

Executive Summary – Enforcement Matter – Case No. 49472
Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC
RN106018260
Docket No. 2014-1519-AIR-E

Order Type:

1660 Agreed Order

Findings Order Justification:

N/A

Media:

AIR

Small Business:

No

Location(s) Where Violation(s) Occurred:

LDH Energy Mont Belvieu Fractioner Project, 9850 Farm-to-Market Road 1942,
Baytown, Chambers County

Type of Operation:

Fractionation facility

Other Significant Matters:

Additional Pending Enforcement Actions: No

Past-Due Penalties: No

Other: N/A

Interested Third-Parties: None

Texas Register Publication Date: February 6, 2015

Comments Received: No

Penalty Information

Total Penalty Assessed: \$11,700

Amount Deferred for Expedited Settlement: \$2,340

Amount Deferred for Financial Inability to Pay: \$0

Total Paid to General Revenue: \$4,680

Total Due to General Revenue: \$0

Payment Plan: N/A

SEP Conditional Offset: \$4,680

Name of SEP: Barbers Hill Independent School District (Third-Party Pre-Approved)

Compliance History Classifications:

Person/CN - Satisfactory

Site/RN - Satisfactory

Major Source: Yes

Statutory Limit Adjustment: N/A

Applicable Penalty Policy: April 2014

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Investigation Information

Complaint Date(s): N/A

Complaint Information: N/A

Date(s) of Investigation: June 27, 2014 through August 29, 2014

Date(s) of NOE(s): September 30, 2014

Violation Information

Failed to comply with maximum allowable hourly emissions rates. Specifically, during the performance stack test conducted on March 14, 2014, the Respondent exceeded the 0.77 pound per hour ("lb/hr") emissions rate for nitrogen oxides ("NOx") for the FRAC I Thermal Oxidizer, Emission Point Number ("EPN") 002-THERMO, by 2.33 lbs/hr of NOx, resulting in the unauthorized release of 11,743.20 pounds of NOx [30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 116.115(b)(2) and 122.143(4), TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE § 382.085(b), Federal Operating Permit No. O3586, Special Terms and Conditions Nos. 8 and 11B, and Standard Permit Registration No. 93813].

Corrective Actions/Technical Requirements

Corrective Action(s) Completed:

N/A

Technical Requirements:

1. The Order will require the Respondent to implement and complete a Supplemental Environmental Project ("SEP"). (See SEP Attachment A)
2. The Order will also require the Respondent to:
 - a. Within 60 days, conduct a stack test to demonstrate compliance with the maximum allowable emissions rate for NOx from EPN 002-THERMO, in accordance with Standard Permit Registration No. 93813; and
 - b. Within 75 days, submit written certification demonstrating compliance with Ordering Provision a.

Litigation Information

Date Petition(s) Filed: N/A

Date Answer(s) Filed: N/A

SOAH Referral Date: N/A

Hearing Date(s): N/A

Settlement Date: N/A

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Contact Information

TCEQ Attorney: N/A

TCEQ Enforcement Coordinator: Amancio R. Gutierrez, Enforcement Division, Enforcement Team 5, MC 149, (512) 239-3921; Candy Garrett, Enforcement Division, MC 219, (512) 239-1456

TCEQ SEP Coordinator: Stuart Beckley, SEP Coordinator, Enforcement Division, MC 219, (512) 239-3565

Respondent: Ashley Harrison, Senior Environmental Specialist, Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC, P.O. Box 250, Mont Belvieu, Texas 77580

Brad Widener, Senior Director Operations, Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC, P.O. Box 250, Mont Belvieu, Texas 77580

Respondent's Attorney: N/A

Attachment A
Docket Number: 2014-1519-AIR-E
SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT

Respondent:	Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC
Penalty Amount:	Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$9,360)
SEP Offset Amount:	Four Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$4,680)
Type of SEP:	Contribution to a Third-Party Pre-Approved SEP
Third-Party Administrator:	Barbers Hill Independent School District
Project Name:	<i>Energy Efficiency Building Upgrade/Retrofit Project</i>
Location of SEP:	Chambers County

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (“TCEQ”) agrees to offset a portion of the administrative penalty amount assessed in this Agreed Order for the Respondent to contribute to a Supplemental Environmental Project (“SEP”). The offset is equal to the SEP Offset Amount set forth above and is conditioned upon completion of the project in accordance with the terms of this Attachment A.

