

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549**

**FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One)

- QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**  
For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015
- TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the transition period from to

Commission File No. 001-36550

**PAR PACIFIC HOLDINGS, INC.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	84-1060803 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
800 Gessner Road, Suite 875 Houston, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)	77024 (Zip Code)
(281) 899-4800 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)	

**PAR PETROLEUM CORPORATION**  
(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or smaller reporting company. See definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Accelerated filer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Non-accelerated filer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Smaller reporting company	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has filed all document and reports required to be filed by Sections 12, 13 or 15 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 subsequent to the distribution of securities under a plan confirmed by a court. Yes  No

37,530,900 shares of common stock, \$0.01 par value, were outstanding as of October 29, 2015 .

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The terms “Par,” “Company,” “we,” “our,” and “us” refer to Par Pacific Holdings, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries unless the context suggests otherwise.

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**PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION**  
**Item 1. Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements**

**PAR PACIFIC HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS**  
**(Unaudited)**  
**(In thousands, except share and per share data)**

	September 30, 2015	December 31, 2014
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current assets</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 101,841	\$ 89,210
Restricted cash	748	749
Trade accounts receivable	79,427	112,968
Inventories	231,969	243,853
Prepaid and other current assets	17,568	14,009
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>431,553</b>	<b>460,789</b>
<b>Property and equipment</b>		
Property, plant and equipment	216,193	123,323
Proved oil and gas properties, at cost, successful efforts method of accounting	1,122	1,122
Total property and equipment	217,315	124,445
Less accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortization	(21,031)	(11,510)
<b>Property and equipment, net</b>	<b>196,284</b>	<b>112,935</b>
<b>Long-term assets</b>		
Investment in Laramie Energy Company	126,055	104,657
Intangible assets, net	35,589	7,506
Goodwill	41,977	20,786
Other long-term assets	17,841	34,334
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$ 849,299</b>	<b>\$ 741,007</b>
<b>LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
<b>Current liabilities</b>		
Current maturities of long-term debt	\$ 43,373	\$ 29,100
Obligations under inventory financing agreements	215,088	197,394
Accounts payable	22,252	33,064
Current portion of contingent consideration	18,826	—
Other accrued liabilities	58,502	51,248
<b>Total current liabilities</b>	<b>358,041</b>	<b>310,806</b>
<b>Long-term liabilities</b>		
Long-term debt, net of current maturities and unamortized discount	126,252	107,510
Common stock warrants	7,164	12,123
Contingent consideration	8,984	9,131
Long-term capital lease obligations	1,234	1,295
Other liabilities	17,107	7,983
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>518,782</b>	<b>448,848</b>
<b>Commitments and contingencies (Note 10)</b>		
<b>Stockholders' equity</b>		
Preferred stock, \$0.01 par value; 3,000,000 shares authorized, none issued	—	—
Common stock, \$0.01 par value; 500,000,000 shares authorized at September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, 37,524,587 shares and 37,068,886 shares issued at September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively	375	371
Additional paid-in capital	438,716	427,287
Accumulated deficit	(108,128)	(135,053)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(446)	(446)
<b>Total stockholders' equity</b>	<b>330,517</b>	<b>292,159</b>
<b>Total liabilities and stockholders' equity</b>	<b>\$ 849,299</b>	<b>\$ 741,007</b>

See accompanying notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.



**PAR PACIFIC HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS**  
(Unaudited)  
(In thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended		Nine Months Ended	
	September 30,		September 30,	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
<b>Revenues</b>				
Refining and distribution revenues	\$ 403,165	\$ 736,284	\$ 1,352,724	\$ 2,118,023
Retail revenues	81,434	62,929	209,091	174,179
Commodity marketing and logistics revenues	10,904	53,406	58,873	102,384
Natural gas and oil revenues	—	1,667	2,185	5,083
<b>Total operating revenues</b>	<b>495,503</b>	<b>854,286</b>	<b>1,622,873</b>	<b>2,399,669</b>
<b>Operating expenses</b>				
Cost of revenues	405,153	830,438	1,387,690	2,322,788
Operating expense, excluding depreciation, depletion and amortization expense	38,047	42,729	102,798	109,897
Lease operating expense	1,575	1,204	4,614	3,963
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	4,596	3,918	12,852	10,269
Impairment expense	9,639	—	9,639	—
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	624	—	624
General and administrative expense	9,939	8,115	31,878	18,782
Acquisition and integration expense	280	3,856	1,811	9,126
<b>Total operating expenses</b>	<b>469,229</b>	<b>890,884</b>	<b>1,551,282</b>	<b>2,475,449</b>
<b>Operating income (loss)</b>	<b>26,274</b>	<b>(36,598)</b>	<b>71,591</b>	<b>(75,780)</b>
<b>Other income (expense)</b>				
Interest expense and financing costs, net	(4,387)	(7,076)	(15,769)	(13,980)
Loss on termination of financing agreements	—	—	(19,229)	—
Other income (expense), net	(45)	(164)	(199)	(304)
Change in value of common stock warrants	(1,023)	2,401	(2,732)	4,118
Change in value of contingent consideration	(4,255)	996	(18,679)	5,758
Equity earnings (losses) from Laramie Energy Company	(1,355)	835	(6,131)	1,374
<b>Total other income (expense), net</b>	<b>(11,065)</b>	<b>(3,008)</b>	<b>(62,739)</b>	<b>(3,034)</b>
<b>Income (loss) before income taxes</b>	<b>15,209</b>	<b>(39,606)</b>	<b>8,852</b>	<b>(78,814)</b>
Income tax benefit (expense)	(469)	150	18,073	113
<b>Net income (loss)</b>	<b>\$ 14,740</b>	<b>\$ (39,456)</b>	<b>\$ 26,925</b>	<b>\$ (78,701)</b>
<b>Earnings (loss) per share</b>				
Basic	\$ 0.39	\$ (1.19)	\$ 0.72	\$ (2.51)
Diluted	\$ 0.39	\$ (1.19)	\$ 0.72	\$ (2.51)
<b>Weighted average number of shares outstanding</b>				
Basic	37,390	33,137	37,304	31,311
Diluted	37,400	33,137	37,331	31,311

See accompanying notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

**PAR PACIFIC HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**  
(Unaudited)  
(In thousands)

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2015	2014
<b>Cash flows from operating activities:</b>		
Net income (loss)	\$ 26,925	\$ (78,701)
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to cash provided by (used in) operating activities:		
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	12,852	10,269
Impairment expense	9,639	—
Loss on termination of financing agreements	19,229	—
Non-cash interest expense	10,885	10,632
Change in value of common stock warrants	2,732	(4,118)
Change in value of contingent consideration	18,679	(5,758)
Deferred taxes	(18,073)	(191)
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	624
Stock-based compensation	4,040	4,158
Unrealized loss (gain) on derivative contracts	4,786	(317)
Equity (earnings) losses from Laramie Energy Company	6,131	(1,374)
Net changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Trade accounts receivable	42,432	(20,696)
Prepaid and other assets	(851)	527
Inventories	19,382	(12,559)
Obligations under inventory financing agreements	19,719	2,860
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	(34,161)	17,965
<b>Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities</b>	<b>144,346</b>	<b>(76,679)</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>		
Acquisition of Koko'oha Investments, LLC, net of cash acquired	(64,360)	(10,000)
Capital expenditures	(15,857)	(6,726)
Proceeds from sale of assets	—	595
Payment for working capital settlement on HIE acquisition	—	(582)
Investment in Laramie Energy Company	(27,529)	(12)
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(107,746)</b>	<b>(16,725)</b>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
Proceeds from sale of common stock	539	101,561
Proceeds from borrowings	90,900	289,391
Repayments of borrowings	(114,164)	(232,255)
Net repayments on deferred payment arrangement	(8,492)	—
Payment of deferred loan costs	(5,941)	(5,683)
Purchase of common stock for retirement	—	(287)
Proceeds from inventory financing agreements	271,000	—
Payments for termination of supply and exchange agreements	(257,811)	—
Restricted cash released	—	52
<b>Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities</b>	<b>(23,969)</b>	<b>152,779</b>
<b>Net increase in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>12,631</b>	<b>59,375</b>
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	89,210	38,061
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	<u>\$ 101,841</u>	<u>\$ 97,436</u>
<b>Supplemental cash flow information</b>		
<b>Cash received (paid) for:</b>		
Interest	\$ (4,224)	\$ (3,348)

Taxes		357		233
<b>Non-cash investing and financing activities</b>				
Accrued capital expenditures	\$	2,852	\$	3,230
Value of warrants reclassified to equity	\$	7,730	\$	—

See accompanying notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

**PAR PACIFIC HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
**Notes to Unaudited Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements**  
**For the Interim Periods Ended September 30, 2015 and 2014**

**Note 1—Overview**

Par Pacific Holdings, Inc. (formerly known as Par Petroleum Corporation) and its wholly owned subsidiaries ("Par" or the "Company") own interests in energy and infrastructure businesses. Currently, we operate in four segments: (i) refining and distribution, (ii) retail, (iii) natural gas and oil production, and (iv) commodity marketing and logistics.

Our refining and distribution segment consists of a refinery in Kapolei, Hawaii, refined products terminals, pipelines, a single-point mooring and trucking operations. The refinery produces ultra-low sulfur diesel, gasoline, jet fuel, marine fuel, and other associated refined products primarily for consumption in Hawaii.

Our retail segment consists of retail outlets which sell gasoline, diesel, and retail merchandise throughout Hawaii. Our retail network includes Tesoro and "76" branded retail sites, company-operated convenience stores, sites operated in cooperation with 7-Eleven and other sites operated by third parties.

Our natural gas and oil production segment consists primarily of our 32.4% equity investment in Piceance Energy, LLC ("Piceance Energy"), a joint venture entity focused on producing natural gas in Garfield and Mesa Counties, Colorado. In October 2015, Piceance Energy began doing business as Laramie Energy Company ("Laramie").

Our commodity marketing and logistics segment focuses on sourcing, marketing, transporting, and distributing crude oil and refined products. Our logistics capability consists of historical pipeline shipping status, a leased railcar fleet, and chartering tows and barges, with the capability of moving crude oil from landlocked locations in the Western U.S. and Canada to the refining hubs in the Midwest, Gulf Coast, and East Coast regions of the U.S.

**Note 2—Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

**Principles of Consolidation and Basis of Presentation**

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Par. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. Certain amounts from prior periods have been reclassified to conform to the current presentation.

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP) for interim financial information and the instructions to Form 10-Q and Article 10 of Regulation S-X of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information and notes required by GAAP for complete consolidated financial statements. The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements contained in this report include all material adjustments of a normal recurring nature that, in the opinion of management, are necessary for a fair presentation of the results for the interim periods. The results of operations for the interim periods presented are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the complete fiscal year, or for any other period. The condensed consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2014 was derived from our audited consolidated financial statements as of that date. These unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements should be read together with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on May 22, 2015.

**Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires us to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses and the related disclosures. Actual amounts could differ from these estimates. On an ongoing basis, we review our estimates based on currently available information. Changes in facts and circumstances may result in revised estimates. Significant estimates include the fair value of certain assets and liabilities, including those acquired in business combinations, natural gas and oil reserves, income taxes and the valuation allowances related to deferred tax assets, derivatives, asset retirement obligations, contingencies and litigation accruals.

**Accounting Principles Not Yet Adopted**

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") No. 2014-09, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)* ("ASU No. 2014-09"). The FASB's objective was to provide a more robust framework to improve comparability of revenue recognition practices across entities by removing most industry and transaction-specific guidance, align GAAP with International Financial Reporting Standards, and provide more useful information to financial statement users. This authoritative guidance changes the way entities recognize revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which it expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. In August 2015, the FASB issued ASU 2015-14, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)*:



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*Deferral of the Effective Date* ("ASU No. 2015-14"), which defers the effective date of ASU 2015-09 by one year. ASU No. 2014-09 is now effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2017 and early adoption is permitted for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2016. ASU No. 2014-09 allows for either full retrospective adoption or modified retrospective adoption. We are in the process of determining the method of adoption and the impact this guidance will have on our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

In August 2014, the FASB issued ASU No. 2014-15, *Presentation of Financial Statements-Going Concern (Subtopic 205-40): Disclosure of Uncertainties about an Entity's Ability to Continue as a Going Concern* ("ASU 2014-15"). ASU 2014-15 is intended to define management's responsibility to evaluate whether there is substantial doubt about an organization's ability to continue as a going concern and to provide related footnote disclosures. The amendments in this ASU are effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2016 and early adoption is permitted. We do not expect the adoption of ASU 2014-15 to have a material impact on our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

In February 2015, the FASB issued ASU No. 2015-02, *Consolidation (Topic 810): Amendments to the Consolidation Analysis* ("ASU 2015-02"). ASU 2015-02 changes the consolidation analysis required under GAAP by eliminating the presumption that a general partner should consolidate a limited partnership and modifying the evaluation of whether limited partnerships are Variable Interest Entities or voting interest entities. Under the amended guidance, limited partners would be required to consolidate a partnership if the limited partner retains certain powers and obligations. The amendments in this ASU are effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2016, and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2017. ASU 2015-02 allows for either full retrospective adoption or modified retrospective adoption. Early adoption is permitted, but the guidance must be applied as of the beginning of the annual period containing the adoption date. We are in the process of determining the method of adoption and the impact this guidance will have on our financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

In April 2015, the FASB issued ASU No. 2015-03, *Interest- Imputation of Interest: Simplifying the Presentation of Debt Issuance Costs* ("ASU 2015-03"). ASU 2015-03 changes the balance sheet classification of debt issuance costs. Under current GAAP, debt issuance costs are reported on the balance sheet as assets and amortized as interest expense. ASU 2015-03 requires that debt issuance costs be presented as a direct reduction from the carrying amount of the related debt liability, which is similar to the presentation of debt discounts or premiums. Debt issuance costs will continue to be amortized to interest expense using the effective interest method. In August 2015, the FASB issued ASU No. 2015-15, *Interest- Imputation of Interest: Presentation and Subsequent Measurement of Debt Issuance Costs Associated with Line-of-Credit Arrangements* ("ASU 2015-15"). ASU 2015-15 clarifies that the guidance in ASU 2015-03 does not apply to debt issuance costs related to line-of-credit arrangements. Line-of-credit arrangements will continue to defer and present debt issuance costs as an asset and subsequently amortize the deferred debt costs ratably over the term of the arrangement. The amendments in this ASU are effective for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2015. ASU 2015-03 should be adopted on a retrospective basis and early adoption is permitted. As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, we had \$8.3 million and \$13.2 million of debt issuance costs included in Other long-term assets on our unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheets, respectively.

