Order Type:

1660 Agreed Order

Findings Order Justification:

N/A

Media:

AIR

Small Business:

No

Location(s) Where Violation(s) Occurred:

Lyondell Chemical Bayport Choate Plant, 10801 Choate Road, Pasadena, Harris County

Type of Operation:

Chemical manufacturing plant

Other Significant Matters:

Additional Pending Enforcement Actions: Yes, Docket Nos. 2024-1144-AIR-E

and 2023-0891-AIR-E Past-Due Penalties: No

Other: N/A

Interested Third-Parties: None

Texas Register Publication Date: October 11, 2024

Comments Received: No

Penalty Information

Total Penalty Assessed: \$49,538

Amount Deferred for Expedited Settlement: \$840

Total Paid to General Revenue: \$24,349 **Total Due to General Revenue:** \$0

Payment Plan: N/A

Supplemental Environmental Project ("SEP") Conditional Offset: \$24,349

Name of SEP: Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation (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 and January 2021

Investigation Information

Complaint Date(s): N/A **Complaint Information:** N/A

Date(s) of Investigation: November 30, 2020 through December 14, 2020, August 5, 2021, August 9, 2021, September 21, 2021 through October 5, 2021, November 18,

2021, and February 10, 2022 through June 9, 2022

Date(s) of NOE(s): March 12, 2021, September 20, 2021, October 18, 2021, November

19, 2021, December 7, 2021, and July 5, 2022

Violation Information

- 1. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions. Specifically, the Respondent released 110.00 pounds ("lbs") of volatile organic compounds ("VOC") as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 346160) that occurred on November 17, 2020 and lasted 57 minutes [30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), New Source Review ("NSR") Permit No. 1409, Special Conditions ("SC") No. 1, Federal Operating Permit ("FOP") No. 01421, General Terms and Conditions ("GTC") and Special Terms and Conditions ("STC") No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].
- 2. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions. Specifically, the Respondent released 1,545.34 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 289813) that occurred on August 6, 2018 and lasted one minute [30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].
- 3. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions. Specifically, the Respondent released 1,030.91 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 290691) that occurred on August 21, 2018 and lasted one minute [30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].
- 4. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions. Specifically, the Respondent released 475.76 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 281227) that occurred on March 27, 2018 and lasted seven hours and 43 minutes [30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].
- 5. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions. Specifically, the Respondent released 206.05 lbs of VOC, 86.08 lbs of carbon monoxide, and 41.82 lbs of nitrogen oxides from the Emergency Flare Plant 2 Pilot, Emissions Point Number E-B1501B, and released 2.10 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 366308) that occurred on September 8, 2021 and lasted 58 minutes [30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].

6. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 294.40 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 340636) that occurred on August 13, 2020 and lasted one hour and 45 minutes.

- 7. Failed to equip each open-ended valve or line with a cap, blind flange, plug, or a second valve. Specifically, from January 28, 2021 through December 8, 2021, the Respondent did not equip four open-ended lines (Tag Nos. 63319.1, 63320.1, 19670.2, and 2000-0085.2) in VOC service with a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve [30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§ 101.20(1) and (2), 113.130, 115.352(4), 115.783(5), 116.115(c), 116.715(a), and 122.143(4), 40 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS §§ 60.482-6(a)(1), 60.482-6a(a)(1), 61.242-6(a)(1), and 63.167(a)(1), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 26.E., NSR Permit No. 18327, SC No. 7.E., FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC Nos. 1.A. and 23, and Tex. HEALTH & SAFETY CODE § 382.085(b)].
- 8. Failed to report all instances of deviations. Specifically, the deviation reports for the February 1, 2017 through July 31, 2017, August 1, 2017 through January 31, 2018, February 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018, July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, January 1, 2019 through June 30, 2019, July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019, January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020, July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020, and January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021 reporting periods did not include the deviation for failing to conduct quarterly monitoring for a valve in the Propylene Oxide/Tert-Butyl-Alcohol and Derivative Fugitives [30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 122.143(4) and 122.145(2)(A), FOP No. O1421, GTC, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].

Corrective Actions/Technical Requirements

Corrective Action(s) Completed:

The Respondent implemented the following corrective measures:

- a. By November 8, 2018, replaced the check valve in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident Nos. 289813 and 290691;
- b. By November 25, 2020, reinforced the importance of pre-use inspections with the Tank Farm personnel in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 340636;
- c. By June 10, 2021, replaced the carbon steel valve with a stainless-steel valve in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 281227;

- d. By August 4, 2021, implemented a procedure for transferring from the test tank or product tank; evaluated the Distributive Control System ("DCS") graphics to visualize vapor and liquid space of the Tert Butylhydroperoxide Product Tanks on the DCS screen; evaluated lighting levels in the product tank area against engineering guidelines, tank labeling, and valves for outside operators; entered the work notifications to resolve identified lighting issues; and held safety meetings to reinforce the requirement of reviewing active alarms in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 346160; e. By December 8, 2021, equipped the four open-ended lines (Tag Nos. 63319.1, 63320.1, 19670.2, and 2000-0085.2) with a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve; and
- f. By April 5, 2022, held meetings to review the DCS alarm and shutdown procedure; re-trained the Operations personnel on the expectations regarding the DCS alarms, shutdown procedure adherence, and Operator rounds during a unit shutdown; and added open and closed positions for the Emergency Tert-butanol control valve on the DCS graphic in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 366308.

Technical Requirements:

- 1. The Order will require the Respondent to implement and complete a SEP (see SEP Attachment A).
- 2. The Order will also require the Respondent to:
- a. Within 30 days:
- i. Submit revised deviation reports for the February 1, 2017 through July 31, 2017, August 1, 2017 through January 31, 2018, February 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018, July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, January 1, 2019 through June 30, 2019, July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019, January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020, July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020, and January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021 reporting periods to report the deviation for failing to conduct quarterly monitoring for a valve in the Propylene Oxide/Tert-Butyl-Alcohol and Derivative Fugitives; and
- ii. Implement measures designed to ensure that all instances of deviations are reported in a timely manner.
- b. Within 45 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with a.

Contact Information

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TCEQ SEP Coordinator: Stuart Beckley, Enforcement Division, MC 219, (512) 239-3565 **SEP Third-Party Administrator**: Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation, Amandes

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Respondent: Amy Caldwell, Complex Site Manager, Lyondell Chemical Company,

10801 Choate Road, Pasadena, Texas 77507-1503

Respondent's Attorney: N/A



Penalty Calculation Worksheet (PCW)

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

DATES Assigned 17-Mar-2021 PCW 19-Aug-2024 Screening 26-Mar-2021 EPA Due

RESPONDENT/FACILITY INFORMATION
Respondent Lyondell Chemical Company
Reg. Ent. Ref. No. RN102523107 (PCW No. 1 of 2)
Facility/Site Region 12-Houston Major/Minor Source Major

CASE INFORMATION

Enf./Case ID No. 60568
Docket No. 2021-0462-AIR-E
Media Program(s) Air
Multi-Media
Multi-Media

Admin. Penalty \$ Limit Minimum \$0 Maximum \$25,000

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Policy Revision 4 (April 2014)

PCW Revision March 26, 2014

Respondent Lyondell Chemical Company

Case ID No. 60568

Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN102523107 (PCW No. 1 of 2)

