## Executive Summary – Enforcement Matter – Case No. 61106 Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated RN100223205 Docket No. 2021-0980-AIR-E

**Order Type:** 

1660 Agreed Order

**Findings Order Justification:** 

N/A

**Media:** 

AIR

**Small Business:** 

No

**Location(s) Where Violation(s) Occurred:** 

Rohm and Haas Texas Deer Park Plant, 1900 Tidal Road, Deer Park, Harris County

**Type of Operation:** 

Chemical manufacturing plant

**Other Significant Matters:** 

Additional Pending Enforcement Actions: Yes, Docket No. 2021-0729-AIR-E

Past-Due Penalties: No

Other: N/A

Interested Third-Parties: None

**Texas Register Publication Date:** May 6, 2022

Comments Received: No

**Penalty Information** 

**Total Penalty Assessed:** \$9,610

**Amount Deferred for Expedited Settlement: \$1,922** 

**Total Paid to General Revenue:** \$3,844 **Total Due to General Revenue:** \$0

Payment Plan: N/A

Supplemental Environmental Project ("SEP") Conditional Offset: \$3,844

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:** January 2021

## **Investigation Information**

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

Date(s) of Investigation: June 21, 2021

**Date(s) of NOE(s):** July 19, 2021

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## **Violation Information**

- 1. Failed to submit an initial notification for a reportable emissions event no later than 24 hours after the discovery of an emissions event. Specifically, the initial notification for Incident No. 281429 was due by April 3, 2018 at 8:30 a.m., but was not submitted until April 3, 2018 at 8:46 a.m. [30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 101.201(a)(1)(B) and 122.143(4), Federal Operating Permit ("FOP") No. O2233, General Terms and Conditions ("GTC") and Special Terms and Conditions ("STC") No. 2.F, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].
- 2. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions. Specifically, the Respondent released 429 pounds of ammonia as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 281429) that occurred on April 2, 2018 and lasted five hours. The emissions event occurred when the steam tracing on the ammonia piping damaged the steam tubing that caused a leak in the steam tracing on the ammonia piping, resulting in a pinhole leak in the ammonia piping and in the release to the atmosphere. Since the Respondent did not comply with the emissions event reporting requirements, the emissions event was not caused by a sudden unavoidable breakdown of equipment or process beyond the control of the owner or operator, and the emissions event could have been avoided by better design and/or better operational and maintenance practices, the Respondent is precluded from asserting an affirmative defense under 30 Tex. Admin. Code § 101.222 [30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 101.20(3), 116.115(c), and 122.143(4), New Source Review Permit Nos. 723 and PSDTX828M1, Special Conditions No. 1, FOP No. O2233, GTC and STC No. 14, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b)].

# Corrective Actions/Technical Requirements

## **Corrective Action(s) Completed:**

The Respondent implemented the following corrective measures:

a. On April 3, 2018, submitted the initial notification for Incident No. 281429; and b. By July 31, 2018, removed the steam tubing and pipe insultation on the N-Area anhydrous ammonia piping circuit N5-0310-A and conducted a 100 percent inspection of the N-Area anhydrous ammonia piping circuit N5-0310-A to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 281429.

## **Technical Requirements:**

The Order will require the Respondent to implement and complete a SEP (see SEP Attachment A).

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# **Contact Information**

TCEQ Attorney: N/A

TCEQ Enforcement Coordinator: Danielle Porras, Enforcement Division,

Enforcement Team 2, MC R-12, (713) 767-3682; Michael Parrish, Enforcement Division,

MC 219, (512) 239-2548

**TCEQ SEP Coordinator**: Stuart Beckley, SEP Coordinator, Enforcement Division,

MC 219, (512) 239-3565

**SEP Third-Party Administrator:** Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation,

Amandes PLLC, 1414 West Clay Street, Houston, Texas 77019

Respondent: Casey Rhodes, Responsible Care Director, Rohm and Haas Texas

Incorporated, P.O. Box 1000, Deer Park, Texas 77536-1000

David Harrington, Site Manager, Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated, P.O. Box 1000,

Deer Park, Texas 77536-1000

**Respondent's Attorney:** N/A



Notes

**PAYABLE PENALTY** 

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Deferral offered for expedited settlement.