In July 2015, the FASB issued ASU No. 2015-11, *Simplifying the Measurement of Inventory* ("ASU 2015-11"). ASU 2015-11 changes the inventory measurement principle for entities using the first-in, first out (FIFO) or average cost methods. For entities utilizing one of these methods, the inventory measurement principle will change from lower of cost or market to the lower of cost and net realizable value. Net realizable value is the estimated selling prices in the ordinary course of business, less reasonably predictable costs of completion, disposal, and transportation. Subsequent measurement is unchanged for inventory measured using last-in, first-out or the retail inventory method. The amendments in this ASU are effective for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2016. ASU 2015-11 should be adopted prospectively with earlier application permitted as of the beginning of an interim or annual reporting period. Our commodity inventories are currently stated at the lower of cost or market value using the FIFO accounting method. We value merchandise, spare parts, materials, and supplies at average cost. We are currently evaluating the provisions and assessing the impact, if any, this amendment may have on our financial condition and results of operations.

**Accounting Principle Adopted** In September 2015, the FASB issued ASU No. 2015-16, *Business Combinations (Topic 805): Simplifying the Accounting for Measurement-Period Adjustments* ("ASU 2015-16"). ASU 2015-16 requires that an acquirer recognize adjustments to provisional amounts that are identified during the measurement period in the reporting period in which the adjustment amounts are determined. Under ASU 2015-16, the effect on earnings resulting from changes to the provisional amounts, calculated as if the accounting had been completed as of the acquisition date, must be recorded in the reporting period in which the adjustment amounts are determined rather than retrospectively. The amendments in this ASU are effective for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2015. ASU 2015-16 should be adopted prospectively to adjustments to provisional amounts occurring after the effective date of the update and earlier application is permitted for financial statements that have not been issued. We adopted this ASU during the quarter ended September 30, 2015 and applied its amendments to the measurement period adjustments made during the three months ended September 30, 2015. Please read Note 4—Acquisition for further information.

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**Note 3—Investment in Laramie Energy Company**

We have a 32.4% ownership interest in Laramie, a joint venture entity focused on producing natural gas in Garfield and Mesa Counties, Colorado. Laramie has a \$400 million revolving credit facility secured by a lien on its natural gas and oil properties and related assets with a borrowing base currently set at \$110 million. As of September 30, 2015, the balance outstanding on the revolving credit facility was approximately \$47.5 million. We are guarantors of Laramie's credit facility, with recourse limited to the pledge of our equity interest of our wholly-owned subsidiary, Par Piceance Energy Equity, LLC. Under the terms of its credit facility, Laramie is generally prohibited from making future cash distributions to its owners, including us.

On March 9, 2015, we amended the Limited Liability Company Agreement of Piceance Energy LLC ("LLC Agreement") and made a cash capital contribution of \$13.8 million to Laramie. On May 29, 2015, we made an additional cash capital contribution of \$13.8 million. As a result of our contributions to Laramie, our ownership interest increased from 33.34% to 34.0%.

On July 31, 2015, an unaffiliated third-party invested an aggregate of \$19 million in Laramie in the form of cash and property. As a result of this transaction, our ownership interest decreased from 34.0% to 32.4%.

The change in our equity investment in Laramie is as follows (in thousands):

	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015</b>
Beginning balance	\$ 104,657
Equity loss from Laramie	(6,743)
Accretion of basis difference	612
Capital contributions	27,529
Ending balance	<u>\$ 126,055</u>

Summarized financial information for Laramie is as follows (in thousands):

	<b>September 30, 2015</b>	<b>December 31, 2014</b>
Current assets	\$ 10,976	\$ 13,168
Non-current assets	498,527	468,379
Current liabilities	23,280	17,103
Non-current liabilities	78,334	107,087

	<b>Three Months Ended September 30, 2015</b>	<b>Three Months Ended September 30, 2014</b>	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015</b>	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014</b>
Natural gas and oil revenues	\$ 11,464	\$ 21,347	\$ 32,687	\$ 62,315
Income (loss) from operations	(6,201)	870	(21,487)	6,468
Net income (loss)	(4,717)	2,111	(20,126)	2,835

The net loss for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 includes \$7.5 million and \$23.3 million of depreciation, depletion, and amortization ("DD&A") expense and \$0.7 million and \$5.1 million of unrealized losses on derivative instruments, respectively. The net income for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014 includes \$9.6 million and \$24.9 million of DD&A and \$2.6 million and \$2.4 million of unrealized gains on derivative instruments, respectively.

As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, our equity in the underlying net assets of Laramie exceeded the carrying value of our investment by approximately \$14.1 million and \$14.7 million, respectively. This difference arose due to lack of control and marketability discounts. We attributed this difference to natural gas and oil properties and are amortizing the difference over 15 years based on the estimated proved reserves at the date Laramie was formed.

**PAR PACIFIC HOLDINGS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES**  
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**For the Interim Periods Ended September 30, 2015 and 2014**

**Note 4—Acquisition**

On June 2, 2014, we and our subsidiary entered into an agreement to acquire Koko'oha Investments, Inc. ("Koko'oha"), a Hawaii corporation, which owns 100% of the issued and outstanding membership interests in Mid Pac Petroleum, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Mid Pac"). Mid Pac is the exclusive licensee of the "76" brand in the State of Hawaii and the owner/operator of several terminals and retail gasoline stations across Hawaii.

On April 1, 2015, we completed the acquisition of Mid Pac. Net cash consideration was \$74.4 million, including the working capital settlement of \$1 million paid in September 2015. The cash consideration includes advance deposits of \$15.0 million, of which \$10.0 million was paid in 2014, paid prior to closing. In connection with the acquisition, Mid Pac's pre-existing debt was fully repaid on the closing date for \$45.3 million. The acquisition and debt repayment were funded with cash on hand and \$55 million of borrowings under the Credit Agreement with the Bank of Hawaii ("Mid Pac Credit Agreement"). Please read Note 8—Debt for further discussion.

We accounted for the acquisition of Mid Pac as a business combination whereby the purchase price was allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their estimated fair values on the date of acquisition. Goodwill recognized in the transaction was attributable to opportunities expected to arise from combining our operations with Mid Pac's, and utilization of our net operating loss carryforwards, as well as other intangible assets that do not qualify for separate recognition. In addition, we recorded certain other identifiable intangible assets including trade names and customer relationships. These intangible assets will be amortized over their estimated useful lives on a straight line basis, which approximates their consumptive life. Please read Note 6—Goodwill and Intangible Assets for further discussion.

A summary of the preliminary estimated fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed is as follows (in thousands):

Cash	\$ 10,007
Accounts receivable	9,905
Inventories	5,375
Prepaid and other current assets	1,444
Property, plant and equipment	41,878
Land	34,800
Goodwill	28,181
Intangible assets	33,647
Other non-current assets	1,228
Accounts payable and other current liabilities	(11,331)
Deferred tax liability	(18,290)
Other non-current liabilities	(7,235)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 129,609</b>

We have recorded a preliminary estimate of the fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed and expect to finalize the purchase price allocation during 2016. The primary areas of the purchase price allocation that are not yet finalized relate to income taxes and contingent liabilities.

During the three months ended September 30, 2015, the purchase price allocation was adjusted to record a decrease to goodwill of \$1.1 million, an increase to property and equipment of \$2.1 million, a decrease to accounts payable of \$0.2 million, and a decrease to deferred tax liability of \$0.4 million. These adjustments are primarily related to the working capital settlement and the valuation of certain storage tanks. The effect on earnings resulting from these changes to the purchase price allocation did not have a material impact on our results of operations for the three or nine months ended September 30, 2015.

The results of operations of Mid Pac were included in our results beginning April 1, 2015. For the three and nine month periods ended September 30, 2015, our results of operations included revenues of \$49.9 million and \$103.5 million and net income of \$6.6 million and \$9.4 million, respectively, related to Mid Pac. The following unaudited pro forma financial information presents our consolidated revenues and net income (loss) as if the Mid Pac acquisition had been completed on January 1, 2014 (in thousands):

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	<b>Three Months Ended September 30, 2014</b>	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015</b>	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014</b>
Revenues (1)	\$ 922,087	\$ 1,649,915	\$ 2,594,997
Net income (loss) (1)	(39,139)	10,069	(60,400)

(1) The results of operations of Mid Pac for the three months ended September 30, 2015 are included in our condensed consolidated statement of operations for the entire period; therefore, the pro forma financial information for the three months ended September 30, 2015 is not presented in the table above.

**Note 5—Inventories**

Inventories at September 30, 2015 consist of the following (in thousands):

	<b>Titled Inventory</b>	<b>Supply and Offtake Agreements (1)</b>	<b>Total</b>
Crude oil and feedstocks	\$ 8,237	\$ 70,683	\$ 78,920
Refined products and blend stock	29,019	106,650	135,669
Warehouse stock and other	17,380	—	17,380
Total	<u>\$ 54,636</u>	<u>\$ 177,333</u>	<u>\$ 231,969</u>

Inventories at December 31, 2014 consist of the following (in thousands):

	<b>Titled Inventory</b>	<b>Supply and Exchange Agreements (1)</b>	<b>Total</b>
Crude oil and feedstocks	\$ 17,924	\$ 62,594	\$ 80,518
Refined products and blend stock	29,998	118,375	148,373
Warehouse stock and other	14,962	—	14,962
Total	<u>\$ 62,884</u>	<u>\$ 180,969</u>	<u>\$ 243,853</u>

(1) Please read Note 7—Inventory Financing Agreements for further information.

The reserve for the lower of cost or market value of inventory was \$2.9 million and \$ 2.4 million as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively.

**Note 6—Goodwill and Intangible Assets**

During the nine months ended September 30, 2015, the change in the carrying amount of goodwill was as follows (in thousands):

Balance at beginning of period	\$ 20,786
Acquisition of Koko'oha (1)	28,181
Impairment expense	(6,990)
Balance at end of period	<u>\$ 41,977</u>

(1) Please read Note 4—Acquisition for further discussion.

At September 30, 2015, we conducted an interim goodwill impairment test of our Commodity Marketing and Logistics reporting unit due to (i) a reduction in the forecasted results of operations during our annual budgeting process; (ii) the decision to cancel the charter on the barges used to move crude oil from Canada to the U. S. gulf coast due to lower forecasted commodity prices and (iii) negative cash flows from the business during 2015. Upon completion of the goodwill impairment test, we determined the goodwill associated with the Commodity Marketing and Logistics reporting unit was fully impaired resulting in a charge of

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\$7.0 million in our unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015. In assessing the value of the reporting unit, we primarily used an income approach with a weighted-average discount rate of 15%.

Intangible assets consist of the following (in thousands):

	<u>September 30, 2015</u>	<u>December 31, 2014</u>
Intangible assets:		
Supplier relationships	\$ —	\$ 3,360
Railcar leases	3,249	3,249
Trade names and trademarks	6,267	4,689
Customer relationships	32,069	—
<b>Total intangible assets</b>	<b>\$ 41,585</b>	<b>\$ 11,298</b>
Accumulated amortization:		
Supplier relationships	\$ —	\$ (516)
Railcar leases	(1,787)	(1,301)
Trade name and trademarks	(3,146)	(1,975)
Customer relationships	(1,063)	—
<b>Total accumulated amortization</b>	<b>\$ (5,996)</b>	<b>\$ (3,792)</b>
Net:		
Supplier relationships	\$ —	\$ 2,844
Railcar leases	1,462	1,948
Trade name and trademarks	3,121	2,714
Customer relationships	31,006	—
<b>Total intangible assets, net</b>	<b>\$ 35,589</b>	<b>\$ 7,506</b>

At September 30, 2015, we conducted an impairment test related to the intangible assets in our Commodity Marketing and Logistics reporting unit. As a result of canceling the charter on the barges used to transport crude from Canada to the U. S. gulf coast in the commodity marketing and logistics business, we concluded that the supplier relationships intangible asset was fully impaired and recorded an impairment charge of \$2.6 million in our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015.

