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Seattle, WA 98101

Reply To
Attn Of: OAQ-107

Mr. John Kuterbach
Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation
555 Cordova Street
Anchorage, AK 99501-2617

Re: ADEC Draft Title V Permit for BP Exploration (Alaska), Inc. GC1,
Permit Number 182TVP01

Dear Mr. Kuterbach:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the ADEC draft Title V permit for BP Exploration (Alaska), Inc. GC1, permit number 182TVP01. EPA has reviewed the permit and our preliminary comments are attached. My staff is continuing to review the permit, and I may have additional comments to submit within two weeks.

Please note that if the permit is later found to require corrective steps (including, but not limited to, objecting to the proposed permit or reopening the issued permit for cause), EPA's failure to comment on a specific issue in the draft permit does not compromise the Agency's authority to take such measures.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter or would like to discuss these matters further, please call Elizabeth Waddell of my staff. Elizabeth can be reached at (206) 553-4303.

Sincerely,

Jeff KenKnight, Manager
Federal & Delegated Air Programs Unit

Enclosure

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