1. Project Description

a. Project

The Respondent shall contribute the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator named above. The contribution will be to the **Barbers Hill Independent School District** for the *Energy Efficiency Building Upgrade/Retrofit Project*. The contribution will be used in accordance with the SEP between the Third-Party Administrator and the TCEQ (the “Project”). Specifically, the SEP Offset Amount will be used to pay a contractor to install and monitor sub-meters. The contractor's work will include installing revenue grade electric sub-meters in the line feed of certain facilities; installing revenue grade current transformers; incorporating all engineering, software, and graphics to accomplish effective monitoring of the status of this equipment; and a one-year warranty including parts and labor for the new sub-meters. In addition to sub-metering, the Third-Party Administrator shall use the SEP Offset Amount to pay its contractor to monitor, calibrate, and repair existing meters and to complete energy efficiency upgrades and/or retrofits based on needs identified in energy audits. The SEP will be done in accordance with all federal, state, and local environmental laws and regulations.

All dollars contributed will be used solely for the direct cost of implementing the Project, including but not limited to supplies, materials, and equipment. Any portion of this contribution that is not able to be spent on the specifically identified SEP may, at the discretion of the Executive Director (“ED”), be applied to another pre-approved SEP.

The Respondent’s signature affixed to this Agreed Order certifies that the Respondent has no prior commitment to make this contribution and that it is being contributed solely in an effort to settle this enforcement action. The Respondent shall not profit in any manner from this SEP.

b. Environmental Benefit

The Project will result in reduced energy consumption by school district buildings and will contribute to the overall reduction of greenhouse gases. The sub-metering is expected to reduce energy consumption up to eight percent. The Project will reduce fuel and electricity usage for heating and cooling and day-to-day operations. These reductions will reduce emission of particulate matter, volatile organic carbon compounds, nitrogen oxides, and other pollutants associated with the combustion of fuel and generation of electricity. It will also contribute to a reduction in peak loads on the State electric power grid.

c. Minimum Expenditure

The Respondent shall contribute at least the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator and comply with all other provisions of this SEP.

2. Performance Schedule

Within 30 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, the Respondent must contribute the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator. The Respondent shall make the check payable to **Barbers Hill ISD SEP** and shall mail the contribution with a copy of the Agreed Order to:

John Johnson, Consultant
Carl R. Griffith & Associates, Inc.
2901 Turtle Creek Drive, Suite 445
Port Arthur, Texas 77642

3. Records and Reporting

Concurrent with the payment of the SEP Offset Amount, the Respondent shall provide the Enforcement SEP Coordinator with a copy of the check and transmittal letter indicating full payment of the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator. The Respondent shall mail a copy of the check and transmittal letter to:

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Enforcement Division
Attention: SEP Coordinator, MC 219
P.O. Box 13087
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

4. Failure to Fully Perform

If the Respondent does not perform its obligations under this Attachment A, including full expenditure of the SEP Offset Amount and submittal of the required reporting described in Sections 2 and 3 above, the ED may require immediate payment of all or part of the SEP Offset Amount.

In the event the ED determines that the Respondent failed to fully implement and complete the Project, the Respondent shall remit payment for all or a portion of the SEP Offset Amount, as determined by the ED, and as set forth in the attached Agreed Order. After receiving notice of failure to complete the SEP, the Respondent shall include the docket number of the attached Agreed Order and a note that the enclosed payment is for the reimbursement of a SEP; shall make the check payable to "Texas Commission on Environmental Quality;" and shall mail it to:

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Litigation Division
Attention: SEP Coordinator, MC 175
P.O. Box 13087
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

5. Publicity

Any public statements concerning this SEP and/or project, made by or on behalf of the Respondent must include a clear statement that **the project was performed as part of the settlement of an enforcement action brought by the TCEQ.** Such statements include advertising, public relations, and press releases.

6. Clean Texas Program

The Respondent shall not include this SEP in any application made to TCEQ under the "Clean Texas" (or any successor) program(s). Similarly, the Respondent may not seek recognition for this contribution in any other state or federal regulatory program.

7. Other SEPs by TCEQ or Other Agencies

The SEP Offset Amount identified in this Attachment A and in the attached Agreed Order has not been, and shall not be, included as a SEP for the Respondent under any other Agreed Order negotiated with the TCEQ or any other agency of the state or federal government.