Amortization expense was approximately \$1.0 million and \$2.8 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, respectively. Amortization expense was approximately \$0.9 million and \$1.8 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, respectively. Intangible assets acquired from Mid Pac have an average useful life of 13.6 years. Expected amortization expense for each of the next five years and thereafter is as follows (in thousands):

<b>Year Ended</b>	<b>Amount</b>
2015	\$ 1,266
2016	4,412
2017	3,307
2018	2,658
2019	2,658
Thereafter	21,288
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 35,589</b>

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**Note 7—Inventory Financing Agreements**

**Supply and Offtake Agreements**

On June 1, 2015, we entered into several agreements with J. Aron & Company ("J. Aron") to support the operations of our refinery (the "Supply and Offtake Agreements"). The Supply and Offtake Agreements have a term of three years with two one -year extension options upon mutual agreement of the parties.

During the term of the Supply and Offtake Agreements, we and J. Aron will identify mutually acceptable contracts for the purchase of crude oil from third parties. Per the Supply and Offtake Agreements, J. Aron will provide up to 94 thousand barrels per day of crude oil to our refinery. Additionally, we agreed to sell, and J. Aron agreed to buy, at market prices, refined products produced at our refinery. We will then repurchase the refined products from J. Aron prior to selling the refined products to our retail operations or third parties. The agreements also provide for the lease to J. Aron of crude oil and certain refined product storage facilities. Following expiration or termination of the agreements, we are obligated to purchase the crude oil and refined product inventories then owned by J. Aron and located at the leased storage facilities at then current market prices. Our obligations under the agreements are secured by a security interest on substantially all of the assets of Hawaii Independent Energy, LLC ("HIE"), a security interest on the equity interests held by our wholly-owned subsidiary, Hawaii Pacific Energy, LLC in HIE and a mortgage whereby HIE granted to J. Aron a lien on all real property and improvements owned by HIE, including our refinery.

While title to the crude oil and certain refined product inventories will reside with J. Aron, the Supply and Offtake Agreements will be accounted for as a product financing arrangement; therefore, the crude oil and refined products inventories will continue to be included on our consolidated balance sheet until processed and sold to a third party. Each reporting period, we record a liability in an amount equal to the amount we expect to pay to repurchase the inventory held by J. Aron based on current market prices.

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 , we incurred approximately \$ 2.8 million and \$4.0 million in handling fees related to the Supply and Offtake Agreements, respectively, which is included in Cost of revenues on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 , Interest expense and financing costs, net on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations includes approximately \$0.6 million and \$0.9 million of expenses related to the Supply and Offtake Agreements, respectively.

The Supply and Offtake Agreements also include a deferred payment arrangement ("Deferred Payment Arrangement") whereby we can defer payments owed under the agreements up to the lesser of \$125 million or 85% of the eligible accounts receivable and inventory. Upon execution of the Supply and Offtake Agreements, we paid J. Aron a deferral arrangement fee of \$1.3 million . The deferred amounts under the deferred payment arrangement will bear interest at a rate equal to 90 -day LIBOR plus 3.75% per annum. We also agreed to pay a deferred payment availability fee equal to 0.75% of the unused capacity under the deferred payment arrangement. Amounts outstanding under the Deferred Payment Arrangement are included in Obligations under inventory financing agreements on our unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheet. Changes in the amount outstanding under the Deferred Payment Arrangement are included within cash flows from financing activities on the unaudited consolidated statement of cash flows. As of September 30, 2015 , the capacity of the Deferred Payment Arrangement was \$55.8 million and we had \$28.3 million outstanding.

Under the Supply and Offtake Agreements, we pay or receive certain fees from J. Aron based on changes in market prices over time. On September 1, 2015, we entered into an agreement ("Fee Agreement") to fix this market fee for the period from October 1, 2015 through November 30, 2016 whereby J. Aron agreed to pay us a total of \$18 million to be settled in fourteen equal monthly payments. The receivable from J. Aron was recorded as a reduction to our Obligations under inventory financing agreements pursuant to our Master Netting Agreement. The \$18 million receivable from J. Aron will be recognized in earnings throughout the term of the Fee Agreement.

The agreements also provide us with the ability to hedge price risk on our inventories and crude oil purchases. Please read Note 9—Fair Value Measurements for further information.

**Supply and Exchange Agreements**

HIE entered into several agreements with Barclays Bank PLC ("Barclays"), referred to collectively as the Supply and Exchange Agreements, on September 25, 2013 in connection with the acquisition of HIE for the purpose of managing its working capital and the crude oil and refined product inventory at the refinery. Effective July 31, 2014, HIE supplemented the Supply and Exchange Agreements by entering into the Refined Product Supply Master Confirmation, pursuant to which Barclays may provide refined product supply and intermediation arrangements to HIE.

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Pursuant to the Supply and Exchange Agreements, Barclays held title to all of the crude oil in the tanks at the refinery and to a majority of our refined product inventory in our tanks at the refinery. Barclays also prepaid us for certain inventory held at locations outside of our refinery. We held title to the inventory during the refining process. Barclays sold the crude oil to us as it was discharged out of the refinery's tanks. We exchanged refined product owned by Barclays stored in our tanks for equal volumes of refined product produced by our refinery when we executed third-party sales of refined product.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, we incurred approximately \$6.9 million in handling fees related to the Supply and Exchange Agreements, which are included in Cost of revenues on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations. We incurred no handling fees related to the Supply and Exchange Agreements during the three months ended September 30, 2015. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, we incurred approximately \$4.6 million and \$12.0 million in handling fees related to the Supply and Exchange Agreements, respectively.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, Interest expense and financing costs, net on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations includes approximately \$2.3 million of expenses related to the Supply and Exchange Agreements. We incurred no interest expense related to the Supply and Exchange Agreements during the three months ended September 30, 2015. Interest expense and financing costs, net on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations includes approximately \$1.8 million and \$4.9 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014.

Upon execution of the Supply and Offtake Agreements, HIE terminated the Supply and Exchange Agreements with Barclays, subject to certain obligations to reimburse Barclays for third-party claims. We recognized a loss of \$17.4 million on the termination of the agreement which consisted of a loss of \$13.3 million for the cash settlement value of the liability which had previously been measured assuming settlement with inventory on hand and a loss of \$5.6 million for the acceleration of deferred financing costs. These losses were partially offset by a \$1.5 million exit fee received from Barclays. The net loss of \$17.4 million related to the termination of the Supply and Exchange Agreements is included in Loss on termination of financing agreements on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2015. The cash paid to settle the obligation is included in Payments for termination of supply and exchange agreements in the Cash flows from financing activities section of our unaudited condensed statements of cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2015.

**Note 8—Debt**

The following table summarizes our outstanding debt (in thousands):

	September 30, 2015	December 31, 2014
Term Loan	\$ 93,851	\$ 87,360
HIE Retail Credit Agreement	27,857	22,750
Texadian Uncommitted Credit Agreement	—	26,500
Mid Pac Credit Agreement	47,917	—
Total debt, net of unamortized debt discount	169,625	136,610
Less current maturities	(43,373)	(29,100)
Long-term debt, net of current maturities and unamortized discount	\$ 126,252	\$ 107,510

Annual maturities of our long-term debt for the next five years and thereafter are as follows (in thousands):

Year	Amount Due
2015	\$ 2,113
2016	47,540
2017	8,452
2018	63,217
2019	8,452
Thereafter	39,851
	<u>\$ 169,625</u>

Additionally, as of September 30, 2015, we had approximately \$5.7 million in letters of credit outstanding under the Texadian Uncommitted Credit Agreement.

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Our debt is subject to various affirmative and negative covenants. As of September 30, 2015, we were in compliance with all debt covenants.

**Term Loan**

Pursuant to the terms of our Delayed Draw Term Loan Agreement (the "Term Loan"), we were required to repay an advance of \$35 million on March 31, 2015. On March 11, 2015, we entered into a Third Amendment to the Term Loan whereby we extended the repayment date of the advance to March 31, 2016. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Certain lenders under the Term Loan are our stockholders. Please read Note 16—Related Party Transactions for more information.

**Retail Credit Agreement**

On May 15, 2015, HIE Retail entered into a Second Amendment to the Retail Credit Agreement ("Second Amendment") pursuant to which we terminated the retail revolver and extended the maturity date of the existing retail term loans in the aggregate principal amount of \$22 million until March 31, 2022. In connection with the entry into the Second Amendment, the Retail Facility lenders made additional term loans to HIE Retail in the aggregate principal amount of \$7.9 million. The New Term Loans were made on the same terms as the term loans previously made under the Retail Credit Agreement, as amended by the Second Amendment. The Second Amendment also provides that if a prepayment of the amounts outstanding under the Retail Credit Agreement occurs as a result of HIE Retail obtaining refinancing from any financial institution (including from less than all of the Retail Facility Lenders), HIE Retail shall pay a prepayment fee equal to 1% of the amount prepaid. Prior to the entry into the Second Amendment, there were no revolving loans outstanding and no letters of credit issued under the Retail Credit Agreement.

The Second Amendment includes a new covenant that requires HIE Retail to maintain cash on hand of not less than \$3 million at all times. In addition, the Second Amendment modifies the financial covenant relating to HIE Retail's maximum Leverage Ratio (as defined in the Retail Credit Agreement), which is measured on a quarterly basis commencing with the fiscal quarter ending June 30, 2015 and building up to a rolling four-quarter basis, as follows for the last day of each fiscal year:

Period (during and as of the last day of)	Maximum Leverage Ratio
2015 Fiscal Year	5.00 to 1.00
2016 Fiscal Year	4.75 to 1.00
2017 Fiscal Year	4.50 to 1.00
2018 Fiscal Year	4.25 to 1.00
2019 Fiscal Year, and at all times thereafter	4.00 to 1.00

**Texadian Uncommitted Credit Agreement**

On February 20, 2015, Texadian Energy, Inc. ("Texadian"), and its wholly-owned subsidiary Texadian Energy Canada Limited, amended and restated their uncommitted credit agreement. The amended agreement increased the uncommitted loans and letters of credit capacity to \$200 million and extended the maturity date to February 2016.

**Existing Debt Obligations of Koko'oha and Mid Pac**

On April 1, 2015, in connection with the acquisition of Mid Pac, we repaid certain existing debt obligations of Koko'oha and Mid Pac for \$45.3 million.

**Mid Pac Credit Agreement**

On April 1, 2015, Koko'oha and Mid Pac entered into the Mid Pac Credit Agreement in the form of a senior secured term loan in the amount of \$50 million ("Mid Pac Term Loan") and a senior secured revolving line of credit ("Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility") in the aggregate principal amount of up to \$50 million. The lenders of the Mid Pac Credit Agreement advanced the full amount of the Mid Pac Term Loan and the Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility at the closing. The proceeds of the loans were used to repay certain existing debt of Koko'oha and Mid Pac, pay a portion of the acquisition consideration and for general corporate purposes.

The Mid Pac Term Loan matures and is fully payable on April 1, 2022. Principal on the term loan will be repaid in 28 equal quarterly principal payments over the term. The revolving credit facility matures on April 1, 2018 and no more than five



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borrowings consisting of LIBOR loans may be outstanding at any time. Letters of credit issued under the revolving credit facility are not to expire beyond the maturity date of the revolving credit facility.

The Mid Pac Term Loan and advances under the Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility will bear interest, at the Company's election, at a rate equal to (a) 30, 90 or 180 day LIBOR plus the applicable margin (as specified below), or (ii) the primary interest rate established from time to time by Bank of Hawaii plus a margin. For both LIBOR and primary interest rate loans, the margin is calculated based on the leverage ratio determined as of the last day of the immediately preceding quarter. Interest is payable at the end of the selected interest period, but no less frequently than quarterly.

The Mid Pac Term Loan applicable margin is as specified below:

<b>Leverage Ratio</b>	<b>Applicable Margin for LIBOR Loans</b>	<b>Applicable Margin for Basis Rate Loans</b>
	<i>(basis points)</i>	<i>(basis points)</i>
< 3.00x	200	—
3.00x - 3.50x	225	25
> 3.50x	250	50

The Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility applicable margin is as specified below:

<b>Leverage Ratio</b>	<b>Applicable Margin for LIBOR Loans</b>	<b>Applicable Margin for Basis Rate Loans</b>
	<i>(basis points)</i>	<i>(basis points)</i>
< 3.00x	175	(25)
3.00x - 3.50x	200	—
> 3.50x	225	25

Mid Pac agreed to pay certain fees in connection with the Mid Pac Credit Agreement, including usage fees for trade letters of credit and commitment fees for standby letters of credit issued under the Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility.

