

REVISED NOTICE OF VIOLATION

January 23, 2025

VIA EMAIL: Nathan.Levin@shell.com

Nathan Levin, General Manager Shell Chemical Appalachia LLC 300 Frankfort Road Monaca, PA 15061

Re: PA-04-00740C Shell Polymers Monaca 12-month Rolling Emission Exceedances (December 2024) Potter Township Beaver County

Dear Nathan Levin:

This letter replaces the previous Notice of Violation sent to your attention on January 23, 2025, regarding 12-month Rolling Emission Exceedances at the Shell Petrochemicals Complex. The January 23 letter used the wrong year (2024). Corrected year of 2025 is reflected in this Revised Notice of Violation letter.

The Shell Chemical Appalachia LLC ("Shell") Shell Polymers Monaca ("Facility") is authorized to be constructed and for temporary operation pursuant to plan approvals PA-04-00740A, PA-04-00740B, and PA-04-00740C. On January 17, 2025, Shell provided emissions data, including 12-month rolling totals for the month of December 2024. Following review of this data, the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has noted the following violation:

Section C, Condition #005 of PA-04-00740C imposes 12-month rolling total emission limitation of 328.5 tons of Nitrogen Oxides (NOx). The 12-month rolling emissions data provided by Shell for the 12-month period ending in December 2024, total NOx emissions reached 349.8 tons. By exceeding the 12-month rolling emissions total for NOx, Shell violated Section C, Condition #005 of PA-04-00740C and 25 Pa. Code § 127.25.

The above violation constitutes unlawful conduct and a public nuisance as defined by Sections 8 and 13 of the Air Pollution Control Act (APCA), 35 P.S. Sections 4008 and 4013, respectively. Violations of DEP's Air Quality Regulations are subject to the penalties of Sections 9 and 9.1 of the APCA. Each day the violation continues constitutes a separate offense.

This Notice of Violation is neither an order nor any other final action of DEP. It neither imposes nor waives any enforcement action available to DEP under any of its statutes. If DEP determines that an enforcement action is appropriate, you will be notified of the action.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact me at <u>tkuntz@pa.gov</u> or at 412-442-4213.

Sincerely,

Tim Kuntz/TK

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04-00740 Enforcement File

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