Penalty Calculation Worksheet (PCW)

Policy Revision 4 (April 2014)

PCW Revision March 26, 2014

TCEQ

DATES	Assigned	6-Oct-2014	Screening	10-Oct-2014	EPA Due	27-Jun-2015
	PCW	10-Oct-2014				

RESPONDENT/FACILITY INFORMATION	
Respondent	Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC
Reg. Ent. Ref. No.	RN106018260
Facility/Site Region	12-Houston
Major/Minor Source	Major

CASE INFORMATION			
Enf./Case ID No.	49472	No. of Violations	1
Docket No.	2014-1519-AIR-E	Order Type	1660
Media Program(s)	Air	Government/Non-Profit	No
Multi-Media		Enf. Coordinator	Amancio R. Gutierrez
		EC's Team	Enforcement Team 5
Admin. Penalty \$ Limit Minimum	\$0	Maximum	\$25,000

Penalty Calculation Section

TOTAL BASE PENALTY (Sum of violation base penalties)	Subtotal 1	\$11,250
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ADJUSTMENTS (+/-) TO SUBTOTAL 1

Subtotals 2-7 are obtained by multiplying the Total Base Penalty (Subtotal 1) by the indicated percentage.

Compliance History	4.0% Enhancement	Subtotals 2, 3, & 7	\$450
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Notes	Enhancement for two NOV's with dissimilar violations.
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Culpability	No	0.0% Enhancement	Subtotal 4	\$0
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Notes	The Respondent does not meet the culpability criteria.
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Good Faith Effort to Comply Total Adjustments	Subtotal 5	\$0
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Economic Benefit	0.0% Enhancement*	Subtotal 6	\$0
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Total EB Amounts	\$584	*Capped at the Total EB \$ Amount
Estimated Cost of Compliance	\$10,000	

SUM OF SUBTOTALS 1-7	Final Subtotal	\$11,700
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OTHER FACTORS AS JUSTICE MAY REQUIRE	0.0%	Adjustment	\$0
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Reduces or enhances the Final Subtotal by the indicated percentage.

Notes	
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Final Penalty Amount	\$11,700
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STATUTORY LIMIT ADJUSTMENT	Final Assessed Penalty	\$11,700
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DEFERRAL	20.0% Reduction	Adjustment	-\$2,340
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Reduces the Final Assessed Penalty by the indicated percentage. (Enter number only; e.g. 20 for 20% reduction.)

Notes	Deferral offered for expedited settlement.
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PAYABLE PENALTY	\$9,360
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Screening Date 10-Oct-2014

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PCW

Respondent Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC

Policy Revision 4 (April 2014)

Case ID No. 49472

PCW Revision March 26, 2014

Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN106018260

Media [Statute] Air

Enf. Coordinator Amancio R. Gutierrez

Compliance History Worksheet

>> Compliance History Site Enhancement (Subtotal 2)

Component	Number of...	Enter Number Here	Adjust.
NOVs	Written notices of violation ("NOVs") with same or similar violations as those in the current enforcement action (<i>number of NOVs meeting criteria</i>)	0	0%
	Other written NOVs	2	4%
Orders	Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (<i>number of orders meeting criteria</i>)	0	0%
	Any adjudicated final enforcement orders, agreed final enforcement orders without a denial of liability, or default orders of this state or the federal government, or any final prohibitory emergency orders issued by the commission	0	0%
Judgments and Consent Decrees	Any non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees containing a denial of liability of this state or the federal government (<i>number of judgments or consent decrees meeting criteria</i>)	0	0%
	Any adjudicated final court judgments and default judgments, or non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees without a denial of liability, of this state or the federal government	0	0%
Convictions	Any criminal convictions of this state or the federal government (<i>number of counts</i>)	0	0%
Emissions	Chronic excessive emissions events (<i>number of events</i>)	0	0%
Audits	Letters notifying the executive director of an intended audit conducted under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (<i>number of audits for which notices were submitted</i>)	0	0%
	Disclosures of violations under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (<i>number of audits for which violations were disclosed</i>)	0	0%

Please Enter Yes or No

Other	Environmental management systems in place for one year or more	No	0%
	Voluntary on-site compliance assessments conducted by the executive director under a special assistance program	No	0%
	Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program	No	0%
	Early compliance with, or offer of a product that meets future state or federal government environmental requirements	No	0%

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 2) 4%

>> Repeat Violator (Subtotal 3)

No

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 3) 0%

>> Compliance History Person Classification (Subtotal 7)

Satisfactory Performer

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 7) 0%

>> Compliance History Summary

Compliance History Notes

Enhancement for two NOVs with dissimilar violations.