Pursuant to the Mid Pac Credit Agreement, Mid Pac is required to comply with various affirmative and negative covenants affecting its business and operations, including compliance with a minimum fixed charge coverage ratio of not less than 1.15 to 1.00, a minimum tangible net worth of \$12.0 million, and a maximum leverage ratio determined as follows:

<b>Period (during and as of last day of)</b>	<b>Maximum Leverage Ratio</b>
September 30, 2015	5.25 to 1.00
December 31, 2015	5.00 to 1.00
2016 fiscal year	4.75 to 1.00
2017 fiscal year	4.25 to 1.00
2018 fiscal year	4.00 to 1.00
2019 fiscal year	3.50 to 1.00
2020 fiscal year, and at all times thereafter	3.25 to 1.00

**ABL Facility**

On September 25, 2013 and in connection with the acquisition of HIE, HIE and its subsidiary (“ABL Borrowers”) and Hawaii Pacific Energy entered into an asset-based senior secured revolving credit facility (“ABL Facility”) of up to \$125 million, of which up to \$50 million of availability under the ABL Facility was available for the issuances of letters of credit. Upon the execution of the Supply and Offtake Agreements, we repaid in full and terminated the ABL Facility and expensed \$1.8 million of financing costs associated with the termination of the agreement. The expense of \$1.8 million related to the termination of the ABL Facility is included within Loss on termination of financing agreements on our unaudited consolidated statements of operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2015.

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**Guarantors**

In connection with our shelf registration statement on Form S-3, which was filed with the SEC on June 1, 2015 and declared effective on June 23, 2015 (“Registration Statement”), we may sell non-convertible debt securities and other securities in one or more offerings with an aggregate initial offering price of up to \$750 million. Any non-convertible debt securities issued under the Registration Statement may be fully and unconditionally guaranteed (except for customary release provisions), on a joint and several basis, by some or all of our subsidiaries, other than subsidiaries that are “minor” within the meaning of Rule 3-10 of Regulation S-X (the “Guarantor Subsidiaries”). The Company has no “independent assets or operations” within the meaning of Rule 3-10 of Regulation S-X, and certain of the Guarantor Subsidiaries may be subject to restrictions on their ability to distribute funds to the Company, whether by cash dividends, loans or advances.

**Note 9—Fair Value Measurements**

**Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis**

**Common stock warrants.** As of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, we had 345,135 and 749,148 common stock warrants outstanding, respectively. We estimate the fair value of our outstanding common stock warrants using a Monte Carlo simulation analysis, which is considered to be a Level 3 fair value measurement. Significant inputs used in the Monte Carlo simulation analysis include:

	<b>September 30, 2015</b>	<b>December 31, 2014</b>
Stock price	\$20.83	\$16.25
Weighted average exercise price	\$0.10	\$0.10
Term (years)	6.92	7.67
Risk-free rate	1.73%	2.01%
Expected volatility	50.0%	50.2%

The expected volatility is based on the 10 -year historical volatilities of comparable public companies. Based on the Monte Carlo simulation analysis, the estimated fair value of the common stock warrants was \$20.76 and \$16.17 per warrant as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively. Since the common stock warrants were in the money upon issuance, we do not believe that changes in the inputs to the Monte Carlo simulation analysis will have a significant impact on the value of the common stock warrants other than changes in the value of our common stock. Increases in the value of our common stock will increase the value of the common stock warrants. Likewise, a decrease in the value of our common stock will result in a decrease in the value of the common stock warrants.

**Contingent consideration.** The cash consideration for our acquisition of HIE may be increased pursuant to an earn out provision. The liability is remeasured at the end of each reporting period using a Monte Carlo simulation analysis. Significant inputs used in the valuation model include estimated future gross margin, annual gross margin volatility and a present value factor. We consider this to be a Level 3 fair value measurement. Please read Note 10—Commitments and Contingencies for further discussion.

**Derivative instruments.** We utilize crude oil commodity derivative contracts to manage our price exposure to our inventory positions, future purchases of crude oil, and future sales of refined products. The derivative contracts that we execute to manage our price risk include exchange traded futures, options and over-the-counter (“OTC”) swaps. Our futures, options, and OTC swaps are marked-to-market and changes in the fair value of these contracts are recognized within Cost of revenues on our unaudited consolidated statements of operations.

We have entered into forward purchase contracts for crude oil and forward sales contracts of refined products. We elect the normal purchases normal sales (“NPNS”) exception for all forward contracts that meet the definition of a derivative and are not expected to net settle. Any gains and losses with respect to these forward contracts designated as NPNS are not reflected in earnings until the delivery occurs. During 2014, we entered into certain physical forward crude oil contracts that did not qualify for or for which we did not elect the normal NPNS exception. Changes in the fair value of those contracts were recorded in earnings.

We classify financial assets and liabilities according to the fair value hierarchy. Financial assets and liabilities classified as level 1 instruments are valued using quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities. These include our exchange traded futures. Level 2 instruments are valued using quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, and inputs other than quoted prices, that are observable for the asset or liability. Our level 2 instruments include OTC swaps and options. These commodity derivatives are valued using market quotations from independent price reporting agencies and commodity exchange price curves that are corroborated with market data. Level 3 instruments are valued using significant unobservable inputs

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that are not supported by sufficient market activity. We do not have commodity derivatives classified as level 3 at September 30, 2015 or December 31, 2014.

**Financial Statement Impact**

Our assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014 and their placement within our unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheets consist of the following (in thousands):

	Balance Sheet Location	September 30, 2015		December 31, 2014	
		<i>Asset (Liability)</i>			
Common stock warrants	Common stock warrants	\$	(7,164)	\$	(12,123)
Contingent consideration	Contingent consideration		(27,810)		(9,131)
Commodity derivatives <sup>(1)</sup>	Prepaid and other current assets		2,151		1,015
Commodity derivatives <sup>(1)</sup>	Other accrued liabilities		(5,194)		—
Commodity derivatives <sup>(1)</sup>	Other liabilities		(727)		

<sup>(1)</sup> Does not include cash collateral of \$10.8 million recorded in Prepaid and other current assets and \$7.0 million in Other long-term assets as of September 30, 2015.

The following table summarizes the pre-tax gains (losses) recognized in Net income (loss) on our unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations resulting from changes in assets and liabilities valued at fair value (in thousands):

	Income Statement Classification	Three Months Ended		Three Months Ended		Nine Months Ended		Nine Months Ended	
		September 30, 2015		September 30, 2014		September 30, 2015		September 30, 2014	
Common stock warrants	Change in value of common stock warrants	\$	(1,023)	\$	2,401	\$	(2,732)	\$	4,118
Contingent consideration	Change in value of contingent consideration		(4,255)		996		(18,679)		5,758
Commodity derivatives	Cost of revenues		10,940		639		13,512		(693)

We elect to offset fair value amounts recognized for derivative instruments executed with the same counterparty under a master netting agreement. Our consolidated unaudited balance sheets present derivative assets and liabilities on a net basis. Our cash margin that is required as collateral deposits cannot be offset against the fair value of open contracts except in the event of default. Fair value amounts by hierarchy level as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014 are presented gross in the tables below (in thousands):

	September 30, 2015											
				Gross Fair Value	Effect of Counter-party Netting	Net Carrying Value on Balance Sheet						
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3									
<b>Assets</b>												
Commodity derivatives	\$	243	\$	20,884	\$	—	\$	21,127	\$	(18,976)	\$	2,151
Total	\$	243	\$	20,884	\$	—	\$	21,127	\$	(18,976)	\$	2,151
<b>Liabilities</b>												
Common stock warrants	\$	—	\$	—	\$	(7,164)	\$	(7,164)	\$	—	\$	(7,164)
Contingent consideration		—		—		(27,810)		(27,810)		—		(27,810)
Commodity derivatives		(17)		(24,880)		—		(24,897)		18,976		(5,921)
Total	\$	(17)	\$	(24,880)	\$	(34,974)	\$	(59,871)	\$	18,976	\$	(40,895)

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	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Gross Fair Value	Effect of Counter-party Netting	Net Carrying Value on Balance Sheet
<b>Assets</b>						
Commodity derivatives	\$ 1,015	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 1,015	\$ —	\$ 1,015
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,015</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ 1,015</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ 1,015</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>						
Common stock warrants	\$ —	\$ —	\$ (12,123)	\$ (12,123)	\$ —	\$ (12,123)
Contingent consideration	—	—	(9,131)	(9,131)	—	(9,131)
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ (21,254)</b>	<b>\$ (21,254)</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ (21,254)</b>

A roll forward of Level 3 financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis is as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2015	Three Months Ended September 30, 2014	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014
Balance, at beginning of period	\$ (37,387)	\$ (22,837)	\$ (21,254)	\$ (29,316)
Settlements	7,691	—	7,691	—
Acquired	—	—	—	—
Total unrealized income (loss) included in earnings	(5,278)	3,397	(21,411)	9,876
<b>Balance, at end of period</b>	<b>\$ (34,974)</b>	<b>\$ (19,440)</b>	<b>\$ (34,974)</b>	<b>\$ (19,440)</b>

The carrying value and fair value of long-term debt and other financial instruments as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014 are as follows (in thousands):

	September 30, 2015	
	Carrying Value	Fair Value <sup>(1)</sup>
Term Loan	\$ 93,851	\$ 99,822
HIE Retail Credit Agreement <sup>(2)</sup>	27,857	27,857
Mid Pac Credit Agreement <sup>(2)</sup>	47,917	47,917
Common stock warrants	7,164	7,164
Contingent consideration	27,810	27,810
	December 31, 2014	
	Carrying Value	Fair Value <sup>(1)</sup>
Term Loan	\$ 87,360	\$ 87,068
HIE Retail Credit Agreement <sup>(2)</sup>	22,750	22,750
Texadian Uncommitted Credit Agreement	26,500	26,500
Common stock warrants	12,123	12,123
Contingent consideration	9,131	9,131

<sup>(1)</sup> The fair values of these instruments are considered Level 3 measurements in the fair value hierarchy.

<sup>(2)</sup> Fair value approximates carrying value due to the floating rate interest which approximates a current market rate.

We estimate the fair value of our long-term debt using a discounted cash flow analysis and an estimate of the current yield of 9.87% and 14.11% as of September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively, by reference to market interest rates for term debt of comparable companies.

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The fair value of all non-derivative financial instruments included in current assets, including cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash and trade accounts receivable, and current liabilities, including accounts payable, approximate their carrying value due to their short-term nature.

**Note 10—Commitments and Contingencies**

In the ordinary course of business, we are a party to various lawsuits and other contingent matters. We establish accruals for specific legal matters when we determine that the likelihood of an unfavorable outcome is probable and the loss is reasonably estimable. It is possible that an unfavorable outcome of one or more of these lawsuits or other contingencies could have a material impact on our liquidity, results of operations or financial condition.

**Mid Pac Earnout and Indemnity Dispute**

Pursuant to a Stock Purchase Agreement dated August 3, 2011 and amended October 25, 2011 (the “SPA”), Mid Pac purchased all the issued and outstanding stock of Inter Island Petroleum, Inc. (“Inter Island”) from Brian J. and Wendy Barbata (collectively, the “Barbatas”). The SPA provides for an earnout payment to be made to the Barbatas in an amount equal to four times the amount by which the average of Inter Island’s earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization during the relevant earnout period exceeds \$3.5 million. The earnout payment is capped at a maximum of \$4.5 million. Mid Pac contends that there are no amounts owed to the Barbatas for the earnout period. By letter dated May 29, 2014, the Barbatas disputed Mid Pac’s computation of the earnout, without explanation of the amount they claim to be owed or refutation of Mid Pac’s analysis. Mid Pac intends to vigorously oppose any such claims.

Any claims by the Barbatas may be offset by Mid Pac’s claims for indemnification under the SPA. By letters dated December 13, 2013 and April 25, 2014, Mid Pac has asserted indemnification claims against the Barbatas exceeding \$1 million with respect to environmental losses arising from certain terminals operated by Inter Island and its subsidiaries. The Barbatas have disputed such claims.

**Tesoro Earnout Dispute**

The cash consideration for our acquisition of HIE is subject to increase pursuant to an earnout provision. For 2014, we contend that there are no amounts owed to Tesoro. Tesoro has disputed our calculation of the 2014 earnout amount and contends that approximately \$1 million is owed. Pursuant to the Membership Interest Purchase Agreement dated June 17, 2013, the dispute will be submitted to a mutually acceptable independent accounting firm to be engaged by the parties, as arbiter, to determine the amount owed, if any.

**Environmental Matters**

Our petroleum refining operations and third-party oil and gas exploration and production operations in which we have a working interest are subject to extensive and periodically changing federal, state and local environmental laws and regulations governing air emissions, wastewater discharges, and solid and hazardous waste management activities. Many of these laws and regulations are becoming increasingly stringent, and the cost of compliance can be expected to increase over time. Our policy is to accrue environmental and clean-up related costs of a non-capital nature when it is probable that a liability has been incurred and the amount can be reasonably estimated. Such estimates may be subject to revision in the future as regulations and other conditions change.

Periodically, we receive communications from various federal, state, and local governmental authorities asserting violations of environmental laws and/or regulations. These governmental entities may also propose or assess fines or require corrective actions for these asserted violations. We intend to respond in a timely manner to all such communications and to take appropriate corrective action. We do not anticipate that any such matters currently asserted will have a material impact on our financial condition, results of operations, or cash flows.

**Regulation of Greenhouse Gases.** The United States Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”) has begun regulating greenhouse gases (“GHG”) under the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 (“Clean Air Act”). New construction or material expansions that meet certain GHG emissions thresholds will likely require that, among other things, a GHG permit be issued in accordance with the Clean Air Act regulations, and we will be required in connection with such permitting to undertake a technology review to determine appropriate controls to be implemented with the project in order to reduce GHG emissions.

