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Draft Desk Statement

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is working with Unified Command in response to a fire at the International Terminals Corporation Deer Park facility near Houston, TX. Emergency responders continue to use foam to control and prevent spreading of the fire. EPA has conducted air monitoring with the Airborne Spectral Photometric Environmental Collection Technology aircraft (ASPECT) and has not measured any significant detections in the vicinity and downwind of the incident. EPA is continuing to conduct air monitoring along with the responsible party and TCEQ.

Sincerely,

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