Total Compliance History Adjustment Percentage (Subtotals 2, 3, & 7) 4%

>> Final Compliance History Adjustment

Final Adjustment Percentage *capped at 100% 4%

Screening Date 10-Oct-2014
Respondent Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC
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Media [Statute] Air
Enf. Coordinator Amancio R. Gutierrez

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PCW

Policy Revision 4 (April 2014)
 PCW Revision March 26, 2014

Violation Number

Rule Cite(s) 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(b)(2) and 122.143(4), Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b), Federal Operating Permit No. O3586, Special Terms and Conditions Nos. 8 and 11B, and Standard Permit Registration No. 93813

Violation Description Failed to comply with maximum allowable hourly emissions rates. Specifically during the performance stack test conducted on March 14, 2014, the Respondent exceeded the 0.77 pound per hour ("lb/hr") emissions rate for nitrogen oxides ("NOx") for the FRAC I Thermal Oxidizer, Emission Point Number 002-THERMO, by 2.33 lbs/hr of NOx, resulting in the unauthorized release of 11,743.20 pounds of NOx.

Base Penalty

>> Environmental, Property and Human Health Matrix

OR

Release	Harm		
	Major	Moderate	Minor
Actual	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input checked="" type="text" value="x"/>
Potential	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Percent

>> Programmatic Matrix

Falsification	Major	Moderate	Minor
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Percent

Matrix Notes

Human health or the environment has been exposed to insignificant amounts of pollutants that do not exceed levels that are protective of human health or environmental receptors as a result of the violation.

Adjustment

Violation Events

Number of Violation Events Number of violation days

mark only one with an x	daily	<input type="text"/>
	weekly	<input type="text"/>
	monthly	<input type="text"/>
	quarterly	<input checked="" type="text" value="x"/>
	semiannual	<input type="text"/>
	annual	<input type="text"/>
	single event	<input type="text"/>

Violation Base Penalty

Three quarterly events are recommended for the period of non-compliance from the date of the stack test on March 14, 2014 to the date of screening on October 10, 2014.

Good Faith Efforts to Comply

Reduction

	Before NOE/NOV	NOE/NOV to EDPRP/Settlement Offer
Extraordinary	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Ordinary	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
N/A	<input checked="" type="text" value="x"/>	(mark with x)

Notes The Respondent does not meet the good faith criteria for this violation.

Violation Subtotal

Economic Benefit (EB) for this violation

Statutory Limit Test

Estimated EB Amount

Violation Final Penalty Total

This violation Final Assessed Penalty (adjusted for limits)

Economic Benefit Worksheet

Respondent Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC
Case ID No. 49472
Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN106018260
Media Air
Violation No. 1

Percent Interest	Years of Depreciation
5.0	15

Item Description	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Onetime Costs	EB Amount
No commas or \$							

Delayed Costs

Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Buildings				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Engineering/Construction				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Land				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Record Keeping System				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Training/Sampling				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Remediation/Disposal				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Permit Costs				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Other (as needed)	\$10,000	14-Mar-2014	14-May-2015	1.17	\$584	n/a	\$584

Notes for DELAYED costs

Estimated cost to conduct a stack test to demonstrate compliance with the maximum allowable emissions rate for NOx from EPN 002-THERMO, in accordance with Standard Permit Registration No. 93813. The Date Required is the stack test date and the Final Date is the estimated date of compliance.

Avoided Costs

ANNUALIZE [1] avoided costs before entering item (except for one-time avoided costs)

Disposal				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Personnel				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Inspection/Reporting/Sampling				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Supplies/Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Financial Assurance [2]				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs [3]				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0

Notes for AVOIDED costs

Approx. Cost of Compliance

\$10,000

TOTAL

\$584



Compliance History Report

PENDING Compliance History Report for CN604309419, RN106018260, Rating Year 2014 which includes Compliance History (CH) components from September 1, 2009, through August 31, 2014.