\$7,688

Policy Revision 5 (January 28, 2021)

PCW Revision February 11, 2021

**Respondent** Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated

**Case ID No.** 61106

Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN100223205

**Media** Air

**Enf. Coordinator** Danielle Porras

# **Compliance History Worksheet**

# >> Compliance History Site Enhancement (Subtotal 2)

_(	Component	Number of	Number	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> )	3	15%
		Other written NOVs		6%
I		Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (number of orders meeting criteria)	5	100%
	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 ( <i>number of counts</i> )	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)	48	-48%
	Addits	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> )	12	-24%

	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) 49%

>> Repeat Violator (Subtotal 3)

No

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 3)

>> Compliance History Person Classification (Subtotal 7)

Satisfactory Performer

Adjustment Percentage (Subtotal 7)

>> Compliance History Summary

Compliance **History Notes** 

Enhancement for three NOVs with same/similar violations, three NOVs with dissimilar violations, and five orders containing a denial of liability. Reduction for 48 notices of intent to conduct an audit and 12 disclosures of violations.

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

49%

>> Final Compliance History Adjustment

Final Adjustment Percentage \*capped at 100%

49%

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	E	conomic	Benefit	Woi	rksheet		
Respondent	Respondent Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated						
Case ID No. 61106							
Reg. Ent. Reference No.	RN100223205						
Media Violation No.						Percent Interest	Years of Depreciation
						5.0	15
	Item Cost	<b>Date Required</b>	Final Date	Yrs	<b>Interest Saved</b>	Costs Saved	EB Amount
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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 Other (as needed)	\$250	3-Apr-2018	3-Apr-2018	0.00	\$0 \$0	n/a n/a	\$0 \$0
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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)		<u> </u>		0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Notes for AVOIDED costs							
Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$250			TOTAL		\$0

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Media	Air					Percent Interest	Years of
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Equipment				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Buildings				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
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Other (as needed)				0.00	\$0	\$0	\$0
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Approx. Cost of Compliance		\$10,000			TOTAL		\$163



# Compliance History Report

Compliance History Report for CN600131395, RN100223205, Rating Year 2021 which includes Compliance History (CH) components from September 1, 2016, through August 31, 2021.

Classification: SATISFACTORY

**Rating:** 12.87

**Rating: 12.87** 

Customer, Respondent, CN600131395, Rohm and Haas Texas

or Owner/Operator: Incorporated

Regulated Entity: RN100223205, Rohm and Haas Texas Classification: SATISFACTORY

Deer Park Plant

Complexity Points: 36 Repeat Violator: NO

**CH Group:** 05 - Chemical Manufacturing

**Location:** 1900 Tidal Road, Deer Park, Harris County, Texas

TCEQ Region: REGION 12 - HOUSTON

ID Number(s):

AIR OPERATING PERMITS ACCOUNT NUMBER HG0632T AIR OPERATING PERMIT 1583

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**WASTEWATER** EPA ID TX0006084

POLLUTION PREVENTION PLANNING ID NUMBER P00587

INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE SOLID WASTE

REGISTRATION # (SWR) 30041

TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 16036

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AIR EMISSIONS INVENTORY ACCOUNT NUMBER

HG0632T

INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE EPA ID

TXD065096273

**INDUSTRIAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE PERMIT 50102** 

TAX RELIEF ID NUMBER 16035

Compliance History Period: September 01, 2016 to August 31, 2021 Rating Year: 2021 Rating Date: 09/01/2021

**Date Compliance History Report Prepared:** September 27, 2021 **Agency Decision Requiring Compliance History:** Enforcement

Component Period Selected: September 27, 2016 to September 27, 2021

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

Name: Danielle Porras Phone: (713) 767-3682

### 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) Who is the current owner/operator? Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated OWNER OPERATOR since 1/1/1800

Rohm And Haas Company OWNER since 1/1/1800

Rohm And Haas Chemicals LLC OWNER OPERATOR since 1/1/2006

Rohm Haas OWNER since 1/1/1800

Rohm Haas Texas Inc OWNER since 1/1/1800

Suez Wts Usa, Inc. OWNER OPERATOR since 8/2/2018

Rohm And Haas Texas Incorporated OWNER OPERATOR since 12/13/2018

4) Who was/were the prior owner(s)/operator(s)? Alamo Iron Works, Inc., OWNER OPERATOR, 1/1/1800 to 6/19/2019

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

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

1 Effective Date: 03/01/2019 ADMINORDER 2017-1416-AIR-E (1660 Order-Agreed Order With Denial)

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

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: Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Special Terms and Conditions (ST&C) 8 OP

Description: Failure to comply with the maximum allowable emission rate (MAER) for NH3 and VOC. Category A Criterion

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2 Effective Date: 04/27/2020 ADMINORDER 2018-1364-AIR-E (1660 Order-Agreed Order With Denial)

Classification: Major

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

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: General Condition 8 PERMIT

General Terms and Conditions OP Special Condition 1 PERMIT Special Terms and Conditions14 OP

Description: Failed to comply with the MAERs. Specifically, during a stack test conducted on September 13, 2017, the Respondent exceeded the acetone MAER of 0.01 lb/hr by 0.90 lb/hr, the VOC MAER of 0.38 lb/hr by 0.60 lb/hr, and the SO2 MAER of 0.08 lb/hr by 0.14 lb/hr for the Scrubber, EPN B-3-51, resulting in an estimated amount of 852 lbs of unauthorized acetone, 552 lbs of unauthorized VOC, and 129 lbs of unauthorized SO2.

