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3. Mr. Matt Rezvani	3.	3. Mr. Garry Smith	3.
4. Mr. John Berge	4.	4. Ms. Marion Boyd	4.
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6. Mr. R. Mitchel Beauchamp	6.	6.	6.
7. Ms. Joan Lundstrom	7.	7.	7.

**CALIFORNIA OIL SPILL
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC)**

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Meeting of
Wednesday, February 15, 2012
9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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AGENDA

1. Introductions.....9:00 am – 9:10 am (10 Min)
Mr. Stephen Ricks, TAC Chairman
2. OSPR Strategic Initiatives.....9:10 am – 9:40 am (30 Min)
Captain Scott Schaefer, OSPR Administrator (Acting)

Major Initiatives including potential legislative/regulatory changes

A. Implementation of AB 1112

- ◆ Comply with requirements of AB 1112; implement comprehensive risk-based bunkering and lightering monitoring program effective July 1, 2012
- ◆ Complete regulatory process for Nontank fee increase to \$3,250.
- ◆ Joint Legislative Audit Committee- requires audit by Bureau of State Audits- started December 2011 estimated 5 month project (see scope of audit and objectives)
- ◆ Department of Finance audit- expected to start in June 2012; mandated every four years by AB 1112; OSPR and State Lands Comm.

B. Reduce risk of bunkering spills

- ◆ Drills/training for bunkering companies; required to deploy 600' boom in 30 minutes and another 600' in next 30 minutes
- ◆ Developing New Pacific States/British Columbia Oil Spill Task Force bunkering best practices video based on Washington State video
- ◆ Face to face meeting between Persons in Charge before transfers
- ◆ Other Best Maritime Practices as identified by Harbor Safety Committees

C. Improve response readiness

- ◆ OSPR personnel- Incident Command System training; Personal Qualification Standards

- ◆ Spill management teams- need to meet Best Achievable Protection standard - notifications; first 6-12 hours; full spill management teams; Based on observations during drills believe major oil companies' nationwide teams already provide for BAP.
- ◆ Mutual aid- States must be pro-active; cascading equipment requires approval of federal government, State and plan holders; Pacific States/BC signed new mutual aid agreement in August 2011.

D. Funding:

- ◆ Oiled Wildlife Care Network funding - OSRTF; or OSPAF; OSRTF interest good through FY 2012-13. Need to intensify funding source for FY 2013/14 and beyond.
- ◆ Fund 207- Identify sustainable funding for Inland spill response program reduced from 17- 10.5 PY's in FY 2011/12. Fund will be exhausted by end of FY 2012/13.
- ◆ Fund 320 – Comply with audit findings; in order to get Legislative support to extend the fee increase.

E. Streamline nontank contingency plans

3. California State Lands Commission Strategic Initiatives.....**9:40 am – 10:00 am (20 Min)**
Mr. Don Hermanson – Chief, Marine Facilities Division

A. Consolidate MFD's position with respect to MOTEMS:

- ◆ Heavy lift due to condition of Marine Oil Terminal
- ◆ Field expertise necessary to assess/verify engineering fixes
- ◆ Huge volume of engineering documents
- ◆ BCP mission critical

B. Systems Safety Audits:

- ◆ Increases effectiveness of MFD's Prevention Program
- ◆ Surfaces systemic risk
- ◆ Identified risks can be prevented/mitigated
- ◆ Frontloads emergency management
- ◆ BCP mission critical

C. Assist with monitoring bunkering operations

- ◆ Existing oil transfer monitoring regime
- ◆ Would monitor shore side transfers only
- ◆ Utilize existing Oil Transfer & Vessel Operations Regs (Title 14, CCR)
- ◆ Citations to OSPR for administration

D. Decommissioning of Ellwood Offshore Marine Oil

- ◆ Terminal (Venoco)
- ◆ Lease & EIR
- ◆ Pipeline abandonment
- ◆ Moorings removal
- ◆ Commissioners' approval

E. Outreach and Membership

- ◆ California Maritime Leadership Symposia
- ◆ Area Maritime Security Committees
- ◆ Harbor Safety Committees
- ◆ Propeller Clubs of LA-LB and San Francisco Bay
- ◆ California Oil Spill Technical Advisory Committee
- ◆ Prevention First Symposia
- ◆ Field Office Customer Service Meetings

4. TAC Strategic Priorities.....10:00 am – 11:45 am (1.75 Hours)
Mr. Stephen Ricks, TAC Chairman

5. Potential TAC Letter to Executive Committee of the CA Fish & Wildlife Strategic Vision Project,
(Vote Anticipated).....11:45 am – 12:00 pm (15 Min)
Ms. Deb Self, TAC Vice Chair

A. TAC decided not to take a vote.

6. Old/New Business.....12:00 pm – 12:15 pm (10 Min)
Mr. Stephen Ricks, TAC Chairman

7. Meeting Dates & Locations.....12:15 pm – 12:20 pm (5 Min)
Mr. Stephen Ricks, TAC Chairman

A. Meeting date scheduled for April 17th in Ventura, CA.

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