Customer, Respondent, or Owner/Operator:	CN604309419, Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC	Classification: SATISFACTORY	Rating: 0.62
Regulated Entity:	RN106018260, LDH ENERGY MONT BELVIEU FRACTIONER PROJECT	Classification: SATISFACTORY	Rating: 0.62
Complexity Points:	13	Repeat Violator:	NO
CH Group:	03 - Oil and Gas Extraction		
Location:	9850 FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD 1942 BAYTOWN, CHAMBERS COUNTY, TEXAS 77521-9573		
TCEQ Region:	REGION 12 - HOUSTON		

ID Number(s):

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 93813

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT 110274

STORMWATER PERMIT TXR15SN70

STORMWATER PERMIT TXR150011941

AIR OPERATING PERMITS PERMIT 3586

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS EPA PERMIT N182

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS AFS NUM 4807100132

STORMWATER PERMIT TXR15TK88

AIR OPERATING PERMITS PERMIT 3586

AIR EMISSIONS INVENTORY ACCOUNT NUMBER CIA019S

Compliance History Period: September 01, 2009 to August 31, 2014 **Rating Year:** 2014 **Rating Date:** 09/01/2014

Date Compliance History Report Prepared: October 10, 2014

Agency Decision Requiring Compliance History: Enforcement

Component Period Selected: October 10, 2009 to October 10, 2014

TCEQ Staff Member to Contact for Additional Information Regarding This Compliance History.

Name: Amancio R. Gutierrez

Phone: (512) 239-3921

Site and Owner/Operator History:

- 1) Has the site been in existence and/or operation for the full five year compliance period? YES
- 2) Has there been a (known) change in ownership/operator of the site during the compliance period? YES
- 3) If **YES** for #2, who is the current owner/operator?
S & B Engineers and Contractors, Ltd. OPERATOR since 7/28/2014
Lone Star NGL Mont Belvieu LP OWNER OPERATOR since 4/4/2011
Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC OWNER OPERATOR since 5/6/2013
- 4) If **YES** for #2, who was/were the prior owner(s)/operator(s)?
Lone Star NGL Mont Belvieu L.P., OWNER OPERATOR, 10/19/2010 to 5/5/2013
- 5) If **YES**, when did the change(s) in owner or operator occur? 5/6/2013

Components (Multimedia) for the Site Are Listed in Sections A - J

A. Final Orders, court judgments, and consent decrees:

N/A

B. Criminal convictions:

N/A

C. Chronic excessive emissions events:

N/A

D. The approval dates of investigations (CCEDS Inv. Track. No.):

N/A

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



**IN THE MATTER OF AN
ENFORCEMENT ACTION
CONCERNING
LONE STAR NGL
FRACTIONATORS LLC
RN106018260**

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**BEFORE THE

TEXAS COMMISSION ON

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

**AGREED ORDER
DOCKET NO. 2014-1519-AIR-E**

I. JURISDICTION AND STIPULATIONS

On _____, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("the Commission" or "TCEQ") considered this agreement of the parties, resolving an enforcement action regarding Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC ("Respondent") under the authority of TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE ch. 382 and TEX. WATER CODE ch. 7. The Executive Director of the TCEQ, through the Enforcement Division, and the Respondent together stipulate that:

1. The Respondent owns and operates a fractionation facility located at 9850 Farm-to-Market Road 1942 in Baytown, Chambers County, Texas (the "Plant").
2. The Plant consists of one or more sources as defined in TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE § 382.003(12).
3. The Executive Director and the Respondent agree that the Commission has jurisdiction to enter this Agreed Order, and that the Respondent is subject to the Commission's jurisdiction.
4. The Respondent received notice of the violations alleged in Section II ("Allegations") on or about October 5, 2014.
5. The occurrence of any violation is in dispute and the entry of this Agreed Order shall not constitute an admission by the Respondent of any violation alleged in Section II ("Allegations"), nor of any statute or rule.
6. An administrative penalty in the amount of Eleven Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$11,700) is assessed by the Commission in settlement of the violations alleged in Section II ("Allegations"). The Respondent has paid Four Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Dollars

(\$4,680) of the administrative penalty and Two Thousand Three Hundred Forty Dollars (\$2,340) is deferred contingent upon the Respondent's timely and satisfactory compliance with all the terms of this Agreed Order. The deferred amount will be waived upon full compliance with the terms of this Agreed Order. If the Respondent fails to timely and satisfactorily comply with all requirements of this Agreed Order, the Executive Director may require the Respondent to pay all or part of the deferred penalty. Four Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$4,680) shall be conditionally offset by the Respondent's completion of a Supplemental Environmental Project ("SEP").

