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Subject: Benzene Epi Consortium - Crude Throughput numbers

Attached, please find a chart with the 1998 refinery capacities for the 10/25 conference call of the BZ Epi Consortium Funding WG. These figures were taken from the Oil and Gas Journal Pennwell directory, as is, unless we received updated information on refinery ownership from you. We worked up this listing with 1998 information, as a start. We have ordered the 2000 edition of the Pennwell Directory, but we won't have it in time for our call this week.

Trust this information is sufficient to proceed with our discussions.

Regards,

Lorraine

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To Benzene EPI Funding Formula Group -

As follow-up to our 11 AM call today (Wednesday, 10/18):

The Oil and Gas Journal Pennwell Directory only reports refinery capacity. After checking around API (Statistics, Downstream), it was the general consensus that Crude Throughput numbers would be quite difficult to obtain by refinery.

Since most US refineries are operating at 90+% capacity, can we go ahead and base our calculations on capacity, rather than throughput? I also think that throughput might put us into company CBI areas, which is something we

decided not to do.

Your prompt response will be appreciated,
Lorraine

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