



AMERICAN REFINING GROUP, INC.

December 31, 2008

Dear Crude Oil Producer/Supplier:

This letter is to inform you that effective Jan 11 , 2009, the American Refining Group, Inc. (ARG) will change it's policy of measuring and paying for crude oil volumes calculated from tank gauges (strappings) as follows:

For crude oil delivered on or after Jan 11, 2009, crude oil volumes will be measured by ARG's newly installed, state of the art, Coriolis meters at its Sandyville, Ohio and Bradford, Pennsylvania unloading terminals. These metered volumes will be used for all future crude payments.

This significant investment should assure you that ARG is committed to utilizing the latest technology available to measure your crude oil with the highest degree of accuracy.

We look forward to serving you in the future and sincerely thank you for your decision to sell your oil to ARG.

If you have any questions regarding this policy change, please direct them to:

In Ohio/WVA: Bill Murray- VP-Crude Oil Acquisition

In PA/NY: Dave Mahan- Manager Crude Oil Supply, Eastern Division

Sincerely,

Bill Murray
VP-Crude Oil Acquisition