Case No. 24-1010

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FIFTH CIRCUIT

WYNNEWOOD REFINING CO. LLC,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,

Respondent.

PETITION FOR REVIEW

Pursuant to Section 307(b) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b), and Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 15(a), Wynnewood Refining Company, LLC ("Petitioner") petitions this Court for review of the action of the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") announced on June 3, 2022, titled "June 2022 Alternative RFS Compliance Demonstration Approach for Certain Small Refineries," EPA-420-R-22-012, notice of which was published in the Federal Register on June 8, 2022. 87 Fed. Reg. 34872 (June 8, 2022). A copy of the action is attached as **Exhibit A**. This agency action purported to provide 31 small refineries, including the Petitioner, with an alternative compliance demonstration approach "for one or more of the 2016, 2017, and 2018 compliance years." Ex. A, at 1. This Petition is timely filed within 60 days of the notice published in the Federal Register. *See* 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b)(1). Petitioner has filed this petition for review of the agency action in this Court, the regional circuit in which Petitioner's principal place of business is located, because Petitioner believes that jurisdiction and venue are proper here pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b)(1). As a protective measure, however, Petitioner will also file a petition for review of the same agency action in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, because EPA stated in the agency action that any "petitions for judicial review of this action must be filed in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit" Ex. A, at 20.

The Certificate of Interested Persons required by Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 26.1 and Fifth Circuit Rule 26.1.1 is attached as **Exhibit B**. Dated: August 1, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure 3(d), 15(c) and 25, Fifth

Circuit Rule 25, and 40 C.F.R. § 23.12(a), I hereby certify that on August 1, 2022,

I will cause copies of the foregoing Petition for Review and Corporate Disclosure

Statement to be served by certified mail, return receipt requested upon the

following:

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