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

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: General Terms and Conditions OP

Special Term and Condition 1 PA Special Term and Condition 14 OP

Description: Failed to comply with the MAERs.

Classification: Moderate

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)

Rqmt Prov: General Terms and Conditions OP

Description: Failed to report all instances of deviations. Specifically, the deviation reports for the October 1, 2016 through March 31, 2017 and April 1, 2017 through September 30, 2017 reporting periods did not include the deviations for the failure to comply with the NOx, VOC, and PM MAERs for EPN N-3.

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

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)

Ramt Prov: GTC OP

SC 1 PERMIT STC 14 OP

Description: Failed to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rate ("MAER"). Specifically, the Respondent exceeded the particulate matter ("PM") MAER of 1.37 tons per year ("tpy") based on a 12-month rolling period for the 12-month periods ending on May 2016 and from July 2016 through May 2017 for the HR-III Preheater, Emissions Point Number ("EPN") 38-HR-5, resulting in 0.09 ton of unauthorized PM.

Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

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 OP

SC 17 PERMIT STC 14 OP Description: Failed to maintain records of the instrument type used to determine sulfur dioxide ("SO2") concentration during Maintenance, Startup, and Shutdown ("MSS") activities. Specifically, the Respondent did not record the type of instrument/detector used to measure SO2 concentrations during the MSS activities on May 3, 2016, June 7, 2016, and September 26, 2016.

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

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 OP

SC 20 PERMIT SC 22 PERMIT STC 14 OP

Description: Failed to revalidate the estimated emissions from instrument maintenance annually. Specifically, the Respondent did not have records documenting that the estimated emissions from instrument maintenance were revalidated by October 28, 2015.

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)

Rqmt Prov: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OP

Description: Failed to report all instances of deviations. Specifically, the deviation report for the November 1, 2016 through April 30, 2017 reporting period did not include the deviations for the failure to maintain records of the instrument type used to determine SO2 concentration during MSS activities and the failure to revalidate the estimated emissions from instrument maintenance annually.

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

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: General Condition 8 PERMIT

General Terms and Conditions OP

Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Special Term and Condition 16 OP

Description: Failed to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rate ("MAER"). Specifically, during a required boiler tune-up conducted on December 20, 2017 from 12:40 p.m. to 2:40 p.m., the Respondent exceeded the carbon monoxide ("CO") MAER of 4.54 pounds per hour ("lbs/hr") by 5.24 lbs/hr for the C-Train Start-Up Heater, Emissions Point Number ("EPN") HT-9, resulting in 10.48 pounds of unauthorized CO.

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

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: General Condition 8 PERMIT

General Terms and Conditions OP

Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Special Term and Condition 16 OP

Description: Failed to comply with the MAER. Specifically, during a planned startup on February 10, 2018, the Respondent exceeded the CO MAER of 30.48 lbs/hr by 8.24 lbs/hr for one hour for the E-Train Thermal Oxidizer, EPN HT-46, resulting in 8.24 pounds of unauthorized CO.

Classification: Minor

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: General Terms and Conditions OP

Special Condition 12.B(2)(b) PERMIT

Special Terms and Conditions 16 OP

Description: Failed to conduct quarterly quality assurance for a continuous emission monitoring system ("CEMS"). Specifically, the Respondent did not conduct a cylinder gas audit of the CEMS for the HT-1 Thermal Oxidizer, EPN HT-3, during the first quarter of 2018.

3 Effective Date: 06/16/2020 ADMINORDER 2019-0874-AIR-E (1660 Order-Agreed Order With Denial)

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

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: O2233 GTC and STC No. 14 OP

Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Description: Failure to prevent unauthorized emissions.

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F) 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: Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Special Term & Condition 14 OP

Description: Failed to comply with the MAERs.

Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter F 101.201(b)(1)(G) 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter F 101.201(b)(1)(H)

30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) Rqmt Prov: O2233 GTC and STC No. 2.F OP

Description: Failure to identify all required information on the final record for a reportable emissions event.