Media Air

Enf. Coordinator Mackenzie Mehlmann

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Compliance History Worksheet >> Compliance History Site Enhancement (Subtotal 2)									
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	NOVs	Written notices of violation ("NOVs") with same or similar violations as those in the current enforcement action (number of NOVs meeting criteria)	1	5%					
		Other written NOVs	0	0%					
		Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (number of orders meeting criteria)	1	20%					
	Orders	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%					
	Any non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees containing a denial of liability of this state or the federal government (number of judgments or consent decrees meeting criteria)		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	0	0%						
	Emissions	0	0%						
	Letters notifying the executive director of an intended audit conducted under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which notices were submitted)			-1%					
	Disclosures of violations under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which violations were disclosed)		1	-2%					
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		Environmental management systems in place for one year or more	No	0%					
	Other	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%					
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Respondent Case ID No.	26-Mar-2021	Docket No.	2021-0462-AIR-E		PCW
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	Economic Benefit Worksheet									
Respondent		nical Company								
Case ID No.										
Reg. Ent. Reference No.		(PCW No. 1 of 2)	1							
Media Violation No.						Percent Interest	Years of Depreciation			
						5.0	15			
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount			
Item Description										
Delayed Costs				=1						
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 \$0	n/a n/a	\$0 \$0			
Record Keeping System Training/Sampling				0.00	\$0 \$0	n/a	\$0			
Remediation/Disposal				0.00	\$0 \$0	n/a	\$0			
Permit Costs				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0			
Other (as needed)	\$6,000	17-Nov-2020	4-Aug-2021	0.71	\$214	n/a	\$214			
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Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided c	osts before er	ntering	item (except for	r one-time avoide	d 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				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0			
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0			
Other (as needed) Notes for AVOIDED costs		<u> </u>		0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0			
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$6,000			TOTAL		\$214			



PAYABLE PENALTY

Penalty Calculation Worksheet (PCW)

Policy Revision 5 (January 28, 2021) PCW Revision February 11, 2021

DATES Assigned 17-Mar-2021
PCW 19-Aug-2024 Screening 26-Mar-2021 EPA Due

RESPONDENT/FACILITY INFORMATION

Respondent
Reg. Ent. Ref. No.
Facility/Site Region 12-Houston Major/Minor Source Major

CASE INFORMATION

Enf./Case ID No. 60568
Docket No. 2021-0462-AIR-E
Media Program(s) Air
Multi-Media
Multi-Media
Admin. Penalty \$ Limit Minimum \$0 Maximum \$25,000

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	Compliance Hi	story	7	22.0%	Adjustment	Subto	tals 2, 3, & 7	\$9,900
	Notes	containing a	denial of liability. Re	duction	for one notice o	f intent to		
	Culpability	No		0.0%	Enhancement		Subtotal 4	\$0
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	Economic Ben	efit		0.0%	Enhancement*		Subtotal 6	\$0
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\$45,338

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Respondent Lyondell Chemical Company

Case ID No. 60568

Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN102523107 (PCW No. 2 of 2)

Media Air

Enf. Coordinator Mackenzie Mehlmann

omponent	Number of	Number	Adjust.
NOVs	Written notices of violation ("NOVs") with same or similar violations as those in the current enforcement action (number of NOVs meeting criteria)	1	5%
	Other written NOVs	0	0%
	Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (number of orders meeting criteria)	1	20%
Orders	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	Any non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees containing a denial of liability of this state or the federal government (number of judgments or consent decrees meeting criteria)	0	0%
and Consent Decrees	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 (number of counts)		0	0%
Emissions	Chronic excessive emissions events (number of events)	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 (number of audits for which notices were submitted)	1	-1%
Addits	Disclosures of violations under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which violations were disclosed)	1	-2%
	Environmental management systems in place for one year or more	No	0%
Other	Voluntary on-site compliance assessments conducted by the executive director under a special assistance program	No	0%
Other	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 Pero	entage (Su	htotal 2)

No

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 3)

>> Compliance History Person Classification (Subtotal 7)

Satisfactory Performer

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 7) 0%

>> Compliance History Summary

Compliance History **Notes**

Enhancement for one NOV with same/similar violations and one order containing a denial of liability. Reduction for one notice of intent to conduct an audit and one disclosure of violations.

Total Compliance History Adjustment Percentage (Subtotals 2, 3, & 7) 22%

>> Final Compliance History Adjustment

Final Adjustment Percentage *capped at 100%

	Scre	ening Date	26-Mar-2021		Docket	No. 2021-0462-AIR-E		PCW
		•	Lyondell Chem	ical Company			Policy Revision 5 (3	anuary 28, 2021)
		Case ID No.					PCW Revision F	ebruary 11, 2021
Reg.	Ent. Ref	ference No.	RN102523107	(PCW No. 2 o	f 2)			
		Media						
			Mackenzie Meh	lmann				
	Viola	ation Number	1					
		Rule Cite(s)	Permit No. ("FOP") No. O1	9395, Special 421, General	Conditions ("SC") Terms and Condit	.43(4), New Source Review No. 1, Federal Operating Peions ("GTC") and Special Te th & Safety Code § 382.085	ermit rms and	
	Violatio	n Description	1,545.34 p	ounds ("lbs") uring an emis	of volatile organic	ecifically, the Respondent recompounds ("VOC") as fugient No. 289813) that occurred one minute.	<mark>itive </mark>	
>> F=:	dua m ma	ntal Drene	ator mad Lloom	an Uaslik	Matrix	Base I	Penalty	\$25,000
>> ENV	vironme	iitai, Propei	rty and Hum	Harm	Matrix			
		Release	Major	Moderate	Minor			
OR		Actual			X			
		Potential				Percent 30.0%		
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>>Prog	gramma	tic Matrix Falsification	Major	Moderate	Minor			
		Faisilication	Major	Moderate	MITIOI	Percent 0.0%		
						0.070		
	Matrix Notes			protective of		nificant amounts of pollutar enviornmental receptors as		
						Adjustment	¢17 500	
						Adjustment	\$17,500	
								\$7,500
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Violatio	on Even	ts						
		Number of V	iolation Events	1		Number of violation da	avs	
		Number of V	Totation Events	Ι		Number of Violation at	ays	
			daily					
			weekly					
			monthly	X				+7.500
			quarterly			Violation Base	Penalty	\$7,500
			semiannual annual					
			single event					
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				One monthly	event is recomme	naea.		
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Good F	aith Eff	orts to Com		25.0%			eduction	\$1,875
			Extraordinary	sefore NOE/NOV	NOE/NOV to EDPRP/S	Settlement Offer		
			Ordinary	Х				
			N/A		<u> </u>			
					•	corrective measures by		
			Notes		s, 2018, prior to th "NOE") dated Octo	e Notice of Enforcement		
				(or , dated octo	00. 10/ 2021		
						Violation S	ubtotal	\$5,625
						+ ioiation 3		43,023
Econon	nic Bene	efit (EB) for	this violation	on			oct .	
				Z		Statutory Limit T	est	
		E_4!			#222 ¹			47 27F
		Estimate	ed EB Amount		\$322	Statutory Limit 1 Violation Final Penalt		\$7,275