7. Any notice and procedures, which might otherwise be authorized or required in this action, are waived in the interest of a more timely resolution of the matter.
8. The Executive Director and the Respondent agree on a settlement of the matters alleged in this enforcement action, subject to final approval in accordance with 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 70.10(a).
9. The Executive Director may, without further notice or hearing, refer this matter to the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Texas ("OAG") for further enforcement proceedings if the Executive Director determines that the Respondent has not complied with one or more of the terms or conditions in this Agreed Order.
10. This Agreed Order shall terminate five years from its effective date or upon compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order, whichever is later.
11. The provisions of this Agreed Order are deemed severable and, if a court of competent jurisdiction or other appropriate authority deems any provision of this Agreed Order unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall be valid and enforceable.

II. ALLEGATIONS

As owner and operator of the Plant, the Respondent is alleged to have failed to comply with maximum allowable hourly emissions rates, in violation of 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 116.115(b)(2) and 122.143(4), TEX. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE § 382.085(b), Federal Operating Permit No. O3586, Special Terms and Conditions Nos. 8 and 11B, and Standard Permit Registration No. 93813, as documented during a record review conducted from June 27, 2014 through August 29, 2014. Specifically, during the performance stack test conducted on March 14, 2014, the Respondent exceeded the 0.77 pound per hour ("lb/hr") emissions rate for nitrogen oxides ("NOx") for the FRAC I Thermal Oxidizer, Emission Point Number ("EPN") 002-THERMO, by 2.33 lbs/hr of NOx, resulting in the unauthorized release of 11,743.20 pounds of NOx.

III. DENIALS

The Respondent generally denies each allegation in Section II ("Allegations").

IV. ORDERING PROVISIONS

1. It is, therefore, ordered by the TCEQ that the Respondent pay an administrative penalty as set forth in Section I, Paragraph 6 above. The payment of this administrative penalty and the Respondent's compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order resolve only the allegations in Section II. The Commission shall not be constrained in any manner from requiring corrective action or penalties for violations which are not raised here. Administrative penalty payments shall be made payable to "TCEQ" and shall be sent with the notation "Re: Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC, Docket No. 2014-1519-AIR-E" to:

Financial Administration Division, Revenue Operations Section
Attention: Cashier's Office, MC 214
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
P.O. Box 13088
Austin, Texas 78711-3088

2. The Respondent shall implement and complete a SEP in accordance with TEX. WATER CODE § 7.067. As set forth in Section I, Paragraph 6 above, Four Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$4,680) of the assessed administrative penalty shall be offset with the condition that the SEP defined in Attachment A, incorporated herein by reference, is implemented by the Respondent. The Respondent's obligation to pay the conditionally offset portion of the assessed administrative penalty shall be discharged upon final completion of all provisions of the SEP agreement.
3. It is further ordered that the Respondent shall undertake the following technical requirements:
 - a. Within 60 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, conduct a stack test to demonstrate compliance with the maximum allowable emissions rate for NOx from EPN 002-THERMO, in accordance with Standard Permit Registration No. 93813; and
 - b. Within 75 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification as described below, and include detailed supporting documentation including photographs, receipts, and/or other records to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 3.a. The certification shall be notarized by a State of Texas Notary Public and include the following certification language:

"I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fines and imprisonment for knowing violations."

The certification shall be submitted to:

Order Compliance Team
Enforcement Division, MC 149A
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
P.O. Box 13087
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

with a copy to:

Air Section Manager
Houston Regional Office
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
5425 Polk Avenue, Suite H
Houston, Texas 77023-1486