Effective Date: 08/24/2021 ADMINORDER 2020-0942-AIR-E (1660 Order-Agreed Order With Denial) 4

Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 101, SubChapter A 101.20(3)

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F) 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. 14 OP

NSR Authorization 14 PERMIT Special Condition 1 PERMIT

Special Term and Condition 14 PERMIT

Description: Failure to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rates (EPN: 35-HR-11). (Category A8 High Priority Violation General Criterion 2).

See addendum for information regarding federal actions.

### **B.** Criminal convictions:

### C. Chronic excessive emissions events:

N/A

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

Item 1	October 19, 2016	(1378433)
Item 2	October 26, 2016	(1362619)
Item 3	November 16, 2016	(1384392)
Item 4	December 14, 2016	(1390530)
Item 5	January 09, 2017	(1377890)
Item 6	January 18, 2017	(1397146)
Item 7	January 20, 2017	(1382976)
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Item 9	March 20, 2017	(1411131)
Item 10	April 20, 2017	(1417634)
Item 11	May 18, 2017	(1425223)
Item 12	June 19, 2017	(1431226)
Item 13	July 17, 2017	(1439835)
Item 14	August 02, 2017	(1409365)

Item 15	August 17, 2017	(1443523)
Item 16	August 24, 2017	(1400551)
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Item 18	November 16, 2017	(1461451)
Item 19	November 29, 2017	(1388639)
Item 20	December 14, 2017	(1467830)
Item 21	January 16, 2018	(1474535)
Item 22	February 15, 2018	(1486761)
Item 23	March 19, 2018	(1490438)
Item 24	March 22, 2018	(1437635)
Item 25	April 19, 2018	(1493675)
Item 26	April 30, 2018	(1472650)
Item 27	May 17, 2018	(1479057)
Item 28	May 22, 2018	•
		(1483361)
Item 29	June 20, 2018	(1507710)
Item 30	July 06, 2018	(1499395)
Item 31	July 18, 2018	(1514028)
Item 32	August 17, 2018	(1497247)
Item 33	August 20, 2018	(1520089)
Item 34	August 23, 2018	(1481651)
Item 35	September 18, 2018	(1527254)
Item 36	October 03, 2018	(1513588)
Item 37	October 18, 2018	(1533612)
Item 38	October 25, 2018	(1517937)
Item 39	November 20, 2018	(1541447)
Item 40	November 28, 2018	(1517738)
Item 41	December 13, 2018	(1545231)
Item 42	January 17, 2019	(1559668)
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	January 18, 2019	(1496748)
Item 44	February 14, 2019	(1559666)
Item 45	March 01, 2019	(1517820)
Item 46	March 19, 2019	(1559667)
Item 47	April 15, 2019	(1555579)
Item 48	April 16, 2019	(1571828)
Item 49	May 17, 2019	(1583265)
Item 50	June 19, 2019	(1583266)
Item 51	July 18, 2019	(1593141)
Item 52	August 02, 2019	(1557866)
Item 53	August 19, 2019	(1599487)
Item 54	September 16, 2019	(1606392)
Item 55	November 20, 2019	(1603744)
Item 56	December 19, 2019	(1626404)
Item 57	January 16, 2020	(1634045)
Item 58	February 20, 2020	(1640664)
Item 59	February 21, 2020	(1612513)
Item 60	April 20, 2020	(1653520)
Item 61	April 21, 2020	(1612512)
Item 62	April 21, 2020 April 28, 2020	(1603371)
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Item 63	May 22, 2020	(1660107)
Item 64	June 15, 2020	(1652739)
Item 65	June 17, 2020	(1666611)
Item 66	August 03, 2020	(1659142)
Item 67	August 04, 2020	(1665921)
Item 68	August 19, 2020	(1680343)
Item 69	August 20, 2020	(1650926)
Item 70	August 24, 2020	(1666288)
Item 71	September 18, 2020	(1686912)
Item 72	October 15, 2020	(1693259)
Item 73	October 21, 2020	(1678958)
Item 74	November 09, 2020	(1672691)
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Item 75	November 17, 2020	(1712467)
Item 76	November 23, 2020	(1677437)
Item 77	December 03, 2020	(1672700)
Item 78	December 16, 2020	(1712468)
Item 79	January 19, 2021	(1712469)
Item 80	February 19, 2021	(1725522)
Item 81	March 11, 2021	(1692236)
Item 82	April 23, 2021	(1725524)
Item 83	May 18, 2021	(1740067)
Item 84	June 07, 2021	(1711296)
Item 85	June 15, 2021	(1740068)
Item 86	June 30, 2021	(1686753)
Item 87	July 22, 2021	(1751708)
Item 88	August 13, 2021	(1749367)
Item 89	August 23, 2021	(1678969)
Item 90	September 08, 2021	(1691874)

### 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: 12/16/2020 (1685916)

Self Report? NO Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 305, SubChapter F 305.125

Provision III.D PERMIT

Description: Failure to meet a permit provision requirement.

