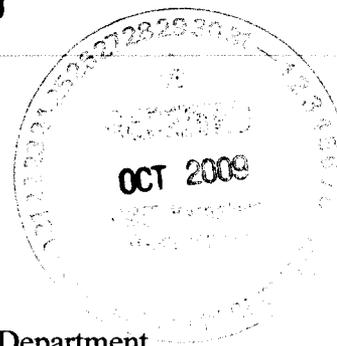


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**Re: In The Matter of Western Refining Southwest, Inc.
Complaint and Consent Agreement and Final Order
Docket No. RCRA-06-2009-0936**

Gentlemen:

Western Refining Southwest, Inc. (Western) received on September 1, 2009 the fully executed Complaint and Consent Agreement and Final (CAFO) filed under Docket No. RCRA-06-2009-0936. Pursuant to the Section V.A "Penalty Provisions" of the CAFO, enclosed is a copy of the Payment Transaction Details for Wire Transfer in the amount of \$734,008.00. This wire transfer was initiated on October 23, 2009 and transferred on October 26, 2009 as full payment of the civil penalty assessed by the CAFO.

Payment of the penalty was made within 60 days of receipt by Western of the fully executed CAFO as required by Paragraph 104. Simultaneous notices of payment with Payment Transaction Details for Wire Transfer are being provided to the following EPA representatives as required by Paragraphs 102 and 105 of the CAFO.

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Please call me at (915) 534-1480 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Leslie Ann Allen
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Health, Safety, Environment and Regulatory Affairs

Enclosure: Payment Transaction Detail

copy: Mark Turri
Western Refining – Gallup Refinery

Ed Riege
Western Refining – Gallup Refinery

Bank of America Direct

Luisa Arellano | Western Refining Inc
10/26/2009 11:31 CDT
Last Sign In: 10/26/2009 at 09:31 MST

Bank of America

Payments Receipts Treasury Trade Images Notifications

Payment Transaction Details

Payment 1 of 1 Total Payments

PI Reference: 27437056
Debit Account: 004770649289
Account Name: Western Refining Company LP
Payment Amount: USD 734,008.00
Value Date: 10/26/2009
Your Reference: WT012829

Payment Status: Payment Completed
Payment Type: USD Wire
Initiated: 10/23/2009 19:21 CDT by ER132509
Last Modified: 10/23/2009 19:21 CDT by ER132509
Last Rejected:
Last Approved: 10/23/2009 19:21 CDT by NOT REQU
Released: 10/23/2009 19:21 CDT by ER132509

Ordering Party Info

ID Type:
ID:
Name:
Address:

Trace Reference: 27437056
Service Conf: 20091026B6B7HU2R000804
Template Used: FEDERAL RES

RECEIVING BANK

Provided By:

ID Type:
ID:
Name:
Address:
City:
State:
Country:

INTERMEDIARY BANK

Provided By: User

ID Type:
ID:
Name:
Address:
City:
State:
Country:

BENEFICIARY BANK INFORMATION

ID Type: ABA
ID: 021030004
Name: DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
Address: 33 LIBERTY ST
City: NEW YORK CITY
State: NY
Country: US

BENEFICIARY INFORMATION

ID Type: ACCT
ID: 68010727
Name: Federal Reserve Bank of New York
Address:

Bank-To-Bank Info:

Details of D 68010727 Environmental Protection Agency-IN THE MATTER OF WESTERN REFINING SOUTHWEST, INC DOCKET NO RCRA-06
Payment: 2009-0936

Charges: None Selected

Exit Details