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GULF OIL LP OFFICIAL CONVENTION SPONSOR of SIGMA's 49th ANNUAL MEETING

WASHINGTON, May 24, 2007 – The Society of Independent Gasoline Marketers of America (SIGMA) announces that GULF OIL LP will be the Official Convention Sponsor for its 2007 Annual Meeting, scheduled for October 12-14 in Boston, Massachusetts.

“Gulf Oil’s generosity will greatly boost our ability to deliver a meeting well above our members’ expectations,” said Kenneth Doyle, SIGMA executive vice president. “We are delighted that Gulf Oil has chosen to support SIGMA with their generous sponsorship.”

By becoming the “Official Convention Sponsor,” Gulf Oil will enhance all aspects of the 2007 Annual Meeting, from a lovely “Dessert and Cordials” party to an off-property social event for the registrants, which is to be determined. Richard Salinsky, the Convention Chairman, informed SIGMA that Gulf Oil Chief Executive Officer, Joseph Petrowski along with Ron Sabia, Chief Operating Officer, committed to the sponsorship after a meeting in Massachusetts yesterday.

SIGMA expresses its sincere appreciation for all of Gulf Oil’s contributions and looks forward to making this year’s Annual Meeting one of the best ever. For more information and registration opportunities, call (703) 709-7000 or visit SIGMA’s web site at <http://www.sigma.org/meetings/2007-annual/index.html>.

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The Society of Independent Gasoline Marketers of America (SIGMA) is the premier national trade association representing independent motor fuel chain retailers and marketers, both branded and unbranded. Representing about 250 member companies, SIGMA's mission is to benefit its members by ensuring a free and unencumbered economic environment for the fully competitive marketing of motor fuels. For more

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