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 335, SubChapter F 335.152(a)(18)

40 CFR Chapter 264, SubChapter I, PT 264, SubPT BB 264.1052(a)(2)

Provision X.C PERMIT

Description: Failure to conduct weekly visual inspections for pumps in light liquid service.

Self Report? NO Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 335, SubChapter A 335.9(a)(2)

Provision II.C.1.i PERMIT

Description: Failure to report complete and correct Annual Waste Summaries.

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 335, SubChapter A 335.24(d)

30 TAC Chapter 335, SubChapter A 335.6(h)

Provision II.C.1.i PERMIT

Description: Failure to submit recycling notification.

2 Date: 02/28/2021 (1725523)

Self Report? YES Classification: Moderate

Citation: 2D TWC Chapter 26, SubChapter A 26.121(a)

30 TAC Chapter 305, SubChapter F 305.125(1)

Description: Failure to meet the limit for one or more permit parameter

3 Date: 03/11/2021 (1692131)

Self Report? YES 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)

FOP 1583, ST&C 12 OP NSR Permit 751, SC 1 PA

Description: Failure to comply with 12-month rolling emission limits for nitrogen oxides (NOx),

sulfur dioxide (SO2), carbon monoxide (CO) particulate matter (PM) and volatile

Classification:

Moderate

organic compounds (VOC) for 36-HR-11 (Category B12)

Self Report? YES Classification: Moderate

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

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) FOP 1583, ST&C 3.A(iv)(4) OP

Description: Failure to comply with flare observation requirements for EPN B-3-1. (Category

C3) YES

Self Report?

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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)

FOP 1583, ST&C 12 OP

NSR Permit 751, SC 1 PA

Failure to comply with 12-month rolling emission limits for particulate matter (PM) Description:

for EPNs 36-HR-5 (Category B12)

Self Report? 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) FOP 1583, ST&C 12 OP NSR Permit 751, SC 1 PA

Description: Failure to comply with 12-month rolling emission limits for particulate matter

(PM), for EPN 38-HR-5 (Category B12)

03/16/2021 (1692133) Date:

> Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

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

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) FOP, General Term and Condition OP

Description: Failure to report all instances of a deviation (Category C3)

Self Report? 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) FOP Special Term and Condition 11 OP NSR Permit Special Condition 1 PA

Description: Failure to comply with the maximum allowable hourly emission rate (MAER) for

VOC at EPN: PN-MMA-2 (Category B13)

5 Date: 04/08/2021 (1692135)

> Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 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)

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT A 63.11(b)(5)

5C THSC Chapter 382 382.085(b) FOP Special Term and Condition 14 OP NSR Permit Special Condition 16.C PA

Description: Failure to operate flare with constant pilot flame for emission point number (EPN)

HT-31

(Category C4)

Self Report? Classification: Moderate NO

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) FOP Special Term and Condition 14 OP NSR Permit Special Condition 12.C(1) PA

Description: Failure to maintain minimum firebox temperature for emission point number

(EPN) HT-3

(Category C4)

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352(4) 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) FOP Special Term and Condition 14 OP

NSR Special Condition 6.E PA

Description: Failure to prevent open ended lines (OEL) at emission point number (EPN)

HT2-FUG and HT-FUG

(Category C10)

Self Report? NO Classification: Moderate

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

40 CFR Chapter 60, SubChapter C, PT 60, SubPT A 60.18(c)(3)(ii) 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT A 63.11(b)(6)(ii)

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

Description: Failure to maintain flare net heating value for emission point number (EPN) HT-4

(Category C4)

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)

FOP Special Term and Condition 14 OP NSR Special Condition 21(A)(1) PA

Description: Failure to record weekly audible, visible, olfactory (AVO) inspections for emission

point numbers (EPN) HT-FUG and HT2-FUG

(Category C1)

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) FOP Special Term and Condition 15 OP NSR Permit Special Condition 32.F PA

Description: Failure to conduct stack sampling at required 5 year interval for emission point

number (EPN) HT-3 (Category C1)

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) NSR Special Condition 30B PA Special Term and Condition 15 OP

Description: Failure to mainain temperature of tank liquid below the maximum temperature for

storage tank emission point number (EPN) HT-44943

(Category C4)

Self Report? YES Classification: Moderate

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

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT G 63.119(a)(1)

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

Description: Failure to operate flare with constant pilot flame for emission point number (EPN)

HT-4

(Category C4)

Self Report? YES Classification: Moderate

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

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT G 63.119(a)(1)

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

Description: Failure to route tank breathing loss emissions to a control device; emission point

number (EPN) HT-10 (Category C4)

Date: 05/24/2021 (1704260)

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) FOP, Special Terms & Conditions 12 OP NSR, Special Condition 15 PERMIT

Description: Failure to conduct monthly sampling on cooling towers (EPNs: CT-N5-N; CT-N5-S;

CT-N7)

F. Environmental audits:

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Notice of Intent Date: 01/25/2016 (1308290)

Disclosure Date: 01/25/2017 Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to accurately represent wastewater loading. Sample analyses indicate that actual wastewater loading

is inconsistent with permit representations.