4. The provisions of this Agreed Order shall apply to and be binding upon the Respondent. The Respondent is ordered to give notice of the Agreed Order to personnel who maintain day-to-day control over the Plant operations referenced in this Agreed Order.
5. If the Respondent fails to comply with any of the Ordering Provisions in this Agreed Order within the prescribed schedules, and that failure is caused solely by an act of God, war, strike, riot, or other catastrophe, the Respondent's failure to comply is not a violation of this Agreed Order. The Respondent shall have the burden of establishing to the Executive Director's satisfaction that such an event has occurred. The Respondent shall notify the Executive Director within seven days after the Respondent becomes aware of a delaying event and shall take all reasonable measures to mitigate and minimize any delay.
6. The Executive Director may grant an extension of any deadline in this Agreed Order or in any plan, report, or other document submitted pursuant to this Agreed Order, upon a written and substantiated showing of good cause. All requests for extensions by the Respondent shall be made in writing to the Executive Director. Extensions are not effective until the Respondent receives written approval from the Executive Director. The determination of what constitutes good cause rests solely with the Executive Director.
7. This Agreed Order, issued by the Commission, shall not be admissible against the Respondent in a civil proceeding, unless the proceeding is brought by the OAG to: (1) enforce the terms of this Agreed Order; or (2) pursue violations of a statute within the Commission's jurisdiction, or of a rule adopted or an order or permit issued by the Commission under such a statute.
8. This Agreed Order may be executed in separate and multiple counterparts, which together shall constitute a single instrument. Any page of this Agreed Order may be copied, scanned, digitized, converted to electronic portable document format ("pdf"), or otherwise reproduced and may be transmitted by digital or electronic transmission, including but not limited to facsimile transmission and electronic mail. Any signature affixed to this Agreed Order shall constitute an original signature for all purposes and

may be used, filed, substituted, or issued for any purpose for which an original signature could be used. The term "signature" shall include manual signatures and true and accurate reproductions of manual signatures created, executed, endorsed, adopted, or authorized by the person or persons to whom the signatures are attributable. Signatures may be copied or reproduced digitally, electronically, by photocopying, engraving, imprinting, lithographing, electronic mail, facsimile transmission, stamping, or any other means or process which the Executive Director deems acceptable. In this paragraph exclusively, the terms "electronic transmission", "owner", "person", "writing", and "written" shall have the meanings assigned to them under TEX. BUS. ORG. CODE § 1.002.

9. Under 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 70.10(b), the effective date is the date of hand-delivery of the Order to the Respondent, or three days after the date on which the Commission mails notice of the Order to the Respondent, whichever is earlier.

SIGNATURE PAGE

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

For the Commission

Pamela Marcic J
For the Executive Director

3/25/15
Date

I, the undersigned, have read and understand the attached Agreed Order. I am authorized to agree to the attached Agreed Order on behalf of the entity indicated below my signature, and I do agree to the terms and conditions specified therein. I further acknowledge that the TCEQ, in accepting payment for the penalty amount, is materially relying on such representation.

I also understand that failure to comply with the Ordering Provisions, if any, in this order and/or failure to timely pay the penalty amount, may result in:

- A negative impact on compliance history;
- Greater scrutiny of any permit applications submitted;
- Referral of this case to the Attorney General's Office for contempt, injunctive relief, additional penalties, and/or attorney fees, or to a collection agency;
- Increased penalties in any future enforcement actions;
- Automatic referral to the Attorney General's Office of any future enforcement actions; and
- TCEQ seeking other relief as authorized by law.

In addition, any falsification of any compliance documents may result in criminal prosecution.

Brad Widener
Signature

01-06-2015
Date

BRAD WIDENER
Name (Printed or typed)
Authorized Representative of
Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC

Sr. Director Operations
Title

Instructions: Send the original, signed Agreed Order with penalty payment to the Financial Administration Division, Revenue Operations Section at the address in Section IV, Paragraph 1 of this Agreed Order.

Attachment A
Docket Number: 2014-1519-AIR-E
SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT

Respondent:	Lone Star NGL Fractionators LLC
Penalty Amount:	Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty Dollars (\$9,360)
SEP Offset Amount:	Four Thousand Six Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$4,680)
Type of SEP:	Contribution to a Third-Party Pre-Approved SEP
Third-Party Administrator:	Barbers Hill Independent School District
Project Name:	<i>Energy Efficiency Building Upgrade/Retrofit Project</i>
Location of SEP:	Chambers County

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (“TCEQ”) agrees to offset a portion of the administrative penalty amount assessed in this Agreed Order for the Respondent to contribute to a Supplemental Environmental Project (“SEP”). The offset is equal to the SEP Offset Amount set forth above and is conditioned upon completion of the project in accordance with the terms of this Attachment A.

