcasieu

ADDRESS: 2200 Old Spanish Trail

CITY: Westlake

** (INITIAL REPORT) CALLER INFORMATION

CALLER'S NAME: Danny Doga

CALLER'S ADDRESS OR EMPLOYER: ConocoPhillips Refinery

CALLER'S PHONE NUMBER: 337-491-5301

** (INITIAL REPORT) RESPONSIBLE PARTY

NAME: ConocoPhillips Refinery

MAILING ADDRESS: PO Box 37

CITY,STATE,ZIP: Westlake, LA 70669

** (INITIAL REPORT) DETAILS

Upset on a unit on one of the towers... Due to the upset it allowed the SO2 and SO3 to escape through the stack to the atmosphere... The tower was lined out within 10 minutes... Everything is back to normal operating conditions...

** (INITIAL REPORT) CHEMICAL INFORMATION

CHEMICAL 1: Sulfur Dioxide

QTY: Unk

RELEASED STATE: Gas CLASS: Poison Gas ID: 1079 EHS: Yes

CHEMICAL 2: Sulfur Trioxide

QTY: Unk

RELEASED STATE: Gas CLASS: Poison Gas ID: 1829 EHS: Yes

OCT 25 15:49

** (INITIAL REPORT) RELEASE INFORMATION

INCIDENT CLASSIFICATION: Unusual Event

DID MATERIAL GO OFFSITE? Yes

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