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Eugene "Gene" Moore

Cook County Recorder of Deeds

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Re:

LPC #0311595047--Cook County

Lansing/Mobil Oil #05-BD

18595 Torrence Ave.

Leaking UST Incident No. 9619c6

Leaking UST Technical File

Dear Ms Shah:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) has reviewed the Institutional Controls Report submitted for the above-referenced incident. This information is dated March 17, 2009 and was received by the Illinois EPA on March 23, 2009. Citations in this letter are from the Environmental Protection Act (Act) in effect prior to June 24, 2002, and 35 Illinois Administrative Code (35 Ill. Adm. Code).

The High Priority Corrective Action Completion Report and associated Professional Engineer Certification indicate corrective action for the above-referenced site was conducted in accordance with the Corrective Action Plan approved by the Illinois EPA. The Corrective Action Completion Report demonstrates that the requirements of Section 57.7(c)(1)(E) of the Act and 35 M. Adm. Code 732.409(a)(2) have been satisfied.

Based upon the certification by David Tully, a Licensed Professional Engineer, and pursuant to Section 57.10 of the Act (415 ILCS 5/57.10), your request for a no further remediation determination is granted under the conditions and terms specified in this letter.

Issuance of this No Further Remediation Letter (Letter), based on the certification of the Licensed Professional Engineer, signifies that: (1) all statutory and regulatory corrective action requirements applicable to the occurrence have been complied with; (2) all corrective action concerning the remediation of the occurrence has been completed; and (3) no further corrective action concerning the occurrence is necessary for the protection of human health, safety, and the environment. Pursuant to Section 57.10(d) of the Act, this Letter shall apply in favor of the following parties:

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- 1. ExxonMobil Oil Corp., the owner or operator of the underground storage tank system(s).
- 2. Any parent corporation or subsidiary of such owner or operator.
- 3. Any co-owner or co-operator, either by joint tenancy, right-of-survivorship, or any other party sharing a legal relationship with the owner or operator to whom the Letter is issued.
- Any holder of a beneficial interest of a land trust or inter vivos trust whether revocable or 4. irrevocaole.
- Any mongrete or trustee of a deed of trust of such owner or operator. 5.
- Any successor-in-increst of such owner or operator. 6.
- 7. Any transferee of such owner or operator whether the transfer was by sale, bankruptcy proceeding, partition, dissolution of marriage, settlement or adjudication of any civil action, charitable gift, or bequest.
- Any heir or devisee of such owner c. operator. 8.

This Letter and all attachments, including but no. limited to the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice, must be filed within 45 days of receipt as a single instrument with the Office of the Recorder or Registrar of Titles in the county in which the above-referenced site is located. This Letter shall not be effective until officially recorded by the Cifice of the Recorder or Registrar of Titles of the applicable county in accordance with Illinois law so it forms a permanent part of the chain of title for the above-referenced property. Within 30 days of this Letter being recorded, an accurate and official copy of this Letter, as recorded, shall be obtained and submitted to the Illinois EPA. For recording purposes, it is recommended that the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice of this Letter be the first page of the instrument filed. Office

#### CONDITIONS AND TERMS OF APPROVAL

#### LEVEL OF REMEDIATION AND LAND USE LIMITATIONS

- The remediation objectives have been established in accordance with an industrial/ 1. commercial land use limitation. The remediation objectives for the above-referenced site, more particularly described in the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice of this Letter, were established in accordance with the requirements of the Tiered Approach to Corrective Action Objectives (35 Ill. Adm. Code 742) rules.
- As a result of the release from the underground storage tank system(s) associated with the 2. above-referenced incident, the above-referenced site, more particularly described in the attached Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice of this Letter, shall not be used in a manner inconsistent with the following land use limitation: The land use shall be industrial/commercial. The groundwater under the site shall not be used as a potable water supply.

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- 3. The land use limitation specified in this Letter may be revised if:
  - a. Further investigation or remedial action has been conducted that documents the attainment of objectives appropriate for the new land use; and
  - b. A new No Further Remediation Letter is obtained and recorded in accordance with Title XVII of the Act and regulations adopted thereunder.