	E	conomic	Benefit	Woı	'ksheet		
Respondent	Lvondell Chem	ical Company					
Case ID No.	•	, ,					
Reg. Ent. Reference No.		(PCW No. 2 of 2)					
Media		(1 CW 110. 2 01 2)	'				Years of
Violation No.						Percent Interest	Depreciation
Violation No.	1						
						5.0	15
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount
Item Description							
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 \$0	n/a	\$0 \$0
Remediation/Disposal Permit Costs				0.00	\$0	n/a n/a	\$0
Other (as needed)	\$25,000	6-Aug-2018	8-Nov-2018	0.00	\$322	n/a	\$322
Other (as needed)	\$23,000	0-Aug-2016	0-NUV-2016	0.20	\$322	II/a	\$322
Notes for DELAYED costs	same or si	milar causes as Ir emissions ev	ncident Nos. 289 ent occurred an	813 and d the Fi	d 290691. The Da nal Date is the dat	•	ate the first
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided c	osts before en			one-time avoided	l 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				0.00	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0
Other (as needed) Notes for AVOIDED costs				<u> 0.00</u>	φυ	Э О	.
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$25,000			TOTAL		\$322

	Scre	ening Date	26-Mar-2021	Docket No	2021-0462-AIR-E	PCW
	R	Respondent	Lyondell Chemical Company		Policy R	evision 5 (January 28, 2021)
		Case ID No.	60568		PCV	/ Revision February 11, 2021
Reg.	Ent. Ref	erence No.	RN102523107 (PCW No. 2 d	of 2)		
		Media	Air			
	Enf. C	coordinator	Mackenzie Mehlmann			
	Viola	ation Number	2			
		Rule Cite(s)			.), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. ex. Health & Safety Code §	
	Violatio	n Description	1,030.91 lbs of VOC as fug		cally, the Respondent released n emissions event (Incident No. and lasted one minute.	
					Base Penalty	\$25,000
>> Env	vironme	ntal, Prope	rty and Human Health	n Matrix		
, , <u>-</u>		intally i Tope.	Harm	HUGHA		
		Release	Major Moderate	Minor		
OR		Actual		Х		
		Potential			Percent 30.0%	
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>>Pro	gramma	tic Matrix				
		Falsification	Major Moderate	Minor		
					Percent 0.0%	
	Matrix				nt amounts of pollutants that did	
	Notes	not exceed lev	leis that are protective of hu	man nealth or enviornm violation.	ental receptors as a result of the	
				VIOIALIOIT.		
				Δ.	djustment \$17,500	
				A	djustment \$17,500	•
						\$7,500
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Violatio	on Even	ts				
				7		
		Number of \	/iolation Events 1	1	Number of violation days	
		ı		∃		
			daily			
			weekly	4		
			monthly x	_	Violation Base Penalty	\$7,500
			quarterly semiannual		Violation base Penalty	\$7,300
			annual	-		
			single event	1		
				₹		
			One month	y event is recommended	1.	
		<u> </u>				
Good F	aith Eff	orts to Com	ply 25.0%		Reduction	\$1,875
			Before NOE/NOV	NOE/NOV to EDPRP/Settlen		
			Extraordinary			
			Ordinary x			
			N/A			
			The Respon	ndent completed the cor	rective measures by	
			·	8, 2018, prior to the NO		
				2021.		
					Violation Subtotal	\$5,625
Econor	nic Bene	efit (EB) for	this violation		Statutory Limit Test	
			ed EB Amount	\$0	Violation Final Penalty Total	\$7,275
		Latinati	ou 20 Amount	40	Total on I mai Femalty Total	Ψ1,213
			This vi	olation Final Assessed	Penalty (adjusted for limits)	\$7,275
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	Economic Benefit Worksheet										
Respondent	Lyondell Chen	nical Company									
Case ID No.	60568										
Reg. Ent. Reference No.	RN102523107	(PCW No. 2 of 2)									
Media Violation No.	Air					Percent Interest	Years of Depreciation				
						5.0	15				
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount				
Item Description		2000 110401100									
Item Description											
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)				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0				
Notes for DELAYED costs					ation No. 1 of PCV						
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided c	osts before er			one-time avoided					
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				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0				
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0				
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0				
Notes for AVOIDED costs											
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$0			TOTAL		\$0				

	Screening Date	26-Mar-2021		Dog	cket No. 2021-0462-AIR-E		PCW
	Respondent	Lyondell Chemical	Company			Policy R	evision 5 (January 28, 2021)
	Case ID No.					PCW	Revision February 11, 2021
Reg.	Ent. Reference No.		CW No. 2 of 2)			
	Media						
	Enf. Coordinator		ann				
	Violation Number	3					
	Rule Cite(s)				.22.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9 23, and Tex. Health & Safety 85(b)		
	Violation Description	475.76 lbs of VC	OC as fugitive	emissions,	s. Specifically, the Responde during an emissions event (I and lasted seven hours and	ncident No.	
					В	ase Penalty	\$25,000
>> Em.	vironmental, Prope	rty and Human	1 Health M	latriv			
// EIIV	inoninental, Prope	ty and numai	Harm	Iduix			
	Release	Major N	Moderate	Minor			
OR	Actual			Х			
	Potential				Percent 30.0	%	
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>>Pro	grammatic Matrix Falsification	Major N	Moderate	Minor			
	1 disirication	Major 1	-loderate	1111101	Percent 0.0	2/0	
	<u> </u>					70	
	Human health	or the environmer	nt has been e	exposed to in	nsignificant amounts of pollut	ants that did	
	Matrix not exceed lev			•	enviornmental receptors as a		
	Notes	·		iolation.	·		
					Adjustment	\$17,500	
						Г	\$7,500
						L	\$7,500
Violatio	on Events						
	Number of \	/iolation Events	1		1 Number of violation	on days	
	ĺ	d = th .					
		daily					
		weekly monthly	X				
		quarterly			Violation B	ase Penalty	\$7,500
		semiannual				,	7:7222
		annual					
		single event					
		0	ne monthly e	vent is reco	mmended.		
Good 5	aith Efforts to Com	nlv	25.0%			Dodustic	\$1,875
Good F	aith Efforts to Com			OF/NOV to FD	PRP/Settlement Offer	Reduction	\$1,673
		Extraordinary	101102/1101	02,1101 10 25	The state of the s		
		Ordinary	Х				
		N/A					
			he Responde	nt complete	ed the corrective measures by	,	
		Notes	June 10, 202	1, prior to th	ne NOE dated September 20,		
				2	.021.		
							15.655
					violati	on Subtotal	\$5,625
Econor	nic Benefit (EB) for	this violation			Statutory Lin	nit Test	
	Estimate	ed EB Amount		\$4,010	Violation Final P	enalty Total	\$7,275
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			i his viola	tion Final <i>A</i>	Assessed Penalty (adjuste	a tor limits)	\$7,275

