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Price Increase Announcement

Effective Date: June 18th, 2009

Shell Chemical LP hereby announces an Off Schedule Price increase of 3 cpp on all aliphatic and blended hydrocarbons solvents and 4 cpp increase on all aromatic products, Hexane and Heptane. This price increase will be effective on or before June 18th, 2009.

Off-Schedule Increases

Affecting: All U.S. Shell Chemical LP Hydrocarbon Solvents Customers:

<u>Products</u>	<u>Increase</u>
ShellSol D-38	3.0 cpp
ShellSol D-40	3.0 cpp
ShellSol 7EC	3.0 cpp
ShellSol 15	3.0 cpp
ShellSol D-43	3.0 cpp
ShellSol D-60	3.0 cpp
ShellSol D-80	3.0 cpp
ShellSol WHT	3.0 cpp
VM&P Naphtha	3.0 cpp
ShellSol 16	3.0 cpp
ShellSol BHT	3.0 cpp
ShellSol OMS	3.0 cpp
Heavy Reformate	3.0 cpp
ShellSol A-100	4.0 cpp
ShellSol A-150	4.0 cpp
Hexane	4.0 cpp
Heptane	4.0 cpp

If you have any questions regarding this announcement, please contact your Shell Sales Executive.

Sincerely,

John E. Walker
Product Manager
Hydrocarbon Solvents – Americas

PLEASE NOTE:

Any orders that require a shipping or pick up date within 7 business days prior to the effective date of a price increase cannot be guaranteed to be shipped prior to the price increase. Shipments will be based on availability and pricing will be based on shipment date. Therefore, products shipped or picked up on or after the price increase effective date will be priced at the post-increase price level.