### PREVENTIVE, ENGINEERING, AND INSTITUTIONAL CONTROLS

4. Preventive:

The groundwater under the site described in the attached Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice of this Letter shall not be used as a potable supply of water. No person shall construct, install, maintain, or utilize a potable water supply well. In accordance with Section 3.65 of the Act, "powble" means generally fit for human consumption in accordance with accepted water supply principles and practices.

Engineering:

None.

Institutional:

This Letter shall be recorded as a permanent part of the chain of title for the above-referenced site, more particularly described in the attached Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice of this Letter.

#### **Highway Authority Agreement**

The Illinois Department of Transportation agrees, through the use of a Highway Authority Agreement, to allow contaminated groundwater and/or soil to remain beneath its highway right-of-way adjacent to the site located at 18595 Torrence Avenue, Lansing, Illinois. Specifically, as shown on the attached map, contamination will remain in the right of-way for Torrence Avenue and 186th Street, as indicated in the Highway Authority Agreement. The Highway Authority agrees to: (a) prohibit the use of groundwater under the highway right-of-way that is contaminated above Tier 1 groundwater remediation objectives as a potable or other domestic supply of water, and (b) limit access to soil contamination under the highway right-of-way that is contaminated above residential Tier 1 soil remediation objectives. A copy of the Highway Authority Agreement can be obtained through a written request under the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140) to the Bureau of Land, FOIA Unit as detailed elsewhere in this Letter. Questions regarding the Highway Authority Agreement should be directed to:

District Engineer Illinois Department of Transportation 2001 West Center Court Schaumburg, IL 60196 847-705-4110

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#### **Environmental Land Use Control**

The owner or operator acknowledges and agrees that issuance of this Letter is based upon an agreement by the property owner(s) of the real property located at the common address, 18538 Glen Oak Drive, Lansing, Illinois (Property), through the use of the recorded Environmental Land Use Control (ELUC), to allow contaminated groundwater or soil to remain beneath the Property, as depicted on the attached Site Base Map. Specifically, the owner(s) of the Property has agreed, for himself/herself and his/her heirs, grantees, successors, assigns, transferees and any other owner, occupant, lessee, possessor or user of the Property, or the holder of any portion thereof or interest therein, that certain limitations or requirements have been imposed upon the use of the Property in accordance with the terms and conditions of the recorded ELUC. Unless other remedies that may be available are satisfied, a failure to comply with the limitations or requirements of the recorded LUC may result in voidance of this Letter. The failure to comply with the limitations or requirements of the recorded ELUC may also be grounds for an enforcement action pursuant to Title VIII of the Act.

Information regarding the recorded ELUC ar Jor remediation performed on the Property may be obtained from the Illinois EPA through a written equest under the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140) to the Bureau of Land, FOIA Unit as detailed elsewhere in this Letter.

### Environmental Land Use Control

The owner or operator acknowledges and agrees that issuance of this Letter is based upon an agreement by the property owner(s) of the real property located at the common address, 18542 Glen Oak Drive, Lansing, Illinois (Property), through the use of the recorded Environmental and Use Control (ELUC), to allow contaminated groundwater or soil to remain beneath the Property, as depicted on the attached Site Base Map. Specifically, the owner(s) of the Property has agreed, for himself/herself and his/her heirs, grantees, successors, assigns, transferees and any other owner, occupant, lessee, possessor or user of the Property, or the holder of any portion increof or interest therein, that certain limitations or requirements have been imposed upon the use of the Property in accordance with the terms and conditions of the recorded ELUC. Unless other remedies that may be available are satisfied, a failure to comply with the limitations or requirements of the recorded ELUC may result in voidance of this Letter. The failure to comply with the limitations or requirements of the recorded ELUC may also be grounds for an enforcement action pursuant to Title VIII of the Act.

Information regarding the recorded ELUC and/or remediation performed on the Property may be obtained from the Illinois EPA through a written request under the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140) to the Bureau of Land, FOIA Unit as detailed elsewhere in this Letter.

