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**Subject:** Navajo Refinery ACO 2013-001

## Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the Amended and Supplemental Agreed Compliance Order 2013-001 (dated November 14, 2013) ("ACO"), Navajo Refinery submitted its Quarterly Report for the third quarter of 2015 on October 30, 2015. OCD has reviewed the report. Since the selenium results have been below the limit for four consecutive quarters, and Navajo has met all the other requirements of the ACO, the ACO is hereby terminated. Operations at the facility remain subject to the terms of the discharge permits and other orders.

We do note, as you are aware, that the selenium removal efficiency at the SeRT unit has declined over the past 6 months (Table 3 of the Quarterly Report). The selenium levels at the injection well sampling point remain well below the regulatory limits, and OCD recently approved upgrades to the selenium removal system.

We would like to thank Navajo Refinery for their diligence in pursuing and achieving compliance with standards. We look forward to working with you to advance other projects at the Refinery.

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