1. Project Description

a. Project

The Respondent shall contribute the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator named above. The contribution will be to the **Barbers Hill Independent School District** for the *Energy Efficiency Building Upgrade/Retrofit Project*. The contribution will be used in accordance with the SEP between the Third-Party Administrator and the TCEQ (the “Project”). Specifically, the SEP Offset Amount will be used to pay a contractor to install and monitor sub-meters. The contractor's work will include installing revenue grade electric sub-meters in the line feed of certain facilities; installing revenue grade current transformers; incorporating all engineering, software, and graphics to accomplish effective monitoring of the status of this equipment; and a one-year warranty including parts and labor for the new sub-meters. In addition to sub-metering, the Third-Party Administrator shall use the SEP Offset Amount to pay its contractor to monitor, calibrate, and repair existing meters and to complete energy efficiency upgrades and/or retrofits based on needs identified in energy audits. The SEP will be done in accordance with all federal, state, and local environmental laws and regulations.

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All dollars contributed will be used solely for the direct cost of implementing the Project, including but not limited to supplies, materials, and equipment. Any portion of this contribution that is not able to be spent on the specifically identified SEP may, at the discretion of the Executive Director (“ED”), be applied to another pre-approved SEP.

The Respondent’s signature affixed to this Agreed Order certifies that the Respondent has no prior commitment to make this contribution and that it is being contributed solely in an effort to settle this enforcement action. The Respondent shall not profit in any manner from this SEP.

b. Environmental Benefit

The Project will result in reduced energy consumption by school district buildings and will contribute to the overall reduction of greenhouse gases. The sub-metering is expected to reduce energy consumption up to eight percent. The Project will reduce fuel and electricity usage for heating and cooling and day-to-day operations. These reductions will reduce emission of particulate matter, volatile organic carbon compounds, nitrogen oxides, and other pollutants associated with the combustion of fuel and generation of electricity. It will also contribute to a reduction in peak loads on the State electric power grid.

c. Minimum Expenditure

The Respondent shall contribute at least the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator and comply with all other provisions of this SEP.

2. Performance Schedule

Within 30 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, the Respondent must contribute the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator. The Respondent shall make the check payable to **Barbers Hill ISD SEP** and shall mail the contribution with a copy of the Agreed Order to:

John Johnson, Consultant
Carl R. Griffith & Associates, Inc.
2901 Turtle Creek Drive, Suite 445
Port Arthur, Texas 77642

3. Records and Reporting

Concurrent with the payment of the SEP Offset Amount, the Respondent shall provide the Enforcement SEP Coordinator with a copy of the check and transmittal letter indicating full payment of the SEP Offset Amount to the Third-Party Administrator. The Respondent shall mail a copy of the check and transmittal letter to:

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Enforcement Division
Attention: SEP Coordinator, MC 219
P.O. Box 13087
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

4. Failure to Fully Perform

If the Respondent does not perform its obligations under this Attachment A, including full expenditure of the SEP Offset Amount and submittal of the required reporting described in Sections 2 and 3 above, the ED may require immediate payment of all or part of the SEP Offset Amount.

In the event the ED determines that the Respondent failed to fully implement and complete the Project, the Respondent shall remit payment for all or a portion of the SEP Offset Amount, as determined by the ED, and as set forth in the attached Agreed Order. After receiving notice of failure to complete the SEP, the Respondent shall include the docket number of the attached Agreed Order and a note that the enclosed payment is for the reimbursement of a SEP; shall make the check payable to "Texas Commission on Environmental Quality;" and shall mail it to:

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
Litigation Division
Attention: SEP Coordinator, MC 175
P.O. Box 13087
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

5. Publicity

Any public statements concerning this SEP and/or project, made by or on behalf of the Respondent must include a clear statement that **the project was performed as part of the settlement of an enforcement action brought by the TCEQ.** Such statements include advertising, public relations, and press releases.

6. Clean Texas Program

The Respondent shall not include this SEP in any application made to TCEQ under the "Clean Texas" (or any successor) program(s). Similarly, the Respondent may not seek recognition for this contribution in any other state or federal regulatory program.

7. Other SEPs by TCEQ or Other Agencies

The SEP Offset Amount identified in this Attachment A and in the attached Agreed Order has not been, and shall not be, included as a SEP for the Respondent under any other Agreed Order negotiated with the TCEQ or any other agency of the state or federal government.