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5. Failure to establish, operate, and maintain controls in full compliance with the Act, applicable regulations, and the approved Corrective Action Plan, if applicable, may result in voidance of this Letter.

#### **OTHER TERMS**

- Any contaminated soil or groundwater removed or excavated from, or disturbed at, the above-referenced site, more particularly described in the Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmental Notice of this Letter, must be handled in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations under 35 Ill. Adm. Code Subtitle G.
- 7. Further into mation regarding the above-referenced site can be obtained through a written request under the freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140) to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Attention: Freedom of Information Act Officer Bureau of Land - #24 1021 North Grand Avenue East Post Office Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276

- Pursuant to 35 Ill. Adm. Code 732.704, should the Illinois EPA seek to void this Letter, the Illinois EPA shall provide Notice of Voidance & the owner or operator of the leaking underground storage tank system(s) associated with the above-referenced incident and the current title holder of the real estate on which the tanks were located, at their last known addresses. The notice shall specify the cause for the voidance, explain the provisions for appeal, and describe the facts in support of the voidance. Specific acts or omissions that may result in the voidance of this Letter include, but shall not be limited to:
  - a. Any violation of institutional controls or industrial/commercial land use restrictions;
  - b. The failure to operate and maintain preventive or engineering controls or to comply with any applicable groundwater monitoring plan;
  - c. The disturbance or removal of contamination that has been left in-place in accordance with the Corrective Action Plan or Completion Report;
  - d. The failure to comply with the recording requirements for the Letter;
  - e. Obtaining the Letter by fraud or misrepresentation; or
  - f. Subsequent discovery of contaminants, not identified as part of the investigative or remedial activities upon which the issuance of the Letter was based, that pose a threat to human health or the environment.

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Submit an accurate and official copy of this Letter, as recorded, to:

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency Bureau of Land - #24 Leaking Underground Storage Tank Section 1021 North Grand Avenue East Post Office Box 19276 Springfield, IL 62794-9276

If you have any fuestions or need further assistance, please contact the Illinois EPA project manager, Steve Jones, at 21/324-1253.

Sincerely,

Clifford L. Wheeler

Unit Manager

Leaking Underground Storage Tank Section

Division of Remediation Management

Bureau of Land

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Attachments: Leaking Underground Storage Tank Environmen al Notice

Site Base Map

c: Groundwater & Environmental Services, Inc., attn: Bridget Becker

Rajiner Pathria

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P.O. Box 874 Joliet, IL 60434

(THE ABOVE SPACE FOR RECORDER'S OFFICE)

LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK ENVIRONMENTAL NOTICE

THE OWNER AND/OR OPERATOR OF THE LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEM(S) ASSOCIATED WITH THE RELEASE REFERENCED BELOW, WITHEN 45 DAYS OF RECEIVING THE NO FURTHER REMEDIATION LETTER CONTAINING THIS NOTICE, MUST SUBMIT THIS NOTICE AND THE REMAINDER OF THE NO FURTHER REMEDIATION LETTER TO THE CFFICE OF THE RECORDER OR REGISTRAR OF TITLES OF COOK COUNTY IN WHICH THE SITE DESCRIBED BELOW IS LOCATED.

Illinois EPA Number: 0311595047

LUST Incident No.: 961968

ExxonMobil Oil Corp., the owner and/or operator of the leaking underground storage link system(s) associated with the above-referenced incident, whose address is Joliet Refinery, P.O. Eca 874, Joliet, Illinois, has performed investigative and/or remedial activities for the site identified as follows and depicted on the attached Site Base Map:

- 1. Legal Description or Reference to a Plat Showing the Boundaries: Lot 89, Lot 90 and Lot 91 (except that part hereof taken for Highway purposes as shown in Document 3062508) in Lansing Torrence Manor Resubdivision, being a Subdivision in Southwest ¼ of Section 31, Township 36 North, Range 15, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois, according to the plat thereof recorded December 26, 1957 as Document Number 17096913, in Book 505 of Plats, Page 40.
- 2. Common Address: 18 Torrence Avenue, Lansing, Illinois
- 3. Real Estate Tax Index/Parcel Index Number: 30-31-318-045, 30-31-318-046, 30-31-318-047

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- 4. Site Owner: Rajiner Pathria
- Land Use Limitation: The land use shall be industrial/commercial. The groundwater under 5. the site shall not be used as a potable water supply.
- See the attached No Further Remediation Letter for other terms. 6.