Economic Benefit Worksheet									
Respondent		nical Company							
Case ID No. Reg. Ent. Reference No.		(DCW No. 2 of 2)							
Media Violation No.	Air	(FCW NO. 2 01 2)	'			Percent Interest	Years of Depreciation		
						5.0	15		
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount		
Item Description									
Delayed Costs	1	11 1		1 0 00	1 +0	+0	+0		
Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Buildings				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0		
Other (as needed) Engineering/Construction				0.00	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0		
Lingineering/ construction Land				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0 \$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)	\$25,000	27-Mar-2018	10-Jun-2021	3.21	\$4,010	n/a	\$4,010		
Notes for DELAYED costs	recurrence Require	e of emissions event	ents due to the s emissions event	ame or occurre	similar causes as I d and the Final Da	l valve in order to p ncident No. 281227 te is the date of cor	The Date		
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided o	osts before en		<u> </u>	one-time avoided			
Disposal				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Personnel				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Inspection/Reporting/Sampling				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0		
Supplies/Equipment Financial Assurance				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0		
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0		
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0		
Notes for AVOIDED costs				<u> 0.00</u>	1 20	э О 1	3 0		
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$25,000			TOTAL		\$4,010		

	E	conomic	Benefit	Wor	ksheet		
Respondent	Lyondell Chem	ical Company					
Case ID No.	60568						
Reg. Ent. Reference No.	RN102523107	(PCW No. 2 of 2)					
Media						Percent Interest	Years of
Violation No.	4					T CT COME ZINCOT COL	Depreciation
						5.0	15
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount
Item Description							
Delayed Costs				_			
Équipment				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)	\$4,500	8-Sep-2021	5-Apr-2022	0.57	\$129	n/a	\$129
Notes for DELAYED costs	procedure; procedure add the Emerg	re-train the Opera herence, and Ope gency Tert-butano nts due to the sar	ations personnel rator rounds du ol control valve c me or similar ca	on the ring a u on the D uses as	expectations rega nit shutdown; and CS graphic in orde	em ("DCS") alarm a rding the DCS alarn add open and close er to prevent the re 08. The Date Requ ate of compliance.	ns, shutdown ed positions for currence of
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided c	osts before en	terina	item (except for	one-time avoided	l 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				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Notes for AVOIDED costs							
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$4,500			TOTAL		\$129

Screening Da	e 26-Mar-2021		Docket No	2021-0462-AIR-E		PCW
Responde	t Lyondell Chemical (Company			Policy Re	evision 5 (January 28, 2021)
Case ID N	6 0568				PCW	Revision February 11, 2021
Reg. Ent. Reference N	RN102523107 (PCV	V No. 2 of 2)				
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	Mackenzie Mehlmar	nn				
Violation Numb						
Violation italia						
Rule Cite(), NSR Permit No. 939		
naic cite(1, FOP No. O1	421, GTC and		ex. Health & Safety Co	de §	
			382.085(b)			
	Failed to prevent	unauthorized	emissions. Specific	cally, the Respondent r	eleased	
Violation Descripti	294.40 lbs of VO	C as fugitive er	missions, during an	emissions event (Incid	dent No.	
	340636) that occ	urred on Augu	st 13, 2020 and las	sted one hour and 45 r	ninutes.	
				_		
				Base	Penalty	\$25,000
>> Environmental, Prop			trix			
Relea		Harm	linor			
OR Relea		oderate M	linor			
			X	D D - 20 - 20 /		
Potent	ıaı			Percent 30.0%		
>>Programmatic Matrix						
Falsification	n Major M	oderate M	linor	_		
				Percent 0.0%		
Human hea	Ith or the environment	t has been exp	osed to insignificar	nt amounts of pollutant	s that did	
Matrix not exceed	levels that are protect	ive of human h	nealth or enviornme	ental receptors as a res	sult of the	
Notes		viol	lation.			
				45	\$17,500	
			A	ajustment	Φ1/,JUU	
			A	djustment	\$17,500	
			A	ajustment	\$17,500	\$7,500
			A	ajustment	\$17,500	\$7,500
Violation Events			A	ajustment	\$17,300	\$7,500
Violation Events			A	ajustment	\$17,300	\$7,500
	of Violation Events	1	A (Number of violation		\$7,500
	of Violation Events	1				\$7,500
	of Violation Events	1				\$7,500
	_	1				\$7,500
	daily	1 x				\$7,500
	daily				days	\$7,500 \$7,500
	daily weekly monthly			Number of violation o	days	
	daily weekly monthly quarterly			Number of violation o	days	
	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual			Number of violation o	days	
	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual			Number of violation o	days	
	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event	X	1	Number of violation of violation of violation of violation Base	days	
	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event	X		Number of violation of violation of violation of violation Base	days	
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Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event	x x e monthly eve	1	Number of violation of violation of violation Base	days e Penalty	\$7,500
	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On	e monthly eve	nt is recommended	Number of violation of violation of violation Base	days	
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Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X	nt is recommended	Number of violation of violation of violation Base	days e Penalty	\$7,500
Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Th	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended	Number of violation of Violation Base	days e Penalty	\$7,500
Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Th	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended	Number of violation of violation of violation Base	days e Penalty	\$7,500
Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Th	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended /NOV to EDPRP/Settlem completed the corr 20, prior to the NO	Number of violation of violation of violation Base	days e Penalty	\$7,500
Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Th	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended /NOV to EDPRP/Settlem completed the corr 20, prior to the NO	Number of violation of violation of violation Base	days Penalty Reduction	\$7,500
Good Faith Efforts to Co	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Notes Notes	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended /NOV to EDPRP/Settlem completed the corr 20, prior to the NO	Violation Base d. ment Offer rective measures by E dated December 7, Violation	days Penalty Reduction Subtotal	\$7,500 \$1,875
Number	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Notes Notes	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended /NOV to EDPRP/Settlem completed the corr 20, prior to the NO	Violation Base d. ment Offer rective measures by E dated December 7,	days Penalty Reduction Subtotal	\$7,500 \$1,875 \$5,625
Good Faith Efforts to Co	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On mply Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Notes Notes	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X Re Respondent	nt is recommended /NOV to EDPRP/Settlem completed the corr 20, prior to the NO	Violation Base d. ment Offer rective measures by E dated December 7, Violation	days Penalty Reduction Subtotal Test	\$7,500 \$1,875
Good Faith Efforts to Co	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual single event On Extraordinary Ordinary N/A Notes Notes Or this violation	e monthly eve 25.0% NOE/NOV NOE, X e Respondent rember 25, 20:	nt is recommended /NOV to EDPRP/Settlem completed the corr 20, prior to the NO 2021.	Violation Base d. rective measures by E dated December 7, Violation Statutory Limit	days Penalty Reduction Subtotal Test alty Total	\$7,500 \$1,875 \$5,625

	E	conomic	Benefit	Wor	ksheet		
Respondent	Lyondell Chem	ical Company					
Case ID No.		. ,					
Reg. Ent. Reference No.		(PCW No. 2 of 2))				
Media		(10111012012)	,				Years of
Violation No.						Percent Interest	Depreciation
Violation No.	J						
						5.0	
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount
Item Description							
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	\$1,500	13-Aug-2020	25-Nov-2020	0.28	\$21	n/a	\$21
Remediation/Disposal				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Permit Costs				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Notes for DELAYED costs	prevent the re Date Requ	ecurrence of emis ired is the date th	sions events due ne emissions eve	to the nt occu	same or similar ca rred and the Final	e Tank Farm person uses as Incident No Date is the date of	compliance.
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided o	costs before en	tering	item (except for	one-time avoided	d 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				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed) Notes for AVOIDED costs		<u> </u>		0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$1,500]		TOTAL		\$21

