

## Department of Environmental Conservation

DIVISION OF SPILL PREVENTION & RESPONSE Contaminated Sites Program

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Mr. Bruce K. Anthony Holiday Alaska, Inc. PO Box 1224 4567 American Boulevard West Minneapolis, MN 55437

Re: Underground Storage Tank Closure Assessment for Holiday Station Store No. 616

Dear Mr. Anthony;

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (ADEC), Contaminated Sites Program (CSP) has received and reviewed the *Underground Storage Tank Closure Assessment* for *Holiday Station Store No. 616*. The greatest concentration of petroleum contaminated soil (containing 0.275 mg/Kg benzene) was identified near the westernmost dispenser island following initial excavation activities, but subsequent excavation efforts appear to have successfully removed all known contamination from this area. Contaminated soil was disposed at the Anchorage Regional Landfill (ARL) following coordination with ADEC and ARL personnel. There is no evidence of contamination above ADEC cleanup levels (18 AAC 75.341, Table B1 and B2) near the former USTs or dispenser islands, and the CSP will not require additional characterization or remediation activity at this site. Congratulations on a job well done.

This determination is in accordance with 18 AAC 78.276(f) and does not preclude ADEC from requiring additional assessment and/or cleanup action if future information indicates that this site may pose an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment.

Sincerely,

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Environmental Program Specialist

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