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Dear FOIA Officers:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552 ("FOIA" or the "Act"), I request copies of public records maintained by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"). Please inform me of any fees related to searching for or copying these records.

The U.S. Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board ("CSB") recently released a draft report ("Report") of its investigation into an April 2010 incident involving the rupture of a heat exchanger at Tesoro Refining & Marketing Company's oil refinery in Anacortes, Washington (the "Incident"). Please produce any and all documents constituting, referring or relating to:

- Comments submitted to CSB on the Report;
- Proposed revisions to the Report;
- Communications with CSB concerning the Report;
- Communications with CSB concerning CSB's investigation into the Incident; and
- Communications with CSB concerning the Incident.

Please search for responsive records regardless of format, medium, or physical characteristics. Where possible, please produce records electronically, in .pdf or .tif format,

on a CD. We seek records of any kind, including hard copies, electronic records, audiotapes, videotapes, photographs, e-mails, or facsimiles. Our request also includes any attachments to those records.

The requested documents may be located in the files of employees of the Criminal Investigation Division of the EPA. This information is not intended to limit our request in any way, and we request that responsive documents be provided to us, wherever they exist within the Department of Justice's records.

If you expect significant delay in responding to and fulfilling this request, please contact me with information about when I might expect the records to arrive. If you deny any part or all of this request, please cite each specific exemption you feel justifies the refusal to release the information and notify me of the appeal procedures available to me under the law.

I look forward to hearing from you within 20 days, as required by the Act. 5 U.S.C. § 552(a)(6)(A)(i).

Sincerely,

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