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September 6, 2016

Mr. Stephen J Lachance Environmental Quality Specialist Air Quality Division, Michigan DEQ State Office Building 350 Ottawa Avenue, NW, Unit 10 Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2341

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

TRACKING# 7771 5974 8936

RE: Response to Notice of Violation dated August 17, 2016

Plains LPG Services, L.P. – Alto Terminal

Dear Mr. Lachance:

Per your notice of violation dated August 17, 2016, Plains LPG Services, L.P. (Plains) is submitting this response before the deadline of September 7, 2016. Plains understands that the violation notice was sent due to the installation of three (3) unpermitted 90,000-gallon pressurized propane bullet tanks during 2006 at our Alto Terminal. The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Air Quality Division (AQD) has deemed the installation of these pressurized bullet tanks as a violation of Act 451, Rule 201 and suggested to complete a permit to install (PTI) application.

Plains believes the propane tanks qualify for the PTI exemption of Rule 284(j), as the boiling point of propane is well below 0°C.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (713) 646-4668 or email at bbokhim@paalp.com.

Sincerely,

PLAINS LPG SERVICES, L.P.

Bijay Bokhim

Sr. Air Quality Compliance Engineer

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