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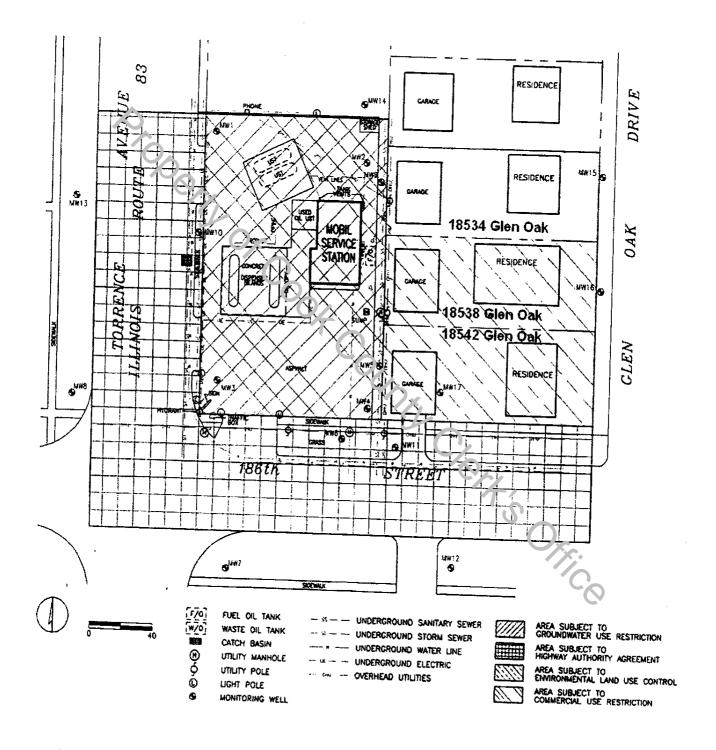
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### RECORDING REQUIREMENTS FOR NO FURTHER REMEDIATION LETTERS

#### Introduction

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's (Illinois EPA) Bureau of Land/Leaking Underground Storage Tank Section issues a No Further Remediation (NFR) Letter after a demonstration of compliance with Title XVI of the Environmental Protection Act and applicable regulations is made. The NFR Letter signifies that: (1) all statutory and regulatory corrective action requirements applicable to the occurrence have been complied with, (2) all corrective action concerning the remediation of the occurrence has been completed, and (3) no further corrective action concerning the occurrence is necessary so long as the site is used in accordance with the terms and conditions of the NFR Letter.

Significance

When properly recorded, the NFR Letter holds legal significance for all applicable parties outlined at Section 57.10(d) of the Environmental Protection Act. (See 415 ILCS 5/57.10(d).) If not properly recorded, the Illinois EPA will take steps to void the NFR Letter in accordance with the regulations.

Duty to Record

The duty to record the NFR Letter is mandatory. You must submit the NFR Letter, with a copy of any applicable institutional controls proposed as part of a corrective action completion report, to the Office of the Recorder or the Registrar of Titles of the county in which the site is located within 45 days after receipt of the NFR Letter. You must record the NFR Letter and any attachments. The NFR Letter shall be filed in accordance with Illinois law so that it forms a permanent part of the chain of title to ensure current and future users of the property will be informed of the conditions and terms of approval including level of remediation; land use limitations; and preventive, engineering, and institutional controls. A certified or otherwise accurate and official copy of the NFR Letter and any attachments, as recorded, must be submitted to the Illinois EPA. Failure to record the NFR Letter in accordance with the regulations will make the NFR Letter voidable.

### For More Information

Please refer to Tiered Approach to Corrective Action Objectives (TACO) Fact Sheet 3 available from the Illinois EPA by calling 1-888-299-9533 or by accessing it on the Illinois EPA Web site at http://www.epa.state.il.us/land/taco/3-no-further-remediation-letters.html.