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Attention: Chemical Right-to-Know

American Petroleum Institute (API)  
Petroleum HPV Testing Group

**HPV Registration Number**

**RE: HPV Test Plan and Robust Summaries Submission for Petroleum Gases**

Dear Ms. Browner:

The American Petroleum Institute, on behalf of the Petroleum HPV Testing Group, is pleased to submit the Petroleum Gases Test Plan and Robust Summaries. Our consortium has chosen not to use the HPV Tracker system for submission of our test plans due to the complexity of petroleum substance categories and subsequent test plans. We are therefore submitting the test plan, as well as robust summaries directly to EPA to make available for public comment.

Electronic copies, in .PDF format, of the test plan and robust summaries, are accompanying this letter via email to the EPA HPV robust summary email address (<http://www.epa.gov/chemrtk/srbstsum.htm>). This submission is also being sent, via email, to Charles Auer.

Please feel free to contact me (202-682-8344; [twerdoki@api.org](mailto:twerdoki@api.org) or Tom Gray (202-682-8480; [grayt@api.org](mailto:grayt@api.org)) with any comments or questions you may have concerning this submission.

Sincerely,

Cc: C. Auer (via email)  
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