Furthermore, the EPA is currently developing refinery-specific GHG regulations and performance standards that are expected to impose GHG emission limits and/or technology requirements. These control requirements may affect a wide range of

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refinery operations. Any such controls could result in material increased compliance costs, additional operating restrictions for our business, and an increase in cost of the products we produce, which could have a material adverse effect on our financial position, results of operations, and liquidity.

On September 29, 2015, the EPA announced a final rule updating standards that control toxic air emissions from petroleum refineries, addressing, among other things, flaring operations, fence-line air quality monitoring and additional emission reductions from storage tanks and delayed coking units. Affected existing sources will be required to comply with the new requirements no later than 2018, with certain refiners required to comply earlier depending on the relevant provision and refinery construction date. We do not anticipate that compliance with this rule will have a material impact on our financial condition, results of operations, or cash flows.

In 2007, the State of Hawaii passed Act 234, which required that GHG emissions be rolled back on a statewide basis to 1990 levels by the year 2020. Although delayed, the Hawaii Department of Health has issued regulations that would require each major facility to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 16% by 2020 relative to a calendar year 2010 baseline (the first year in which GHG emissions were reported to the EPA under 40 CFR Part 98). Those rules are pending final approval by the Government of Hawaii. The refinery's capacity to reduce fuel use and GHG emissions is limited. However, the state's pending regulation allows, and the refinery should be able to demonstrate, that additional reductions are not cost-effective or necessary in light of the state's current GHG inventory and future year projections. The pending regulation allows for "partnering" with other facilities (principally power plants) which have already dramatically reduced greenhouse emissions or are on schedule to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in order to comply with the state's Renewable Portfolio Standards.

**Fuel Standards.** In 2007, the U.S. Congress passed the Energy Independence and Security Act ("EISA") which, among other things, set a target fuel economy standard of 35 miles per gallon for the combined fleet of cars and light trucks in the United States by model year 2020, and contained a second Renewable Fuel Standard (the "RFS2"). In August 2012, the EPA and National Highway Traffic Safety Administration jointly adopted regulations that establish an average industry fuel economy of 54.5 miles per gallon by model year 2025. The RFS2 requires an increasing amount of renewable fuel usage, up to 36 billion gallons by 2022. In the near term, the RFS2 will be satisfied primarily with fuel ethanol blended into gasoline. The RFS2 may present production and logistics challenges for both the renewable fuels and petroleum refining and marketing industries in that we may have to enter into arrangements with other parties or purchase credits from the EPA to meet our obligations to use advanced biofuels, including biomass-based diesel and cellulosic biofuel, with potentially uncertain supplies of these new fuels.

In October 2010, the EPA issued a partial waiver decision under the Clean Air Act to allow for an increase in the amount of ethanol permitted to be blended into gasoline from 10% ("E10") to 15% ("E15") for 2007 and newer light duty motor vehicles. In January 2011, the EPA issued a second waiver for the use of E15 in vehicles model years 2001-2006. There are numerous issues, including state and federal regulatory issues, which need to be addressed before E15 can be marketed on a large scale for use in traditional gasoline engines. Since April 2006, the State of Hawaii has required that a minimum of 9.2% ethanol be blended into at least 85% of the gasoline pool, but the regulation also limited the amount of ethanol to no more than 10%. Effective January 1, 2016, however, this state mandate will terminate. Nevertheless, qualified Renewable Identification Numbers ("RINS") will be required to fulfill the federal mandate for renewable fuels.

In March 2014, the EPA published a final Tier 3 gasoline standard that lowers the allowable sulfur level in gasoline to 10 ppm and also lowers the allowable benzene, aromatics and olefins content of gasoline. The effective date for the new standard, January 1, 2017, gives refiners nationwide little time to engineer, permit and implement substantial modifications; however, approved small volume refineries have until January 1, 2020 to meet the standard. In September 2015, our refinery was granted small volume refinery status by the EPA. Along with credit and trading options, potential capital upgrades for the refinery are being evaluated.

There will be compliance costs and uncertainties regarding how we will comply with the various requirements contained in the EISA and other fuel-related regulations. We may experience a decrease in demand for refined petroleum products due to an increase in combined fleet mileage or due to refined petroleum products being replaced by renewable fuels.

#### **Environmental Agreement**

On September 25, 2013 ("Closing Date"), Hawaii Pacific Energy (a wholly-owned subsidiary of Par created for purposes of the HIE acquisition), Tesoro Corporation ("Tesoro") and HIE entered into an Environmental Agreement ("Environmental Agreement"), which allocated responsibility for known and contingent environmental liabilities related to the acquisition of HIE, including the Consent Decree as described below.

**Consent Decree.** Tesoro is currently negotiating a consent decree with the EPA and the United States Department of Justice concerning alleged violations of the federal Clean Air Act related to the ownership and operation of multiple facilities

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owned or formerly owned by Tesoro and its affiliates ("Consent Decree"), including the Hawaii refinery. It is anticipated that the Consent Decree will be finalized sometime during 2015 and will require certain capital improvements to our refinery to reduce emissions of air pollutants.

We estimate the cost of compliance with the final decree could be \$20 million to \$25 million. However, Tesoro is responsible under the Environmental Agreement for reimbursing HIE for all reasonable third-party capital expenditures incurred for the construction, installation and commissioning of such capital projects and for the payment of any fines or penalties imposed on HIE arising from the Consent Decree to the extent related to acts or omission of Tesoro or HIE prior to the Closing Date. Tesoro's obligation to reimburse HIE for such fines and penalties is not subject to a monetary limitation; however, the obligation relating to fines and penalties terminates on the third anniversary of the Closing Date.

**Tank Replacements.** Tesoro replaced, at its expense, the existing underground storage tanks at six retail locations. The tank replacements were completed at five of the stations during 2014. The sixth location was completed during the first quarter of 2015.

**Indemnification.** In addition to its obligation to reimburse us for capital expenditures incurred pursuant to the Consent Decree, Tesoro agreed to indemnify us for claims and losses arising out of related breaches of Tesoro's representations, warranties and covenants in the Environmental Agreement, certain defined "corrective actions" relating to pre-existing environmental conditions, third-party claims arising under environmental laws for personal injury or property damage arising out of or relating to releases of hazardous materials that occurred prior to the Closing Date, any fine, penalty or other cost assessed by a governmental authority in connection with violations of environmental laws by HIE prior to the Closing Date, certain groundwater remediation work, the replacement of underground storage tanks located at certain retail sites, fines or penalties imposed on HIE by the Consent Decree related to acts or omissions of Tesoro prior to the Closing Date and to claims and losses related to the Pearl City Superfund Site.

Tesoro's indemnification obligations are subject to certain limitations as set forth in the Environmental Agreement. These limitations include a deductible of \$1 million and a cap of \$15 million for certain of Tesoro's indemnification obligations related to certain pre-existing conditions as well as certain restrictions regarding the time limits for submitting notice and supporting documentation for remediation actions.

#### **Recovery Trusts**

We emerged from the reorganization of Delta Petroleum on August 31, 2012 ("Emergence Date") when the plan of reorganization ("Plan") was consummated. On the Emergence Date, we formed the Delta Petroleum General Recovery Trust ("General Trust"). The General Trust was formed to pursue certain litigation against third parties, including preference actions, fraudulent transfer and conveyance actions, rights of setoff and other claims, or causes of action under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code, and other claims and potential claims that the Debtors hold against third parties.

We are the beneficiary of the General Trust, subject to the terms of the trust agreement and the Plan. Since the Emergence Date, the General Trust has filed various claims and causes of action against third parties before the Bankruptcy Court, which actions are ongoing. Upon liquidation of the various claims and causes of action held by the General Trust, the proceeds, less certain administrative reserves and expenses, will be transferred to us. It is unknown at this time what proceeds, if any, we will realize from the General Trust's litigation efforts.

The Plan provides that certain allowed general unsecured claims be paid with shares of our common stock. As of December 31, 2014, 27 claims totaling approximately \$26.5 million remain to be resolved by the trustee for the General Trust and we have reserved approximately \$1.1 million representing the estimated value of claims remaining to be settled which are deemed probable and estimable at period end. No claims were settled during the nine months ended September 30, 2015.

#### **Note 11—Stockholders' Equity**

##### **Incentive Plan**

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, we recognized compensation costs of approximately \$1.0 million and \$ 4.0 million, respectively, in General and administrative expenses on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations related to restricted stock awards under the Company's 2012 Long-term Incentive Plan ("LTIP"). For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, we recognized compensation costs of approximately \$2.6 million and \$4.2 million, respectively, in General and administrative expenses within our unaudited consolidated statements of operations related to restricted stock awards under the LTIP. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, we granted 28 thousand shares and 214 thousand shares of restricted stock, respectively, with fair values of approximately \$511 thousand and \$4.3 million, respectively.

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During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, we granted approximately 15 thousand stock options and 167 thousand stock options with a weighted-average exercise price of \$ 19.69 and \$18.88 and a fair value of approximately \$115 thousand and \$1.3 million, respectively. As of September 30, 2015, there was approximately \$9.6 million of total unrecognized compensation costs related to restricted stock and stock option awards, which are expected to be recognized on a straight-line basis over a weighted-average period of 2.98 years.

In the fourth quarter of 2015, our board of directors authorized an increase in the number of shares issuable under the LTIP, subject to shareholder approval. Additionally, we issued an aggregate 1.05 million options to our new President and Chief Executive Officer, our Chairman and our Vice Chairman of our board of directors, each with an exercise price of \$21.44. These option grants are also subject to shareholder approval.

**Note 12—Benefit Plans**

**Other Post-retirement Benefits - Medical**

We sponsor a post-retirement medical plan to provide health care coverage continuation from the date of retirement to age 65 for qualifying employees. Employees hired before 2006 are generally eligible to participate in the plan after five years of service and reaching the age of 55 and will pay 20% of the monthly insurance premium. Employees hired after 2006 are generally eligible to participate in the plan after five years of service and reaching the age of 55 and are required to pay 100% of the monthly insurance premium; however, after 10 years of service, they are only required to pay 50% of the monthly insurance premium.

The components of the net periodic benefit cost related to our defined benefit plan consist of the following (in thousands):

	<b>Three Months Ended September 30, 2015</b>	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015</b>
Service cost	\$ 93	\$ 278
Interest cost	53	159
Amortization of prior service cost	2	6
Net periodic benefit cost	<u>\$ 148</u>	<u>\$ 443</u>



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**Note 13—Income (Loss) per Share**

Basic income (loss) per share is computed by dividing net income (loss) by the sum of the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding and the weighted-average number of shares issuable under the common stock warrants, representing 586,650 shares and 692,562 shares during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 801,088 shares during the three and nine months September 30, 2014, respectively. The common stock warrants are included in the calculation of basic income (loss) per share because they are issuable for minimal consideration. Unvested restricted stock is excluded from the basic weighted-average common stock outstanding computation as these shares are not considered earned until vested. The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted earnings per share (in thousands, except per share amounts):

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2015	Three Months Ended September 30, 2014	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014
Net income (loss)	\$ 14,740	\$ (39,456)	\$ 26,925	\$ (78,701)
Undistributed income allocated to participating securities <sup>(2)</sup>	228	—	217	—
Net income (loss) attributable to common stockholders	<u>\$ 14,512</u>	<u>\$ (39,456)</u>	<u>\$ 26,708</u>	<u>\$ (78,701)</u>
Basic weighted-average common stock shares outstanding	37,390	33,137	37,304	31,311
Add dilutive effects of common stock equivalents <sup>(1)</sup>	10	—	27	—
Diluted weighted-average common stock shares outstanding	<u>37,400</u>	<u>33,137</u>	<u>37,331</u>	<u>31,311</u>
Basic income (loss) per common share	\$ 0.39	\$ (1.19)	\$ 0.72	\$ (2.51)
Diluted income (loss) per common share	\$ 0.39	\$ (1.19)	\$ 0.72	\$ (2.51)

(1) Entities with a net loss are prohibited from including potential common shares in the computation of diluted per share amounts; therefore, we have utilized the basic shares outstanding to calculate both basic and diluted loss per share for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014 .

(2) Participating securities include restricted stock that has been issued but is not yet vested.

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 , our weighted-average potentially dilutive securities excluded from the calculation of diluted shares outstanding consisted of 587 thousand and 303 thousand shares of unvested restricted stock and 10 thousand and 27 thousand stock options, respectively. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014 , there were 609 thousand and 523 thousand potentially dilutive securities excluded from the calculation of diluted shares outstanding.

**Note 14—Income Taxes**

In assessing the realizability of deferred tax assets, management considers whether it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax assets will not be realized. The ultimate realization of deferred tax assets is dependent upon the generation of future taxable income during the periods in which those temporary differences become deductible. Management considers the scheduled reversal of deferred tax liabilities, projected future results of operations, and tax planning strategies in making this assessment. Based upon the level of historical taxable income, significant book losses during prior periods, and projections for future results of operations over the periods in which the deferred tax assets are deductible, among other factors, management continues to conclude that we did not meet the “more likely than not” requirement in order to recognize deferred tax assets and a valuation allowance has been recorded for the full amount of our net deferred tax assets at September 30, 2015 . During the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , we recorded a benefit for the release of \$18.3 million of our valuation allowance as we expect to be able to utilize a portion of our net operating loss (“NOL”) carryforwards to offset future taxable income of Mid Pac.