Notice of Intent Date: 05/18/2016 (1336358)

Disclosure Date: 10/17/2016

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter E 115.463

Description: Failure to locate exemption tracking documentation used to demonstrate compliance with the 160 fluid

ounce daily limit.

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 106, SubChapter T 106.454

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter E 115.412(1)(A)

Description: Failure to properly close part washer when not in use.

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 106, SubChapter T 106.454(1)(A)(ii)

Description: Failure to maintain records documenting total solvent make-up per the requirements of the degreasing unit

PBR (Permit by Rule).

Notice of Intent Date: 06/02/2016 (1338084)

Disclosure Date: 02/12/2017

Viol. Classification: Minor

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

Description: Failure to maintain instrument calibration and sampling records; these records are either missing or

incomplete.

Viol. Classification: Minor

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

Description: Failure to maintain MSS activity records; these records are either missing or incomplete.

Notice of Intent Date: 06/02/2016 (1338088)

Disclosure Date: 12/15/2016 Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.354 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.355 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.357

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1022 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1023 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1024

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1025 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1026

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1027

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1029 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1030

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1033

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1034

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1039

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.160 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.162

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.163

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.165 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.173

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.174

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.180

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.181

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.182

Description: Failure to include several components of the Closed Vent System in the fugitive monitoring program.

Notice of Intent Date: 06/02/2016 (1338090)

Disclosure Date: 05/25/2017 Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.354 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.355 30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.357

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1023 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1027 40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT UU 63.1038

40 CFR Part 63, Subpart H 63.165 40 CFR Part 63, Subpart H 63.174

Description: Failure to include several components on the closed vent system in the fugitive monitoring program.

Notice of Intent Date: 01/18/2017 (1389686)

Disclosure Date: 05/25/2017 Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115

Description: Failure to maintain calibration records and verify accuracy of assist natural gas flow meters. The annual

calibration records are not available for the B-3-1 flare vent stream flow meter for 2015 and 2016. In addition, the records associated with the assist natural gas flow meters do not demonstrate that the meters

are meeting the accuracy requirements of +5%.

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115

Description: Failure to retain on-site manufacturer supplied engineering data for the caustic scrubbing system. The Plant

does not have on-site manufacturer supplied engineering data on the caustic scrubbing system that

demonstrates that the scrubbing system will maintain a minimal efficiency of 92.5%.

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter G 122.602

Description: Failure to retain records of structural integrity inspections and dip pipe verification. Records to document

structural integrity inspections and dip pipe verification could not be located for nine storage tanks. Further,

drawings showing dip pipes extend 6 inches of the bottom of the tanks could not be located.

Disclosure Date: 11/27/2017 Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)
Description: Failure to monitor instrumentation systems.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(C)

Description: Failure to identify heavy liquid components in the LDAR system. Component count may not be up to date.

Notice of Intent Date: 03/09/2017 (1401616)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 03/20/2017 (1403504)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/19/2017 (1430185)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/19/2017 (1430186)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 09/05/2017 (1437841)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 09/05/2017 (1442923)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 09/14/2017 (1439454)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 10/02/2017 (1447238)

Disclosure Date: 11/27/2017

Viol. Classification: Major

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.132(d)(2)

30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.142(b)(2)

Description: Failure to obtain authorization for Acetone Scrubber.

Viol. Classification: Major

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(b)(2)(F)

Description: Failure to monitor emissions of VOC, SO2 and Acetone. Unauthorized emissions of VOC, SO2, and Acetone

were discovered as a result of Acetone Water System Evaluation.

Notice of Intent Date: 12/07/2017 (1460192)

Disclosure Date: 05/29/2018
Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to maintain Stack Test Emission Factor below permit representation for PM.

