Weekly Activity Report for the Week Ending _____
Region 6 Office of Regional Counsel

OECA Issues

Confidential Items:

Non-confidential Items:

OGC Issues

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Follow-Up Call Regarding Draft Wastewater Permit For Louisiana Offshore Oil Port (LOOP): EPA Region 6 Water Division and Office of Regional Counsel, and the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LDEQ), met with representatives of LOOP on September 5, 2017, to discuss permit conditions for LOOP's outfall 004, consisting of brine discharges. LOOP explained their position on the issues and discussed some additional technical information they believe supports a finding that this outfall does not need a whole effluent toxicity (WET) biomonitoring permit condition. EPA will internally summarize and discuss the information that LOOP presented. A follow-up call is planned for next week to discuss EPA's request additional information from LOOP to support such a finding. **Contact**: David Gillespie, (214) 665-7467.