	E	conomic	Benefit	10W	ksheet		
Respondent	Lyondell Chem	nical Company					
Case ID No.	•	, ,					
Reg. Ent. Reference No.		(PCW No. 2 of 2))				
Media		(. 0	,				Years of
Violation No.						Percent Interest	Depreciation
Violation No.	J					5.0	15
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount
Item Description	Item Cost	Dute Required	i mai bate	5	Interest Savea	costs savea	LD Amount
Item Description							
Delayed Costs							
Delayed Costs		1		0.00	±0	#0	# 0
Equipment				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Buildings Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Engineering/Construction				0.00	\$0	\$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)	\$6,000	28-Jan-2021	8-Dec-2021	0.86	\$258	n/a	\$258
Notes for DELAYED costs		vith a cap, blind fl	lange, plug, or s	econd v	_	63320.1, 19670.2 quired is the first dan poliance.	
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided o	osts before er	tering	item (except for	one-time avoided	l 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				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Notes for AVOIDED costs							
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$6,000	1		TOTAL		\$258

	E	conomic	Benefit	Woi	ksheet		
Respondent	Lyondell Chem	ical Company					
Case ID No.	60568						
Reg. Ent. Reference No.		(PCW No. 2 of 2)					
Media Violation No.	Air	(Percent Interest	Years of Depreciation
						5.0	15
	Item Cost	Date Required	Final Date	Yrs	Interest Saved	Costs Saved	EB Amount
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Item Description							
Delayed Costs							
Delayed Costs Equipment		1		0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Buildings				0.00	\$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$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	\$1,500	30-Aug-2017	1-Apr-2025	7.59	\$569	n/a	\$569
Remediation/Disposal			•	0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Permit Costs				0.00	\$0	n/a	\$0
Other (as needed)	\$2,250	30-Aug-2017	1-Apr-2025	7.59	\$854	n/a	\$854
Notes for DELAYED costs	1, 2017 th December 3: January 1, 2 through June for a valve in t measures do The Dates R	nrough January 3: 1, 2018, January 3: 020 through June 30, 2021 reportir the Propylene Oxi esigned to ensure lequired is the dat	1, 2018, Februa 1, 2019 through 30, 2020, July ng periods to rel de/Tert-Butyl-A that all instance the first devia dat	ry 1, 20 I June 3 I, 2020 Fort the lcohol a les of de lcohol represented to the lcohol represent	118 through June 3 0, 2019, July 1, 20 through December deviation for failing nd Derivative Fugit viations are report port was due and to inpliance.	017 through July 31 0, 2018, July 1, 20 019 through Decemier 31, 2020, and Jar g to conduct quarte cives (\$250/report) ed in a timely mann he Final Dates are t	18 through ber 31, 2019, huary 1, 2021 orly monitoring and implement her (\$1,500), he estimated
Avoided Costs	ANNU	ALIZE avoided c	osts before en			one-time avoided	
Disposal Personnel				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Inspection/Reporting/Sampling				0.00	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0	\$0 \$0
Supplies/Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Financial Assurance				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
ONE-TIME avoided costs				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Notes for AVOIDED costs				, 0100	· • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$3,750			TOTAL		\$1,423

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Compliance History Report

Compliance History Report for CN600344402, RN102523107, Rating Year 2023 which includes Compliance History (CH) components from September 1, 2018, through August 31, 2023.

R12102523107

Classification: SATISFACTORY

Classification: SATISFACTORY

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT 9395

WASTEWATER PERMIT WQ0002756000

Rating: 4.22

Rating: 3.59

Customer, Respondent, CN600344402, Lyondell Chemical

or Owner/Operator: Company

Regulated Entity: RN102523107, Lyondell Chemical

Bayport Choate Plant

Complexity Points: 29 Repeat Violator: NO

CH Group: 13 - Pipeline Transportation of Natural Gas, Refined Petroleum, and All Other Products

Location: 10801 Choate Road, Pasadena, Harris County, Texas

TCEQ Region: **REGION 12 - HOUSTON**

ID Number(s):

AIR OPERATING PERMITS PERMIT 1421 AIR OPERATING PERMITS ACCOUNT NUMBER HG05370

AIR QUALITY NON PERMITTED ID NUMBER AIR QUALITY NON PERMITTED ID NUMBER

LGL102523107

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT 1409 PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM/SUPPLY REGISTRATION 1011527

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 11035

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT 18327 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT 20122 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS ACCOUNT NUMBER AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 75541

HG05370

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS AFS NUM 4820100477 **AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 78478 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 87890 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 87076 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 95547 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 112543**

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 112544 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT 137789

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS EPA PERMIT N244 **AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 168606 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 164645 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 168560 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 171184 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 169629**

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 147097 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS PERMIT AMOC16

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 152730 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 172545 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 172780 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 175370 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 173699 AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 175915

AIR NEW SOURCE PERMITS REGISTRATION 172429 IHW CORRECTIVE ACTION SOLID WASTE REGISTRATION # (SWR) 30368

UNDERGROUND INJECTION CONTROL PERMIT

POLLUTION PREVENTION PLANNING ID NUMBER

5X2600218

WASTEWATER EPA ID TX0030228

AIR EMISSIONS INVENTORY ACCOUNT NUMBER

HG05370 **INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT 50275**

P00039

INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE EPA ID INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE SOLID WASTE

TXD058265067 REGISTRATION # (SWR) 30368 **TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25862 TAX RELIEF** ID NUMBER 25861 **TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25858** TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25863 **TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25859 TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25865** TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25860 TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 25864

Compliance History Period: September 01, 2018 to August 31, 2023 Rating Year: 2023 **Rating Date:** 09/01/2023

Date Compliance History Report Prepared: April 03, 2024 Agency Decision Requiring Compliance History: Enforcement

Component Period Selected: April 03, 2019 to April 03, 2024

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

Name: Mackenzie Mehlmann **Phone:** (512) 239-2572

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?

NO

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

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

Effective Date: 11/29/2021 ADMINORDER 2020-1403-AIR-E (1660 Order-Agreed Order With Denial)

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b)

Rqmt Prov: GTC and STC No. 22 OP

Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Description: Failure to prevent unauthorized emissions to the atmosphere during an emissions event that was

discovered on January 16, 2018, TCEQ/STEERS Incident No. 276521. (Category A12.i.6)

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b)

Rgmt Prov: GTC and STC No. 22 OP

NSR PERMIT 9395, Special Conditions 1 PERMIT

(1553266)

Description: Failure to prevent unauthorized emissions to the atmosphere during an emissions event that was discovered on March 16, 2018, TCEQ/STEERS Incident No. 280546. [Category A12.i.(6)]

