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June 15, 2012

Mr. Steven Hill San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board 1515 Clay Street, Suite 1400 Oakland, CA 94612 (sent via electronic mail to: <u>SHill@waterboards.ca.gov</u>)

Subject: Notice of Referral; Fuel Leak Case No. RO0000209 and GeoTracker Global ID T0600101516, VIP Service Station, 3889 Castro Valley Blvd., Castro Valley, 94546

Dear Mr. Hill:

This is a notice of referral for the subject site. Due to the lack of site cleanup progress, Alameda County Environmental Health (ACEH) is referring this site to the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board.

The TPHG plume has migrated beneath the adjacent and immediately down gradient property where in December 2011 a TPHG concentration of 9,500 ppb and 2,000 ppb benzene was found in a monitoring well. The neighboring property is currently under consideration for a property transaction for redevelopment.

Not all historic documents for the fuel leak case may be available on GeoTracker. A more complete historic case file for this site is located on the Alameda County Environmental Health website at: <a href="http://ehgis.acgov.org/dehpublic/dehpublic.jsp">http://ehgis.acgov.org/dehpublic/dehpublic.jsp</a>.

Should you have any questions, please send me an electronic mail message at <u>karel.detterman@acgov.org</u> or contact me at (510) 567-6708.

Sincerely,

Karel Detterman, P.G. Hazardous Materials Specialist

cc: Lalji & Arvinda Patel, VIP Service Station, 385 Century Circle, Danville, CA 94526 Pawan K. & Meera Gupta, 224 Castro Lane, Fremont, CA 94539

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