During the three and nine month periods ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 , no adjustments were recognized for uncertain tax positions.

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Our net taxable income must be apportioned to various states based upon the income tax laws of the states in which we derive our revenue. Our NOL carryforwards will not always be available to offset taxable income apportioned to the various states. The states from which some of our revenues are derived are not the same states in which our NOLs were incurred; therefore we expect to incur state tax liabilities on the net income of our commodity marketing and logistics segment, our refining and distribution segment and our retail segment. Excluding the impact of releasing the valuation allowance, state tax expense was approximately \$174 thousand and \$217 thousand for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015, respectively. State income tax benefit of approximately \$150 thousand and \$113 thousand was recognized for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014, respectively.

We will continue to assess the realizability of our deferred tax assets based on consideration of actual and projected operating results and tax planning strategies. Should actual operating results continue to improve, the amount of the deferred tax asset considered more likely than not to be realizable could be increased.

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**Note 15—Segment Information**

During the first quarter of 2015, we changed our reportable segments to separate our retail operations from our refining operations due to a change in senior leadership, organizational structure, the acquisition of Mid Pac and to reflect how we currently make financial decisions and allocate resources. Beginning with the second quarter of 2015, the results of operations of Mid Pac are included in our Refining and Distribution and Retail segments. We previously reported results for the following three business segments: (i) Refining, Distribution and Marketing, (ii) Natural Gas and Oil Production and (iii) Commodity Marketing and Logistics. Effective in the first quarter of 2015, our reportable segments are: (i) Refining and Distribution, (ii) Retail, (iii) Natural Gas and Oil Production, and (iv) Commodity Marketing and Logistics. Corporate and Other includes administrative and other costs. During the fourth quarter of 2014, we changed the methodology used to allocate General and Administrative Expenses to our operating segments due to changes in our organizational structure. We have recast the segment information for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014 below to conform to the current period presentation.

Summarized financial information concerning reportable segments consists of the following (in thousands):

Three months ended September 30, 2015	Refining and Distribution	Retail	Natural Gas and Oil Production	Commodity Marketing and Logistics	Corporate and Other	Total
Segment revenues	\$ 458,238	\$ 81,434	\$ —	\$ 10,904	\$ —	\$ 550,576
Intersegment elimination	(55,073)	—	—	—	—	(55,073)
Revenues	403,165	81,434	—	10,904	—	495,503
Cost of revenues	330,702	60,655	—	13,796	—	405,153
Operating expense, excluding DD&A	28,568	9,479	—	—	—	38,047
Lease operating expenses	—	—	1,575	—	—	1,575
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	2,565	1,492	10	231	298	4,596
Impairment expense	—	—	—	9,639	—	9,639
General and administrative expense	4,544	953	—	701	3,741	9,939
Acquisition and integration costs	186	—	—	—	94	280
Operating income (loss)	36,600	8,855	(1,585)	(13,463)	(4,133)	26,274
Interest expense and financing costs, net						(4,387)
Other expense, net						(45)
Change in value of common stock warrants						(1,023)
Change in value of contingent consideration						(4,255)
Equity loss from Laramie Energy Company						(1,355)
Income before income taxes						15,209
Income tax expense						(469)
Net income						\$ 14,740
Capital expenditures	\$ 3,705	\$ 213	\$ —	\$ 10	\$ 2,056	\$ 5,984

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Three months ended September 30, 2014	Refining and Distribution	Retail	Natural Gas and Oil Production	Commodity Marketing and Logistics	Corporate and Other	Total
Segment revenues	\$ 774,367	\$ 62,929	\$ 1,667	\$ 53,406	\$ —	\$ 892,369
Intersegment elimination	(38,083)	—	—	—	—	(38,083)
Revenues	736,284	62,929	1,667	53,406	—	854,286
Cost of revenues	725,876	51,945	—	52,617	—	830,438
Operating expense, excluding DD&A	35,884	6,845	—	—	—	42,729
Lease operating expense	—	—	1,204	—	—	1,204
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	2,125	640	571	499	83	3,918
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	—	624	—	—	624
General and administrative expense	2,379	1,065	320	1,171	3,180	8,115
Acquisition and integration costs	98	—	—	—	3,758	3,856
Operating (loss) income	(30,078)	2,434	(1,052)	(881)	(7,021)	(36,598)
Interest expense and financing costs, net						(7,076)
Other expense, net						(164)
Change in value of common stock warrants						2,401
Change in value of contingent consideration						996
Equity earnings from Laramie Energy Company						835
Loss before income taxes						(39,606)
Income tax benefit						150
Net loss						\$ (39,456)
Capital expenditures	\$ 3,816	\$ 49	\$ 4	\$ —	\$ 178	\$ 4,047

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Nine months ended September 30, 2015	Refining and Distribution	Retail	Natural Gas and Oil Production	Commodity Marketing and Logistics	Corporate and Other	Total
Segment revenues	\$ 1,491,309	\$ 209,091	\$ 2,185	\$ 76,983	\$ —	\$ 1,779,568
Intersegment elimination	(138,585)	—	—	(18,110)	—	(156,695)
Revenues	1,352,724	209,091	2,185	58,873	—	1,622,873
Cost of revenues	1,169,287	158,383	—	60,020	—	1,387,690
Operating expense, excluding DD&A	77,637	25,161	—	—	—	102,798
Lease operating expenses	—	—	4,614	—	—	4,614
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	7,723	3,675	33	689	732	12,852
Impairment expense	—	—	—	9,639	—	9,639
General and administrative expense	13,254	2,738	400	4,064	11,422	31,878
Acquisition and integration costs	186	—	—	—	1,625	1,811
Operating income (loss)	84,637	19,134	(2,862)	(15,539)	(13,779)	71,591
Interest expense and financing costs, net						(15,769)
Loss on termination of financing agreements						(19,229)
Other expense, net						(199)
Change in value of common stock warrants						(2,732)
Change in value of contingent consideration						(18,679)
Equity loss from Laramie Energy Company						(6,131)
Income before income taxes						8,852
Income tax benefit						18,073
Net income						\$ 26,925
Capital expenditures	\$ 12,291	\$ 715	\$ —	\$ 10	\$ 2,841	\$ 15,857

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Nine months ended September 30, 2014	Refining and Distribution	Retail	Natural Gas and Oil Production	Commodity Marketing and Logistics	Corporate and Other	Total
Segment revenues	\$ 2,227,193	\$ 174,179	\$ 5,083	\$ 102,384	\$ —	\$ 2,508,839
Intersegment elimination	(109,170)	—	—	—	—	(109,170)
Revenues	2,118,023	174,179	5,083	102,384	—	2,399,669
Cost of revenues	2,078,038	147,351	—	97,399	—	2,322,788
Operating expense, excluding DD&A	91,013	18,884	—	—	—	109,897
Lease operating expense	—	—	3,963	—	—	3,963
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	5,746	1,751	1,096	1,513	163	10,269
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	—	624	—	—	624
General and administrative expense	3,912	1,716	564	3,084	9,506	18,782
Acquisition and integration costs	4,126	—	—	—	5,000	9,126
Operating (loss) income	(64,812)	4,477	(1,164)	388	(14,669)	(75,780)
Interest expense and financing costs, net						(13,980)
Other expense, net						(304)
Change in value of common stock warrants						4,118
Change in value of contingent consideration						5,758
Equity loss from Laramie Energy Company						1,374
Loss before income taxes						(78,814)
Income tax expense						113
Net loss						\$ (78,701)
Capital expenditures	\$ 8,577	\$ 149	\$ 312	\$ 300	\$ 618	\$ 9,956

**Note 16—Related Party Transactions**

**Term Loan**

Certain of our stockholders, or affiliates of our stockholders, are the lenders under our Term Loan. In previous years, they received common stock warrants exercisable for shares of common stock in connection with the origination of the Term Loan. During the three months ended September 30, 2015, one of our stockholders and its affiliates exercised 404,013 warrants with a fair value of \$7.7 million.

**Equity Group Investments ("EGI") and Whitebox - Service Agreements**

On September 17, 2013, we entered into letter agreements ("Services Agreements") with Equity Group Investments ("EGI"), an affiliate of Zell Credit Opportunities Fund, LP ("ZCOF"), and Whitebox Advisors, LLC ("Whitebox"), each of which owns 10% or more of our common stock directly or through affiliates. Pursuant to the Services Agreements, EGI and Whitebox agreed to provide us with ongoing strategic, advisory and consulting services that may include (i) advice on financing structures and our relationship with lenders and bankers, (ii) advice regarding public and private offerings of debt and equity securities, (iii) advice regarding asset dispositions, acquisitions or other asset management strategies, (iv) advice regarding potential business acquisitions, dispositions or combinations involving us or our affiliates, or (v) such other advice directly related or ancillary to the above strategic, advisory and consulting services as may be reasonably requested by us.

EGI and Whitebox will not receive a fee for the provision of the strategic, advisory or consulting services set forth in the Services Agreements, but may be periodically reimbursed by us, upon request, for (i) travel and out of pocket expenses, provided that in the event that such expenses exceed \$50 thousand in the aggregate with respect to any single proposed matter, EGI or Whitebox, as applicable, will obtain our consent prior to incurring additional costs, and (ii) provided that we provide prior consent

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to their engagement with respect to any particular proposed matter, all reasonable fees and disbursements of counsel, accountants and other professionals incurred in connection with EGI's or Whitebox's, as applicable, services under the Services Agreements. In consideration of the services provided by EGI and Whitebox under the Services Agreements, we agreed to indemnify each of them for certain losses incurred by them relating to or arising out of the Services Agreements or the services provided thereunder.

The Services Agreements have a term of one year and will be automatically extended for successive one -year periods unless terminated by either party at least 60 days prior to any extension date. There were no significant costs incurred related to these agreements during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014.

In October 2015, management terminated its Services Agreement with Whitebox.

**Note 17—Subsequent Events**

In October 2015, management notified its employees that it plans to terminate the defined contribution pension plan and the post-retirement medical plan on December 31, 2015. Pursuant to the terms of the 2015 Collective Bargaining Agreement between HIE and the United Steelworkers Union, Local 12-591, the union has the right to request that HIE participate in mediation regarding this decision. As of September 30, 2015 , we have approximately \$6 million accrued related to the post-retirement medical plan.

## Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

### Overview

We own interests in energy and infrastructure businesses and currently operate in the following four business segments:

- refining and distribution;
- retail;
- natural gas and oil production; and
- commodity marketing and logistics.

Effective in the first quarter of 2015, we changed our reportable segments to separate our retail operations from our prior refining, distribution and marketing segment due to a change in senior leadership, organizational structure, the acquisition of Mid Pac and to reflect how we currently make financial decisions and allocate resources. We previously reported results for the following three business segments: (i) Refining, Distribution and Marketing, (ii) Natural Gas and Oil Production and (iii) Commodity Marketing and Logistics. We have recast the segment information for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2014 to conform to the current period presentation.

Our refining and distribution segment consists of a refinery in Kapolei, Hawaii, refined products terminals, pipelines, a single-point mooring and trucking operations which produce and distribute refined products throughout the State of Hawaii and for export globally. Our retail segment consists of retail outlets which sell gasoline, diesel, and retail merchandise throughout Hawaii. Our natural gas and oil production segment consists primarily of our 32.4% ownership of Laramie, a joint venture entity focused on producing natural gas and natural gas liquids in Garfield and Mesa Counties, Colorado. Our commodity marketing and logistics segment focuses on sourcing, marketing, transporting, and distributing crude oil and refined products primarily within North America.

Par was created through the successful reorganization of Delta Petroleum Corporation in August 2012. The reorganization converted unsecured debt to equity and allowed us to preserve significant tax attributes.

### Recent Events

#### *Inventory Financing Agreements*

On June 1, 2015, we entered into several agreements with J. Aron & Company ("J. Aron") to support the operations of our refinery (the "Supply and Offtake Agreements"). The Supply and Offtake Agreements have a term of three years with two one-year extension options upon mutual agreement of the parties. The Supply and Offtake Agreements also include a deferred payment arrangement, whereby we can defer payments owed under the agreements up to the lesser of \$125 million or 85% of the eligible accounts receivable and inventory. Please read Note 7—Inventory Financing Agreements for more information.

Upon execution of the Supply and Offtake Agreements, HIE terminated its Supply and Exchange Agreements with Barclays on June 1, 2015, subject to certain obligations to reimburse Barclays for third-party claims, and the HIE ABL Facility. During the nine months ended September 30, 2015, we recorded a loss of \$19.2 million related to the termination of these financing agreements, which is included in Loss on termination of financing agreements on our unaudited condensed consolidated statements of operations. Please read Note 7—Inventory Financing Agreements for more information.

#### *Mid Pac Acquisition and Mid Pac Credit Agreement*

On June 2, 2014, we entered into an agreement and plan of merger with Koko'oha to indirectly acquire 100% of the outstanding membership interests of Mid Pac. On April 1, 2015, we completed the acquisition of Mid Pac for cash consideration of \$74.4 million. In connection with the acquisition, Mid Pac's pre-existing debt was fully repaid on the closing date for \$45.3 million. The acquisition and debt repayment were funded with cash on hand and \$55 million of borrowings under the Mid Pac Credit Agreement. Beginning with the second quarter of 2015, the results of operations of Mid Pac are included in our Refining and Distribution and Retail segments. Please read Note 4—Acquisition for more information.