B. Criminal convictions:

N/A

C. Chronic excessive emissions events:

April 04, 2019

N/A

Item 1

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

Item 2	April 17, 2019	(1572243)
Item 3	May 16, 2019	(1584095)
Item 4	June 17, 2019	(1584096)
Item 5	July 17, 2019	(1593582)
Item 6	August 06, 2019	(1582035)
Item 7	August 19, 2019	(1599912)
Item 8	September 18, 2019	(1606813)
Item 9	October 17, 2019	(1613656)
Item 10	October 24, 2019	(1575793)
Item 11	November 15, 2019	(1619470)
Item 12	December 18, 2019	(1626823)
Item 13	January 15, 2020	(1634464)
Item 14	February 18, 2020	(1641080)
Item 15	March 16, 2020	(1647597)
Item 16	April 08, 2020	(1653941)
Item 17	May 07, 2020	(1643836)
Item 18	June 17, 2020	(1667034)
Item 19	July 20, 2020	(1673982)
Item 20	August 19, 2020	(1680761)
Item 21	September 17, 2020	(1687330)
Item 22	October 14, 2020	(1693670)
Item 23	November 28, 2020	(1713702)
Item 24	December 11, 2020	(1713703)
Item 25	January 19, 2021	(1713704)

Item 26	February 18, 2021	(1726766)
Item 27	March 10, 2021	(1726767)
Item 28	March 22, 2021	(1704542)
Item 29	April 13, 2021	(1726768)
Item 30	May 12, 2021	(1740691)
Item 31	June 03, 2021	(1711274)
Item 32	June 14, 2021	(1672361)
Item 33	June 17, 2021	(1747805)
Item 34	July 15, 2021	(1752119)
Item 35	August 05, 2021	(1745172)
Item 36	August 11, 2021	(1757571)
Item 37	September 14, 2021	(1766689)
Item 38	October 18, 2021	(1777246)
Item 39	November 15, 2021	(1771602)
Item 40	December 14, 2021	(1791072)
Item 41	January 17, 2022	(1798858)
Item 42	January 25, 2022	(1782677)
Item 43	February 16, 2022	(1806734)
Item 44	March 10, 2022	(1813798)
Item 45	April 14, 2022	(1820372)
Item 46	May 11, 2022	(1829212)
Item 47	May 17, 2022	(1760555)
Item 48	June 13, 2022	(1835503)
Item 49	July 11, 2022	(1842704)
Item 50	August 31, 2022	(1840864)
Item 51	September 16, 2022	(1856635)
Item 52	October 17, 2022	(1862993)
Item 53	November 08, 2022	(1845865)
Item 54	November 15, 2022	(1869906)
Item 55	December 15, 2022	(1875754)
Item 56	January 18, 2023	(1882574)
Item 57	February 15, 2023	(1890388)
Item 58	March 03, 2023	(1788445)
Item 59	March 07, 2023	(1652708)
Item 60		
Item 61	March 08, 2023 April 13, 2023	(1898954)
Item 62		(1905741)
	May 15, 2023	(1912918)
Item 63	May 15, 2023	(1841151)
Item 64	June 14, 2023	(1919524)
Item 65	June 15, 2023	(1908922)
Item 66	July 18, 2023	(1926490)
Item 67	August 10, 2023	(1933447)
Item 68	September 19, 2023	(1939588)
Item 69	October 09, 2023	(1946436)
Item 70	November 09, 2023	(1952127)
Item 71	November 16, 2023	(1925397)
Item 72	December 11, 2023	(1961894)
Item 73	January 18, 2024	(1968488)
Item 74	February 16, 2024	(1961369)

E. Written notices of violations (NOV) (CCEDS Inv. Track. No.):

A notice of violation represents a written allegation of a violation of a specific regulatory requirement from the commission to a regulated entity. A notice of violation is not a final enforcement action, nor proof that a violation has actually occurred.

1 Date: 05/12/2023 (1841153)

Self Report? NO Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352(4)

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter H 115, 783(5)

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter H 115.783(5) 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c) 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4) 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.167(a)(1)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) Special Condition 29E PERMIT Special Condition 4D PERMIT Special Condition 7E PERMIT Special Term and Condition 1A OP Special Term and Condition 23 OP

Description: Failure to prevent 12 OELs for the PO/TBA Derivative Fugitives (EPN:

BLOFUG) (Category C10).

Self Report? NO Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4) 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.145(2)(A)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) General Terms and Conditions OP

Description: Failure to report all deviations for the reporting period of July 1, 2021 through

December 31, 2021 (Category B3).

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.354(2)(C)

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c) 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) Special Condition 29F PERMIT Special Condition 29G PERMIT Special Term and Condition 1A OP Special Term and Condition 23 OP

Description: Failure to conduct quarterly monitoring for fugitive emissions related

components for the PO/TBA Derivative Fugitives (EPN: BLOFUG) (Category

B1).

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c) 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) Special Condition 29E PERMIT Special Term and Condition 23 OP

Description: Failure to re-monitor a connector within 15 days of repair for the PO/TBA

Derivative Fugitives (EPN: BLOFUG) (Category B1).

Self Report? NO Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter H 115.722(d) 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c) 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

40 CFR Chapter 60, SubChapter C, PT 60, SubPT A 60.18(c)(2)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b)
Special Condition 3A PERMIT
Special Condition 6A PERMIT
Special Term and Condition 1A OP
Special Term and Condition 23 OP

Description: Failure to maintain the pilot lights in operation for the BPIII Emergency Flare

(EPN: B1501C) (Category C4).

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) Special Term and Condition 3A(iv)(1) OP

Description: Failure to conduct quarterly visible emissions monitoring for the Stationary

RICE (EPN: G-1414A) (Category B1).

F. Environmental audits:

Notice of Intent Date: 06/30/2022 (1839104)

Disclosure Date: 08/31/2022

Viol. Minor

Classification:

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter B 115.112(e)(1) 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

40 CFR Chapter 60, SubChapter C, PT 60, SubPT Kb 60.110b(d)(2)

Rgmt Prov: PERMIT SC 1

Description: F-1920 Isobutylene Bullet is continuously over-pressuring and relieving to the site's continuous flare

(E-B 1550). The overpressure causes the unit to exceed the hourly VOC MAERT limit for the

continuous flare (E-B 1550) from NSR Permit 137789 and N244.

Viol. Moderate

Classification:

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.116(a)

 ${\hbox{Description:}}\ \ {\hbox{Upon review of operating data, the wastewater tanks F- 1685A/B were able to receive wastewater at a constraint of the contraction of the co$

a higher temperature than what was represented in NSR Permit 137789 and N244 application.

Viol. Moderate

Classification:

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.116(a)

Description: Upon review of operating data, the cooling tower pump flow rate was higher at actual discharge

pressure than what was represented in NSR Permit 137789 and N244 application.

Viol. Minor

Classification:

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter H 115.725(d)(2)

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter H 115.764(a)(6)

Description: Review of process data revealed trace amounts of Ethylene that has the potential to be present in

some process streams. The existing HRVOC analyzers on the Continuous Flare (E-81550) and the

Cooling Towers (E-Ul801, E-Ul802, E-Ul803) are not currently calibrated for Ethylene.

Viol. Minor

Classification:

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352(1)(B)

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352(2) 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter H 115.781(b)(7) 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

Rqmt Prov: PERMIT SC 29 D & F

Description: Some fugitive components on the Catalyst line in 8PII pipe rack, were found to be not identified in

LeakDas database. This resulted in ninety-six (96) fugitive components missing Method 21 monitoring.

