UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

RENEWABLE FUELS ASSOCIATION,

Petitioner,

v.

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY,

Respondent.

Case No.: 21-1032

Filed: 05/24/2021

<u>PETITIONER'S UNOPPOSED MOTION TO VOLUNTARILY DISMISS</u> <u>PETITION FOR REVIEW</u>

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 42(b) and D.C. Circuit Rules 27(g) and 42, the Renewable Fuels Association hereby submits this motion to voluntarily dismiss its petition for review¹ in the above-captioned case.

Dismissal is appropriate because the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit vacated and remanded the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") decision that is the subject of the Renewable Fuels Association's petition for review. *See* Order, *Sinclair Wyo. Refining Co. v. EPA*, Case No. 21-9528 (10th Cir. May 19, 2021), ECF No. 10831071-1 (attached as Exhibit A). Respondent EPA

¹ Petition for Review, Case No. 21-1032 (D.C. Cir. filed Jan. 19, 2021), ECF No. 1880783.

does not oppose this motion. Intervenor-Respondents Sinclair Casper Refining Company and Sinclair Wyoming Refining Company do not oppose this motion. Each party shall bear its own costs.

Date: May 24, 2021 Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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EXHIBIT A

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United States Court of Appeals Tenth Circuit

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SINCLAIR WYOMING REFINING COMPANY; SINCLAIR CASPER REFINING COMPANY,	Clerk of Cour
Petitioners,	
v.	No. 21-9528
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY; MICHAEL S. REGAN, Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency,	
Respondents.	
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Before MATHESON, BACHARACH, and PH	IILLIPS, Circuit Judges.

This matter is before the court on Federal Respondents' *Motion for Vacatur and*

Voluntary Remand. The motion concedes that the agency did not analyze determinative legal questions regarding whether Petitioners' (Sinclair Wyoming Refining Company and Sinclair Casper Refining Company (collectively, "Sinclair")) refineries qualified to receive extensions of the small refinery exemption under this court's controlling decision in Renewable Fuels Association v. EPA, 948 F.3d 1206 (10th Cir. 2020). Sinclair has filed a response stating that it does not oppose Respondents' motion.

Upon careful consideration, Respondents' unopposed *Motion for Vacatur and Voluntary Remand* is granted. We vacate the agency's decision and remand for further administrative proceedings consistent with this court's decision in *Renewable Fuels Association*.

A copy of this order shall stand as and for the mandate of the court.

Entered for the Court

CHRISTOPHER M. WOLPERT, Clerk