On April 1, 2015, Koko'oha and Mid Pac entered into the Mid Pac Credit Agreement in the form of a senior secured term loan in the amount of \$50 million ("Mid Pac Term Loan") and a senior secured revolving line of credit ("Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility") in the aggregate principal amount of up to \$5 million. The lenders of the Mid Pac Credit Agreement advanced the full amount of the Mid Pac Term Loan and the Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility at the closing. The proceeds of the loans were used to repay the existing debt of Koko'oha and Mid Pac, and pay a portion of the acquisition consideration and for general corporate purposes. Please read Note 8—Debt for more information.



## Results of Operations

### Overview

During the three months ended September 30, 2015, we delivered strong operational and financial results driven by solid execution and a falling crude price environment. Crack spreads during this period continue to be favorable to the three year average, with improvements in both finished product spreads and crude oil costs. Continued feedstock flexibility with strong refinery performance produced optimized product yields and a sales profile which resulted in higher margins. The successful integration of Mid Pac is reflected by the strong performance of our retail segment and we continue our efforts to optimize our operations.

### Consolidated Summary of Financial Information

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2015	Three Months Ended September 30, 2014	Increase (Decrease)	% Change
<b>Gross Margin</b>				
Refining and distribution	\$ 72,463	\$ 10,408	\$ 62,055	596 %
Retail	20,779	10,984	9,795	89 %
Commodity marketing and logistics	(2,892)	789	(3,681)	(467)%
Natural gas and oil	—	1,667	(1,667)	(100)%
Total gross margin	90,350	23,848		
Operating expense, excluding depreciation, depletion, and amortization expense	39,622	43,933	(4,311)	(10)%
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	4,596	3,918	678	17 %
Impairment expense	9,639	—	9,639	100 %
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	624	(624)	(100)%
General and administrative expense	9,939	8,115	1,824	22 %
Acquisition and integration costs	280	3,856	(3,576)	(93)%
Total operating expenses	64,076	60,446		
Operating income (loss)	26,274	(36,598)		
<b>Other income (expense)</b>				
Interest expense and financing costs, net	(4,387)	(7,076)	2,689	(38)%
Other income (expense), net	(45)	(164)	119	(73)%
Change in value of common stock warrants	(1,023)	2,401	(3,424)	(143)%
Change in value of contingent consideration	(4,255)	996	(5,251)	(527)%
Equity earnings (losses) from Laramie Energy Company	(1,355)	835	(2,190)	(262)%
Total other expense, net	(11,065)	(3,008)		
Income (loss) before income taxes	15,209	(39,606)		
Income tax benefit (expense)	(469)	150	(619)	(413)%
<b>Net income (loss)</b>	<u>\$ 14,740</u>	<u>\$ (39,456)</u>		

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2014	Increase (Decrease)	% Change <sup>(1)</sup>
<b>Gross Margin</b>				
Refining and distribution	\$ 183,437	\$ 39,985	\$ 143,452	359 %
Retail	50,708	26,828	23,880	89 %
Commodity marketing and logistics	(1,147)	4,985	(6,132)	(123)%
Natural gas and oil	2,185	5,083	(2,898)	(57)%
Total gross margin	235,183	76,881		
Operating expense, excluding depreciation, depletion, and amortization expense	107,412	113,860	(6,448)	(6)%
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	12,852	10,269	2,583	25 %
Impairment expense	9,639	—	9,639	100 %
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	624	(624)	(100)%
General and administrative expense	31,878	18,782	13,096	70 %
Acquisition and integration costs	1,811	9,126	(7,315)	(80)%
Total operating expenses	163,592	152,661		
Operating income (loss)	71,591	(75,780)		
<b>Other income (expense)</b>				
Interest expense and financing costs, net	(15,769)	(13,980)	(1,789)	13 %
Loss on termination of financing agreements	(19,229)	—	(19,229)	100 %
Other income (expense), net	(199)	(304)	105	(35)%
Change in value of common stock warrants	(2,732)	4,118	(6,850)	(166)%
Change in value of contingent consideration	(18,679)	5,758	(24,437)	(424)%
Equity earnings (losses) from Laramie Energy Company	(6,131)	1,374	(7,505)	(546)%
Total other expense, net	(62,739)	(3,034)		
Income (loss) before income taxes	8,852	(78,814)		
Income tax benefit	18,073	113	17,960	15,894 %
<b>Net income (loss)</b>	<b>\$ 26,925</b>	<b>\$ (78,701)</b>		

<sup>(1)</sup> NM - Not meaningful

Below is a summary of key operating statistics for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 :

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2015	2014	2015	2014
<b>Refining and Distribution Segment</b>				
Total Crude Oil Throughput (Mbpd)	73.5	68.5	76.3	68.7
Source of Crude Oil:				
North America	31.9%	28.2%	46.7%	47.9%
Latin America	5.3%	18.0%	9.8%	23.9%
Africa	2.2%	—%	10.3%	0.1%
Asia	60.6%	—%	30.4%	1.7%
Middle East	—%	53.8%	2.8%	26.4%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Yield (% of total throughput)				
Gasoline and gasoline blendstocks	25.3%	24.2%	25.9%	24.4%
Distillate	45.4%	42.5%	44.3%	39.4%
Fuel oils	21.1%	25.4%	22.1%	30.5%
Other products	4.4%	4.8%	4.6%	3.3%
Total yield	96.2%	96.9%	96.9%	97.6%
Refined product sales volume (Mbpd)				
On-island sales volume	57.2	56.5	59.8	53.1
Exports sale volume	17.0	15.8	17.1	16.4
Total refined product sales volume	74.2	72.3	76.9	69.5
4-1-2-1 Mid Pacific Crack Spread (1)	\$7.93	\$7.46	\$8.93	\$6.80
Mid Pacific Crude Oil Differential (2)	\$(0.56)	\$(0.85)	\$(1.43)	\$(0.63)
Gross refining margin per bbl (\$/throughput bbl) (3)	\$10.72	\$1.65	\$8.80	\$2.13
Production costs before DD&A expense per barrel (\$/throughput bbl) (4)	\$4.18	\$5.47	\$3.80	\$4.69
Net operating margin per bbl (\$/throughput bbl) (5)	\$6.54	\$(3.82)	\$5.00	\$(2.56)
<b>Retail Segment</b>				
Retail sales volumes (thousands of gallons)	23,247	13,087	58,034	36,687

(1) The profitability of our Hawaii business is heavily influenced by crack spreads in both the Singapore and West Coast markets. These markets reflect the closest, liquid market alternatives to source refined products for Hawaii. We believe the Singapore 4-1-2-1 crack spread (or four barrels of Brent crude converted into one barrel of gasoline, two barrels of distillate (gasoil and jet fuel), and one barrel of fuel oil) best reflects a market indicator for our operations. However, a portion of our sales reference the West Coast market. Calculated using a ratio of 80% Singapore and 20% San Francisco indexes.

(2) Weighted average differentials, excluding shipping costs, of a blend of crudes with an API of 31.98 and sulphur wt% of 0.65% that is indicative of our typical crude oil mix quality compared to Brent crude.

(3) Management uses gross refining margin per barrel to evaluate performance and compare profitability to other companies in the industry. There are a variety of ways to calculate gross refining margin per barrel; different companies within the industry may calculate it in different ways. We calculate gross refining margin per barrel by dividing gross refining margin

(revenues less feedstocks, purchased refined products, refinery fuel burn, and transportation and distribution costs) by total refining throughput.

- (4) Management uses production costs before DD&A expense per barrel to evaluate performance and compare efficiency to other companies in the industry. There are a variety of ways to calculate production cost before DD&A expense per barrel; different companies within the industry calculate it in different ways. We calculate production costs before DD&A expense per barrel by dividing all direct production costs by total refining throughput.
- (5) Calculated as gross refining margin less production costs before DD&A expense.

#### **Non-GAAP Performance Measures**

Management uses certain non-GAAP financial measures to evaluate our operating performance. These measures should not be considered a substitute for, or superior to, measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP, and our calculations thereof may not be comparable to similarly entitled measures reported by other companies.

##### ***Gross Margin***

Gross margin is defined as revenues less cost of revenues. We believe gross margin is an important measure of operating performance and provides useful information to investors because it eliminates the impact of volatile market prices on revenues and demonstrates the earnings potential of the business before other fixed and variable costs. In order to assess our operating performance, we compare our gross margin to industry gross margin benchmarks.

Gross margin should not be considered an alternative to operating income (loss), net cash flows from operating activities, or any other measure of financial performance or liquidity presented in accordance with GAAP. Gross margin presented by other companies may not be comparable to our presentation since each company may define this term differently.

The following table presents a reconciliation of gross margin to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, operating income (loss), on a historical basis for the periods indicated (in thousands):

	<b>Three Months Ended September 30,</b>	
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>
<b>Gross Margin</b>		
Refining and distribution	\$ 72,463	\$ 10,408
Retail	20,779	10,984
Commodity marketing and logistics	(2,892)	789
Natural gas and oil	—	1,667
Total gross margin	90,350	23,848
Operating expense, excluding depreciation, depletion, and amortization expense	38,047	42,729
Lease operating expense	1,575	1,204
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	4,596	3,918
Impairment expense	9,639	—
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	624
General and administrative expense	9,939	8,115
Acquisition and integration costs	280	3,856
Total operating expenses	64,076	60,446
Operating income (loss)	\$ 26,274	\$ (36,598)

	<b>Nine Months Ended September 30,</b>	
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>
<b>Gross Margin</b>		
Refining and distribution	\$ 183,437	\$ 39,985
Retail	50,708	26,828
Commodity marketing and logistics	(1,147)	4,985
Natural gas and oil	2,185	5,083
Total gross margin	235,183	76,881
Operating expense, excluding depreciation, depletion, and amortization expense	102,798	109,897
Lease operating expense	4,614	3,963
Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	12,852	10,269
Impairment expense	9,639	—
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	624
General and administrative expense	31,878	18,782
Acquisition and integration costs	1,811	9,126
Total operating expenses	163,592	152,661
Operating income (loss)	\$ 71,591	\$ (75,780)

***Adjusted Net Income (Loss) and Adjusted EBITDA***

Adjusted Net Income (Loss) is defined as net income (loss) excluding changes in the value of contingent consideration and common stock warrants, acquisition and integration expenses, lower of cost or market adjustments, our inventory valuation adjustment, unrealized (gains) losses on derivatives and gains (losses) on sales of assets. Adjusted EBITDA is Adjusted Net Income excluding interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, and equity (earnings) losses from Laramie Energy Company. We believe Adjusted Net Income (Loss) and Adjusted EBITDA are useful supplemental financial measures to assess:

- The financial performance of our assets without regard to financing methods, capital structure or historical cost basis;
- The ability of our assets to generate cash to pay interest on our indebtedness; and
- Our operating performance and return on invested capital as compared to other companies without regard to financing methods and capital structure.

Adjusted Net Income (Loss) and Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for operating income (loss), net income (loss), cash flows provided by operating, investing and financing activities, or other income or cash flow statement data prepared in accordance with GAAP.

The following table presents a reconciliation of Adjusted Net Income (Loss) and Adjusted EBITDA to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, net income (loss), on a historical basis for the periods indicated (in thousands):

	<b>Three Months Ended September 30,</b>	
	<b>2015</b>	<b>2014</b>
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 34,342	\$ (28,364)
Income tax benefit (expense)	(174)	150
Equity earnings (losses) from Laramie Energy Company	(1,355)	835
Interest expense and financing costs, net	(4,387)	(7,076)
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(4,596)	(3,918)
Adjusted Net Income (Loss)	23,830	(38,373)
Impairment expense	(9,639)	—
Change in value of contingent consideration	(4,255)	996
Change in value of common stock warrants	(1,023)	2,401
Release of valuation allowance due to Mid Pac Acquisition	(295)	—
Acquisition and integration expense	(280)	(3,856)
Lower of cost or market adjustment	(2,628)	—
Unrealized loss on derivatives	(4,360)	—
Inventory valuation adjustment	13,390	—
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	(624)
Net income (loss)	\$ 14,740	\$ (39,456)

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2015	2014
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 87,583	\$ (56,065)
Income tax benefit (expense)	(217)	113
Equity earnings (losses) from Laramie Energy Company	(6,131)	1,374
Interest expense and financing costs, net	(15,769)	(13,980)
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(12,852)	(10,269)
Adjusted Net Income (Loss)	52,614	(78,827)
Impairment expense	(9,639)	—
Change in value of contingent consideration	(18,679)	5,758
Change in value of common stock warrants	(2,732)	4,118
Loss on termination of financing agreements	(19,229)	—
Release of valuation allowance due to Mid Pac Acquisition	18,290	—
Acquisition and integration expense	(1,811)	(9,126)
Lower of cost or market adjustment	(493)	—
Unrealized loss on derivatives	(4,786)	—
Inventory valuation adjustment	13,390	—
Loss on sale of assets, net	—	(624)
Net income (loss)	\$ 26,925	\$ (78,701)

## Discussion of Results of Operations

### *Three months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2014*

**Refining and Distribution Gross Margin.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, our refining and distribution gross margin was approximately \$72.5 million, an increase of \$62.1 million compared to \$10.4 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to improved crack spreads and lower production costs resulting from lower crude oil prices. In addition, the third quarter of 2015 had higher sales volume and a higher percentage of sales of higher margin products, particularly jet fuel and gasoline, compared to the third quarter of 2014.