Disclosure Date: 09/29/2022 Viol. Moderate

Classification:

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter B 115.112(e)(1)

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

40 CFR Chapter 60, SubChapter C, PT 60, SubPT Kb 60.110b(d)(2)

Description: Upon startup, to purge the small amount of unwanted isobutane that is a constituent in the feed and

ends up in the intermediate isobutylene, the F-3940 Debutenizer Reflux Drum requires a manual line up to the site's continuous flare (E-BI550). The combustion of this material in the flare contributes to the exceedance of the hourly VOC MAERT limit for the continuous flare (E-B 1550) from NSR Permit

137789 and N244 (Violation #1, disclosed on August 31, 2022).

Disclosure Date: 05/31/2023

Viol. Minor

Classification:

Citation: 40 CFR Chapter 60, SubChapter C, PT 60, SubPT NNN 60.665(a)

40 CFR Chapter 60, SubChapter C, PT 60, SubPT RRR 60.705(r)

Description: Failed to comply with the following reporting requirements for equipment associated with the RTBE

Unit: Notification of initial start-up for distillation columns subject to NSPS NNN will be combusted in a flare that meets 60.18 and a process design description was not included with the initial notice of start-up for Reactors for reactor process vent streams routed to a distillation unit subject to NSPS

NNN.

Viol. Minor

Classification:

Citation: 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT SS 63.999(b)(3)

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT SS 63.999(c)

Description: Failed to meet the reporting requirements for Closed Vent Systems under 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart SS

due to improper classification of Group 1 and Group 2 sources in the 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart FFFF

NOCS.

G. Type of environmental management systems (EMSs):

N/A

H. Voluntary on-site compliance assessment dates:

N/A

I. Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program:

N/A

J. Early compliance:

N/A

Sites Outside of Texas:

N/A

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



IN THE MATTER OF AN	§	BEFORE THE
ENFORCEMENT ACTION	§	
CONCERNING	§	TEXAS COMMISSION ON
LYONDELL CHEMICAL COMPANY	§	
RN102523107	§	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

AGREED ORDER DOCKET NO. 2021-0462-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 Lyondel	l Chemical Company (the "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 chemical manufacturing plant located at 10801 Choate Road in Pasadena, Harris County, Texas (the "Plant"). The Plant consists or consisted of one or more sources as defined in Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.003(12).
- 2. The Executive Director and the Respondent agree that the TCEQ has jurisdiction to enter this Order pursuant to Tex. Water Code §§ 7.002, 7.051, and 7.073, and that the Respondent is subject to TCEQ's jurisdiction. The TCEQ has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to Tex. Water Code § 5.013 because it alleges violations of Tex. Health & Safety Code ch. 382 and the rules of the TCEO.
- 3. The occurrence of any violation is in dispute and the entry of this Order shall not constitute an admission by the Respondent of any violation alleged in Section II ("Allegations"), nor of any statute or rule.
- 4. An administrative penalty in the amount of \$49,538 is assessed by the Commission in settlement of the violations alleged in Section II ("Allegations"). The Respondent paid \$24,349 of the penalty and \$840 of the penalty is deferred contingent upon the Respondent's timely and satisfactory compliance with all the terms of this Order and shall be waived only upon full compliance with all the terms and conditions of this Order. If the Respondent fails to timely and satisfactorily comply with any of the terms and conditions contained in this Order, the Executive Director may demand payment of all or part of the deferred penalty amount.

Pursuant to Tex. Water Code § 7.067, \$24,349 of the penalty shall be conditionally offset by the Respondent's timely and satisfactory completion of a Supplemental Environmental Project ("SEP") as defined in the attached SEP Agreement ("Attachment A", incorporated herein by reference). The Respondent's obligation to pay the conditionally offset portion of the penalty shall be discharged upon full compliance with all the terms and conditions of this Order, which includes the timely and satisfactory completion of all provisions of the SEP Agreement, as determined by the Executive Director.

- 5. 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). 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.
- 6. 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 Order.
- 7. This Order represents the complete and fully-integrated agreement of the parties. The provisions of this Order are deemed severable and, if a court of competent jurisdiction or other appropriate authority deems any provision of this Order unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall be valid and enforceable.
- 8. This Order shall terminate five years from its effective date or upon compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Order, whichever is later.
- 9. The Executive Director recognizes that the Respondent implemented the following corrective measures at the Plant:
 - a. By November 8, 2018, replaced the check valve in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident Nos. 289813 and 290691;
 - b. By November 25, 2020, reinforced the importance of pre-use inspections with the Tank Farm personnel in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 340636;
 - c. By June 10, 2021, replaced the carbon steel valve with a stainless-steel valve in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 281227;
 - d. By August 4, 2021, implemented a procedure for transferring from the test tank or product tank; evaluated the Distributive Control System ("DCS") graphics to visualize vapor and liquid space of the Tert Butylhydroperoxide Product Tanks on the DCS screen; evaluated lighting levels in the product tank area against engineering guidelines, tank labeling, and valves for outside operators; entered the work notifications to resolve identified lighting issues; and held safety meetings to reinforce the requirement of reviewing active alarms in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 346160;
 - e. By December 8, 2021, equipped the four open-ended lines (Tag Nos. 63319.1, 63320.1, 19670.2, and 2000-0085.2) with a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve; and
 - f. By April 5, 2022, held meetings to review the DCS alarm and shutdown procedure; re-trained the Operations personnel on the expectations regarding the DCS alarms, shutdown procedure adherence, and Operator rounds during a unit shutdown; and added open and closed positions for the Emergency Tert-

butanol control valve on the DCS graphic in order to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 366308.

II. ALLEGATIONS

- 1. During a record review for the Plant conducted from November 30, 2020 through December 14, 2020, an investigator documented that the Respondent failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), New Source Review ("NSR") Permit No. 1409, Special Conditions ("SC") No. 1, Federal Operating Permit ("FOP") No. 01421, General Terms and Conditions ("GTC") and Special Terms and Conditions ("STC") No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 110.00 pounds ("lbs") of volatile organic compounds ("VOC") as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 346160) that occurred on November 17, 2020 and lasted 57 minutes.
- 2. During a record review for the Plant conducted on August 5, 2021, an investigator documented that the Respondent:
 - a. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 1,545.34 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 289813) that occurred on August 6, 2018 and lasted one minute.
 - b. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. O1421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 1,030.91 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 290691) that occurred on August 21, 2018 and lasted one minute.
- 3. During a record review for the Plant conducted on August 9, 2021, an investigator documented that the Respondent failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. 01421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 475.76 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 281227) that occurred on March 27, 2018 and lasted seven hours and 43 minutes.
- 4. During a record review for the Plant conducted from September 21, 2021 through October 5, 2021, an investigator documented that the Respondent failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. 01421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 206.05 lbs of VOC, 86.08 lbs of carbon monoxide, and 41.82 lbs of nitrogen oxides from the Emergency Flare Plant 2 Pilot, Emissions Point Number E-B1501B, and released 2.10 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 366308) that occurred on September 8, 2021 and lasted 58 minutes.

