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Storage Tank Enforcement: Texas Commission on Environmental Quality Draft Order Addressing Alleged Weatherford, Texas Convenience Store Operator Violations

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The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("TCEQ") is reviewing a draft Agreed Order ("AO") addressing alleged violations involving underground storage tank ("UST") violations by RCF Investments, Inc. ("RCF").

The AO states that RCF owns and operates a convenience store with retail sales of gasoline in Parker County, Texas.

The RCF facility allegedly violated certain Texas underground storage tank regulations which include:

- Failed to provide release detection for the pressurized piping associated with the UST system, in violation of 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 334.50(b)(2) and TEX. WATER CODE § 26.3475(a). (RCF allegedly did not conduct annual line leak detector and piping tightness tests).
- Failed to maintain UST records and make them immediately available for inspection upon request by agency personnel, in violation of 30 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 334.10(b)(1)(B).

The AO provides that RCF denies the referenced allegations.

RCF is required to pay a civil penalty of \$13,629.00.

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