Notice of Intent Date: 01/19/2018 (1467613)

Disclosure Date: 03/27/2018 Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.142

30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.142(a)

30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.143(4)

Description: Failure to accurately conduct emission observations. Some of the quarterly visible emission observations for

the Pyrolysis Oven and the Warehouse vent stack were conducted when the equipment was not in service

and capable of emitting particulate matter.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to accurately record, calculate, and represent painting activity emissions.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to equip the natural gas flow monitor and the vent stream flow monitor with a pressure and/or

temperature monitor.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to use approved chemicals in the LSO unit. Chemicals (additives) other than those listed on the

approved chemical list are used to produce products in the LSO Unit.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to maintain the "Less than 180 Day Container Storage Area Inspection Checklist".

Notice of Intent Date: 02/21/2018 (1473695)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/12/2018 (1506359)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/31/2018 (1511075)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 08/23/2018 (1513373)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 08/29/2018 (1517501)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 10/01/2018 (1519939)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 10/25/2018 (1526571)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 11/21/2018 (1537047)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 11/28/2018 (1537054)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 11/28/2018 (1537059)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 12/04/2018 (1537090)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 01/21/2019 (1548710)

Disclosure Date: 03/22/2019

Viol. Classification: Minor

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

Description: Failure to maintain compliance data for LSO flare.

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 113, SubChapter C 113.890

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

Description: Failure to include all required information in MON periodic reports.

Viol. Classification: Minor

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

Description: Failure to maintain compliance data for batches produced.

Viol. Classification: Minor

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

Description: Failure to maintain records of process throughput.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 113, SubChapter C 113.890

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

Description: Failure to collect the correct samples from the heat exchanger.

Disclosure Date: 09/19/2019 Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 113, SubChapter C 113.100

30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT A 63.6(e)(3)

Description: Failure to update SSM Plan scenarios and management system as required.

Viol. Classification: Moderate

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

Description: Failure to maintain compliance data for MSS activities. Data was incomplete or unavailable.

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 106, SubChapter A 106.8(c)

Description: Failure to maintain compliance data for PBR authorized sources. Data was incomplete or unavailable.

Viol. Classification: Minor

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

Description: Failure to maintain AVO inspection records (LU-2). Data was incomplete or unavailable.

Notice of Intent Date: 02/14/2019 (1550882)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 03/27/2019 (1554926)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 03/25/2019 (1554933)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 04/03/2019 (1577648)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 04/03/2019 (1577661)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 04/29/2019 (1569247)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 04/29/2019 (1569267)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 05/29/2019 (1599251)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/03/2019 (1579217)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/08/2019 (1579588)

Disclosure Date: 10/09/2019

Viol. Classification: Minor

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 113, SubChapter C 113.130

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.355(1) 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c) 30 TAC Chapter 122, SubChapter B 122.144

40 CFR Chapter 264, SubChapter I, PT 264, SubPT BB 264.1063(b)(1) 40 CFR Chapter 265, SubChapter I, PT 265, SubPT BB 265.1063(b)(1)

Description: Failure to maintain records of fugitive monitoring instrument calibrations.

Notice of Intent Date: 07/10/2019 (1580726)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 04/06/2020 (1645255)

Disclosure Date: 02/22/2021 Viol. Classification: Moderate

Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 113, SubChapter C 113.130

30 TAC Chapter 115, SubChapter D 115.352(7) 30 TAC Chapter 116, SubChapter B 116.115(c)

40 CFR Chapter 63, SubChapter C, PT 63, SubPT H 63.181(b)(7)

Description: Failure to monitor fugitive components at quarterly intervals. Specifically, components were misidentified as

"Difficult to Monitor" instead of " Normal to Monitor."

Notice of Intent Date: 04/21/2020 (1646744)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 04/21/2020 (1646852)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 08/21/2020 (1676896)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 09/30/2020 (1685048)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 12/14/2020 (1701251)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 01/14/2021 (1701271)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 05/04/2021 (1724728)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 05/26/2021 (1736477)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 06/03/2021 (1736973)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/13/2021 (1746234)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 07/12/2021 (1746991)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 09/01/2021 (1762700)

No DOV Associated

Notice of Intent Date: 09/03/2021 (1762705)

No DOV Associated

# 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

# Addendum to Compliance History Federal Enforcement Actions

Reg Entity Name: ROHM AND HAAS TEXAS DEER PARK PL

**Reg Entity Add:** 1900 TIDAL RD

Reg Entity City: DEER PARK Reg Entity No: RN100223205

Case Result:Statute:CAASect of Statute:111Classification:MinorProgram:National Emission Stand Citation:Violation Type:Cite Sect:Cite Part:

Enforcement Action: Administrative Penalty Order With or Without Inj

# TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



IN THE MATTER OF AN	§	BEFORE THE
ENFORCEMENT ACTION	§	
CONCERNING	§	TEXAS COMMISSION ON
ROHM AND HAAS TEXAS	§	
INCORPORATED	§	
RN100223205	<b>§</b>	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

