



**Rick Pate**  
Commissioner

# ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & INDUSTRIES

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March 23, 2020

Mr. Jon Barganier  
Executive Director,  
Alabama Petroleum Council  
100 North Union Street, Suite 368  
Montgomery, AL 36104

Re: Reid Vapor Pressure Waiver

Dear Mr. Bargainer:

Due to the potential impacts of the COVID-19 virus on oil refineries, supply lines, distribution networks, and the reduction in gasoline demand, I will allow your requested waiver of ASTM Reid Vapor Pressure Specifications. This will ensure that adequate supplies of gasoline may be imported into and sold within Alabama. The Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries will allow the sale of gasoline with a reid vapor pressure of 13.5 psi (Class D-4 volatility specifications) until May 1, 2020.

Please contact me if you have any additional questions,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Stacy Boshell".

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**Stacy Boshell, Division Director**  
**Weights & Measures**