- 5. During a record review for the Plant conducted on November 18, 2021, an investigator documented that the Respondent failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 116.115(c) and 122.143(4), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 1, FOP No. 01421, GTC and STC No. 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 294.40 lbs of VOC as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 340636) that occurred on August 13, 2020 and lasted one hour and 45 minutes.
- 6. During a record review for the Plant conducted from February 10, 2022 through June 9, 2022, an investigator documented that the Respondent:
 - a. Failed to equip each open-ended valve or line with a cap, blind flange, plug, or a second valve, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 101.20(1) and (2), 113.130, 115.352(4), 115.783(5), 116.115(c), 116.715(a), and 122.143(4), 40 Code of Federal Regulations §§ 60.482-6(a)(1), 60.482-6a(a)(1), 61.242-6(a)(1), and 63.167(a)(1), NSR Permit No. 9395, SC No. 26.E., NSR Permit No. 18327, SC No. 7.E., FOP No. 01421, GTC and STC Nos. 1.A. and 23, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, from January 28, 2021 through December 8, 2021, the Respondent did not equip four open-ended lines (Tag Nos. 63319.1, 63320.1, 19670.2, and 2000-0085.2) in VOC service with a cap, blind flange, plug, or second valve.
 - b. Failed to report all instances of deviations, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 122.143(4) and 122.145(2)(A), FOP No. 01421, GTC, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the deviation reports for the February 1, 2017 through July 31, 2017, August 1, 2017 through January 31, 2018, February 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018, July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, January 1, 2019 through June 30, 2019, July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019, January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020, July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020, and January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021 reporting periods did not include the deviation for failing to conduct quarterly monitoring for a valve in the Propylene Oxide/Tert-Butyl-Alcohol and Derivative Fugitives.

III. DENIALS

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

IV. ORDERING PROVISIONS

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ORDERS that:

1. The Respondent is assessed a penalty as set forth in Section I, Paragraph No. 4. The payment of this penalty and the Respondent's compliance with all of the requirements set forth in this 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. Penalty payments shall be made payable to "TCEQ" and shall be sent with the notation "Re: Lyondell Chemical Company, Docket No. 2021-0462-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 the SEP as set forth in Section I, Paragraph No. 4. The amount of \$24,349 of the assessed penalty is conditionally offset based on the Respondent's implementation and completion of the SEP pursuant to the terms of the SEP Agreement, as defined in Attachment A. Penalty payments for any portion of the SEP deemed by the Executive Director as not complete shall be paid within 30 days after the date the Executive Director demands payment.
- 3. The Respondent shall undertake the following technical requirements at the Plant:
 - a. Within 30 days after the effective date of this Order:
 - i. Submit revised deviation reports for the February 1, 2017 through July 31, 2017, August 1, 2017 through January 31, 2018, February 1, 2018 through June 30, 2018, July 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, January 1, 2019 through June 30, 2019, July 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019, January 1, 2020 through June 30, 2020, July 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020, and January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021 reporting periods to report the deviation for failing to conduct quarterly monitoring for a valve in the Propylene Oxide/Tert-Butyl-Alcohol and Derivative Fugitives; and
 - ii. Implement measures designed to ensure that all instances of deviations are reported in a timely manner.
 - b. Within 45 days after the effective date of this Order, submit written certification, 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 signed by the Respondent and shall 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:

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 Street, Suite H Houston, Texas 77023-1452

- 4. All relief not expressly granted in this Order is denied.
- 5. The duties and provisions imposed by this Order shall apply to and be binding upon the Respondent. The Respondent is ordered to give notice of this Order to personnel who maintain day-to-day control over the Plant operations referenced in this Order.
- 6. The Executive Director may grant an extension of any deadline in this Order or in any plan, report, or other document submitted pursuant to this 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. Extension requests shall be sent to the Enforcement Division at the address listed above.
- 7. This 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 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 Order may be executed in separate and multiple counterparts, which together shall constitute a single instrument. Any page of this 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 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. The effective date of this Order is the date it is signed by the Commission. A copy of this fully executed Order shall be provided to each of the parties.

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Authorized Representative of Lyondell Chemical Company

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I, the undersigned, have read and understand the at the attached Order, and I do agree to the terms and acknowledge that the TCEQ, in accepting payment fon such representation.	conditions specified therein. I further
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 A negative impact on compliance history; Greater scrutiny of any permit applications su Referral of this case to the OAG for contempt and/or attorney fees, or to a collection agency Increased penalties in any future enforcement Automatic referral to the OAG of any future e TCEQ seeking other relief as authorized by law 	, injunctive relief, additional penalties, /; t actions; nforcement actions; and
In addition, any falsification of any compliance doc	uments may result in criminal prosecution.
Any Caldwell Signature	09/12/2024 Date
Amy calowell Name (Printed or typed)	SITE MANAGER. Title

☐ *If mailing address has changed, please check this box and provide the new address below:*

Attachment A

Docket Number: 2021-0462-AIR-E

SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT

Respondent:	Lyondell Chemical Company
Payable Penalty Amount:	\$48,698
SEP Offset Amount:	\$24,349
Type of SEP:	Contribution to a Third-Party Pre-Approved SEP
Third-Party Administrator:	Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation
Project Name:	Houston Area Air Monitoring Project
Location of SEP:	Harris 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 SEP Offset Amount is set forth above and such offset 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 **Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation** for the *Houston Area Air Monitoring Project* SEP. 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 operate a network of ambient air monitoring stations that continuously measure and record concentrations of ambient air pollutants. This network includes the Houston Regional Monitor ("HRM") 617 Wallisville Road site, the HRM 615 Lynchburg Ferry site, and the HRM 3 Haden Road site. The Third-Party Administrator shall use the SEP Offset Amount to report data from these three existing sites in the Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation ambient air quality monitoring network in the Houston-Galveston Air Quality Control Region No. 216. The SEP will be performed 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 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 it has no prior commitment to make this contribution and that it is being contributed solely to settle this enforcement action. The Respondent shall not profit in any manner from this SEP.

b. Environmental Benefit

This SEP will provide TCEQ with near real-time access to high quality, short time resolution volatile organic compound, nitrogen oxide, ozone, and meteorological data sets that can be used to evaluate and track air pollution emission events as they occur, conduct source attribution studies, and to assess potential ambient community exposure to a limited number

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of hazardous air pollutants. Data from the monitors can be used with data from other monitors to provide critical information that can be used to evaluate the effectiveness of current and proposed emission control strategies aimed at achieving compliance with the 8-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards. It also provides a key source of information that is essential to furthering our overall understanding of those emission sources that contribute to ambient community exposure to toxic air contaminants. Because the information is available in near real-time, it can be used to provide both agency staff and industry personnel with time critical information to investigate emission events in a timely fashion. Another key benefit is the ability to measure the change in the ambient air concentration of the individual target species and quantify control measure effectiveness. Data from these monitors will be publicly accessible through the TCEQ's website and will be used in evaluating air quality in the area, in ozone forecasts, and ozone warnings. Thus, the public will directly benefit by having access to the data and the forecasting and notification tools which can be used for public awareness.

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 contribution payable to **Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation SEP** and shall mail the contribution with a copy of the Agreed Order to:

Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation c/o Christopher B. Amandes Amandes PLLC 1800 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 400 Houston, Texas 77056

3. Records and Reporting

Concurrent with the payment of the SEP Offset Amount, the Respondent shall provide the Enforcement Division SEP Coordinator with a copy of the check and transmittal letter indicating full payment of the SEP Offset Amount due 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 Lyondell Chemical Company Docket No. 2021-0462-AIR-E Agreed Order - Attachment A

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 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. Recognition

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.