## AGREED ORDER DOCKET NO. 2021-0980-AIR-E

### I. JURISDICTION AND STIPULATIONS

On	, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("the
Commission" or "TCE	Q") considered this agreement of the parties, resolving an enforcement
action regarding Rohn	n and Haas Texas Incorporated (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 En	forcement Division, and the Respondent together stipulate that:

- 1. The Respondent owns and operates a chemical manufacturing plant located at 1900 Tidal Road in Deer Park, 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 TCEQ.
- 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 \$9,610 is assessed by the Commission in settlement of the violations alleged in Section II ("Allegations"). The Respondent paid \$3,844 of the penalty and \$1,922 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, \$3,844 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. On April 3, 2018, submitted the initial notification for Incident No. 281429; and
  - b. By July 31, 2018, removed the steam tubing and pipe insultation on the N-Area anhydrous ammonia piping circuit N5-0310-A and conducted a 100 percent inspection of the N-Area anhydrous ammonia piping circuit N5-0310-A to prevent the recurrence of emissions events due to the same or similar causes as Incident No. 281429.

### II. ALLEGATIONS

During a record review conducted on June 21, 2021, an investigator documented that the Respondent:

1. Failed to submit an initial notification for a reportable emissions event no later than 24 hours after the discovery of an emissions event, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 101.201(a)(1)(B) and 122.143(4), Federal Operating Permit ("FOP") No. O2233, General Terms and Conditions ("GTC") and Special Terms and Conditions ("STC") No. 2.F, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the initial notification for Incident No. 281429 was due by April 3, 2018 at 8:30 a.m., but was not submitted until April 3, 2018 at 8:46 a.m.

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2. Failed to prevent unauthorized emissions, in violation of 30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 101.20(3), 116.115(c), and 122.143(4), New Source Review Permit Nos. 723 and PSDTX828M1, Special Conditions No. 1, FOP No. O2233, GTC and STC No. 14, and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 382.085(b). Specifically, the Respondent released 429 pounds of ammonia as fugitive emissions, during an emissions event (Incident No. 281429) that occurred on April 2, 2018 and lasted five hours. The emissions event occurred when the steam tracing on the ammonia piping damaged the steam tubing that caused a leak in the steam tracing on the ammonia piping, resulting in a pinhole leak in the ammonia piping and in the release to the atmosphere. Since the Respondent did not comply with the emissions event reporting requirements, the emissions event was not caused by a sudden unavoidable breakdown of equipment or process beyond the control of the owner or operator, and the emissions event could have been avoided by better design and/or better operational and maintenance practices, the Respondent is precluded from asserting an affirmative defense under 30 Tex, Admin, Code § 101.222.

### 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: Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated, Docket No. 2021-0980-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 an SEP as set forth in Section I, Paragraph No. 4. The amount of \$3,844 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. All relief not expressly granted in this Order is denied.
- 4. 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.

- 5. If the Respondent fails to comply with any of the Ordering Provisions in this 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 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 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.
- 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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# **SIGNATURE PAGE**

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

For the Commission	Date
Cun	9/14/2022
For the executive Director	Date
I, the undersigned, have read and understand the attached Order, and I do agree to the terms acknowledge that the TCEQ, in accepting paymon such representation.	
I also understand that failure to comply with the and/or failure to timely pay the penalty amount	
<ul><li>additional penalties, and/or attorney fees</li><li>Increased penalties in any future enforce</li></ul>	ns submitted; eral's Office for contempt, injunctive relief, s, or to a collection agency; ment actions; al's Office of any future enforcement actions; and
In addition, any falsification of any compliance	e documents may result in criminal prosecution.
Signature Signature	Date  Responsible Care Leade  Title
	Date
Name (Printed or typed)	Responsible Care Leade
Name (Printed or typed) Authorized Representative of	Title
Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated	
☐ If mailing address has changed, please che	eck this box and provide the new address below:

### **Attachment A**

# Docket Number: 2021-0980-AIR-E SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT

Respondent:	Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated
Payable Penalty Amount:	\$7,688
SEP Offset Amount:	\$3,844
Type of SEP:	Contribution to a Third-Party Pre-Approved SEP
Third-Party Administrator:	Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation
<b>Project Name:</b>	Houston Area Air Monitoring Project
<b>Location of SEP:</b>	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.

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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 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 realtime, 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:

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> Houston Regional Monitoring Corporation c/o Christopher B. Amandes Amandes PLLC 1414 West Clay Street Houston, Texas 77019

## 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

# 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 Rohm and Haas Texas Incorporated Docket No. 2021-0980-AIR-E Agreed Order - Attachment A

## 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 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.