**Retail Gross Margin.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, our retail gross margin was approximately \$20.8 million, an increase of \$9.8 million compared to \$11.0 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to the acquisition of Mid Pac on April 1, 2015.

**Commodity, Marketing and Logistics Gross Margin.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, our commodity, marketing, and logistics gross margin was a loss of \$2.9 million, a decrease of \$3.7 million when compared to \$0.8 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily lower margins available for moving crude oil from Canada to the U. S. gulf coast due to market conditions.

**Natural Gas and Oil Gross Margin.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, our natural gas and oil gross margin was nil, a decrease of \$1.7 million compared to \$1.7 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily due to shutting in operations at the Point Arguello Unit in offshore California during the third quarter of 2015.

**Operating Expense.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, operating expense was approximately \$39.6 million, a decrease of \$4.3 million when compared to \$43.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily due to lower energy costs resulting from lower crude oil prices.

**Depreciation, Depletion, and Amortization.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, DD&A expense was approximately \$4.6 million, an increase of \$0.7 million compared to \$3.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to depreciation, depletion, and amortization of assets acquired as part of the Mid Pac acquisition on April 1, 2015.

**Impairment expense.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, we recorded impairment charges of \$7.0 million and \$2.6 million related to goodwill and intangible assets in our Commodity Marketing and Logistics reporting unit, respectively. There was no impairment expense during the three months ended September 30, 2014.

**Loss on sale of assets, net.** For the three months ended September 30, 2014, loss on sale of assets, net was approximately \$624 thousand. The 2014 loss was due to selling oilfield equipment within our natural gas and oil operations segment.

**General and Administrative Expense.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, general and administrative expense was approximately \$9.9 million, an increase of \$1.8 million when compared to \$8.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to an increase in compensation and consulting costs. The increase in compensation costs is due to building our back office support as we exited the Transition Services Agreement with Tesoro. Previously the costs incurred under the Transition Services Agreement were included in Acquisition and integration expense. In 2014, our consulting costs primarily related to acquisition and integration activities; however, in 2015, our consulting costs are included in general and administrative expense as they primarily relate to system modifications and process improvements related to the Supply and Offtake Agreements.

**Acquisition and Integration Costs.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, acquisition and integration costs were approximately \$0.3 million, a decrease of \$3.6 million when compared to \$3.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily due to no costs related to the integration of HIE in the three months ended September 30, 2015 partially offset by costs incurred for the integration of Mid Pac.

**Interest Expense and Financing Costs, Net.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, our interest expense and financing costs were approximately \$4.4 million, a decrease of \$2.7 million when compared to \$7.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease was due to approximately \$1.8 million of financing costs associated with the termination of the Bridge Loan recorded during the three months ended September 30, 2014. In addition, we began paying cash for interest on the Term Loan during 2015 rather than paying interest in kind which reduced the interest rate on the Term Loan by two percent.

**Change in Value of Common Stock Warrants.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, the change in value of common stock warrants resulted in a loss of approximately \$1.0 million, a change of \$3.4 million when compared to a gain of \$2.4 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. For the three months ended September 30, 2015, our stock price increased from \$18.72 per share as of June 30, 2015 to \$20.83 per share as of September 30, 2015 which resulted in an increase in the fair value of the common stock warrants. During the three months ended September 30, 2014, our stock price decreased from \$20.25 as of June 30, 2014 to \$16.85 at September 30, 2014.

**Change in Value of Contingent Consideration.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, the change in value of our contingent consideration liability resulted in a loss of approximately \$4.3 million, a change of \$5.3 million when compared to a gain of \$1.0 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The contingent consideration relates to the acquisition of HIE which occurred on September 25, 2013, and the change in value during the three months ended September 30, 2015 is due to an increase in our expected cash flows related to HIE during the contingency period and actual results.

**Equity Losses From Laramie Energy Company.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, losses from Laramie were approximately \$1.4 million, a change of \$2.2 million compared to earnings of \$835 thousand for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The loss is primarily due to lower sales prices for natural gas and condensate.

**Income Taxes.** For the three months ended September 30, 2015, we recorded an expense of \$295 thousand due to an increase in the valuation allowance resulting from adjustments to the Mid Pac purchase price allocation. Excluding the impact of the increase in the valuation allowance related to the Mid Pac deferred tax liability, we recorded a state tax expense of \$174 thousand, a slight increase when compared to \$150 thousand of state tax benefit for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The federal tax benefit or expense related to normal operations is generally offset by changes in the valuation allowance related to our NOL carryforwards.

**Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income (Loss).** For the three months ended September 30, 2015 Adjusted EBITDA was \$34.3 million compared to a \$28.4 million loss for the three months ended September 30, 2014. For the three months ended September 30, 2015, Adjusted Net Income (Loss) was \$23.8 million when compared to a \$38.4 million loss for the three months ended September 30, 2014. The change is primarily related to improved crack spreads and lower energy costs resulting from lower crude oil prices.



*Nine months ended September 30, 2015 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2014*

**Refining and Distribution Gross Margin.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, our refining and distribution gross margin was approximately \$183.4 million, an increase of \$143.5 million compared to \$40.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to an increase in sales volumes of approximately 11 percent, primarily on island, due to successful marketing efforts throughout 2014, the impact of our supply agreement with Mid Pac effective January 1, 2015, which was terminated in connection with the closing of the acquisition on April 1, 2015, and lower production costs due to lower crude oil prices. In addition, the first nine months of 2015 had a higher percentage of sales of higher margin products, particularly jet fuel and gasoline, compared to the first nine of 2014.

**Retail Gross Margin.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, our retail gross margin was approximately \$50.7 million, an increase of \$23.9 million compared to \$26.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to the acquisition of Mid Pac on April 1, 2015 which contributed to higher sales volumes.

**Commodity, Marketing and Logistics Gross Margin.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, our commodity, marketing, and logistics gross margin was a loss of \$1.1 million, a decrease of \$6.1 million when compared to \$5.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily due to lower rail car revenues, lower margins available for moving crude oil from Canada to the U. S. gulf coast due to market conditions and lower pipeline revenues due to the expiration of certain contracts.

**Natural Gas and Oil Gross Margin.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, our natural gas and oil gross margin was approximately \$2.2 million, a decrease of \$2.9 million when compared to \$5.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily related to lower commodity prices as a result of market factors and shutting in of operations at the Point Arguello Unit in offshore California during the third quarter of 2015.

**Operating Expense.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, operating expense was approximately \$107.4 million, a decrease of \$6.4 million compared to \$113.9 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily due to lower energy costs resulting from lower crude oil prices.

**Depreciation, Depletion, and Amortization.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, DD&A expense was approximately \$12.9 million, an increase of \$2.6 million compared to \$10.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to depreciation, depletion, and amortization of assets acquired as part of the Mid Pac acquisition on April 1, 2015.

**Impairment expense.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, we recorded impairment charges of \$7.0 million and \$2.6 million related to goodwill and intangible assets in our Commodity Marketing and Logistics reporting unit, respectively. There was no impairment expense during the nine months ended September 30, 2014.

**Loss on sale of assets, net.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2014, loss on sale of assets, net was approximately \$624 thousand. The prior period loss is the result of selling oilfield equipment within our natural gas and oil operations segment.

**General and Administrative Expense.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, general and administrative expense was approximately \$31.9 million, an increase of \$13.1 million when compared to \$18.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The increase is primarily due to an increase in compensation and consulting costs. The increase in compensation costs is due to building our back office support as we exited the Transition Services Agreement with Tesoro. Previously the costs incurred under the Transition Services Agreement were included in Acquisition and integration expense. In 2014, our consulting costs primarily related to acquisition and integration activities; however, in 2015, our consulting costs are included in general and administrative expense as they primarily relate to system modifications and process improvements related to the Supply and Offtake Agreements.

**Acquisition and Integration Costs.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, acquisition and integration costs were approximately \$1.8 million, a decrease of \$7.3 million when compared to \$9.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The decrease is primarily due to no costs related to the integration of HIE in the nine months ended September 30, 2015 partially offset by costs incurred for the Mid Pac acquisition and integration.

**Interest Expense and Financing Costs, Net.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, our interest expense and financing costs were approximately \$15.8 million, an increase of \$1.8 million when compared to \$14.0 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014. The increase was due to a higher outstanding debt balance during the period.

**Change in Value of Common Stock Warrants.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, the change in value of common stock warrants resulted in a loss of approximately \$2.7 million, a change of \$6.9 million when compared to a gain of

\$4.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 . For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , our stock price increased from \$16.25 per share as of December 31, 2014 to \$20.83 per share as of September 30, 2015 which resulted in an increase in the fair value of the common stock warrants. During the nine months ended September 30, 2014 , our stock price decreased from \$22.30 per share on December 31, 2013 to \$20.25 per share on September 30, 2014 which resulted in a decrease in the value of the common stock warrants.

**Change in Value of Contingent Consideration .** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , the change in value of our contingent consideration liability resulted in a loss of approximately \$18.7 million , a change of \$24.4 million when compared to a gain of \$5.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 . The contingent consideration relates to the acquisition of HIE which occurred on September 25, 2013, and the change in value during the nine months ended September 30, 2015 is due to an increase in our expected cash flows related to HIE during the contingency period based on our actual results.

**Loss on Termination of Financing Agreements.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , our loss on the termination of financing agreements was approximately \$19.2 million , which includes a loss of \$17.4 million on the termination of the Barclays Supply and Exchange Agreement and a loss of \$1.8 million on the termination of the HIE ABL. The loss of \$17.4 million on the termination of the Supply and Exchange Agreement consists of a loss of \$13.3 million for the cash settlement value of the liability and a loss of \$5.6 million for the acceleration of deferred financing costs, partially offset by a \$1.5 million exit fee received from Barclays. The loss on the termination of the HIE ABL consists of the accelerated amortization of deferred financing costs.

**Equity Losses From Laramie Energy Company .** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , losses from Laramie were approximately \$6.1 million , a change of \$7.5 million compared to earnings of \$1.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 . The loss is primarily due to lower sales prices for natural gas and condensate.

**Income Taxes.** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , we recorded a benefit for the release of \$18.3 million of our valuation allowance as we expect to be able to utilize a portion of our net operating loss ("NOL") carryforwards to offset future taxable income of Mid Pac. Excluding the impact of releasing the valuation allowance related to the Mid Pac deferred tax liability, state tax expense was approximately \$217 thousand , a slight increase when compared to \$113 thousand of state tax benefit for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 .

**Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Net Income (Loss).** For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 Adjusted EBITDA was \$87.6 million compared to a \$56.1 million loss for the three months ended September 30, 2014 . For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 , Adjusted Net Income (Loss) was \$52.6 million compared to a \$78.8 million loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 . The change is primarily related to improved crack spreads and lower energy costs resulting from lower crude oil prices.

#### Liquidity and Capital Resources

Our liquidity and capital requirements are primarily a function of our debt maturities and debt service requirements, fixed capacity payments and contractual obligations, capital expenditures and working capital needs. Examples of working capital needs include purchases and sales of commodities and associated margin and collateral requirements, facility maintenance costs and other costs such as payroll. Our primary sources of liquidity are cash flows from operations, cash on hand, amounts available under our credit agreements, and access to capital markets.

The following table summarizes our liquidity position as of October 29, 2015 and September 30, 2015 (in thousands):

October 29, 2015	HIE	HIE Retail	Mid Pac	Texadian	Corporate and Other	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 60,379	\$ 10,408	\$ 12,558	\$ 13,832	\$ 3,308	\$ 100,485
Revolver availability	—	—	—	17,351	—	17,351
Mid Pac Revolver availability	—	—	5,000	—	—	5,000
Deferred Payment Arrangement availability	40,398	—	—	—	—	40,398
Total available liquidity	\$ 100,777	\$ 10,408	\$ 17,558	\$ 31,183	\$ 3,308	\$ 163,234

September 30, 2015	HIE	HIE Retail	Mid Pac	Texadian	Corporate and Other	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 63,725	\$ 8,693	\$ 11,441	\$ 12,173	\$ 5,809	\$ 101,841
Revolver availability	—	—	—	18,278	—	18,278
Mid Pac Revolver availability	—	—	5,000	—	—	5,000
Deferred Payment Arrangement availability	27,531	—	—	—	—	27,531
<b>Total available liquidity</b>	<b>\$ 91,256</b>	<b>\$ 8,693</b>	<b>\$ 16,441</b>	<b>\$ 30,451</b>	<b>\$ 5,809</b>	<b>\$ 152,650</b>

The change in our liquidity position from September 30, 2015 to October 29, 2015 was primarily attributable to operating results for the period and normal working capital changes.

As of September 30, 2015, we had access to the J. Aron Deferred Payment Arrangement, the Mid Pac Revolving Credit Facility, the Texadian Uncommitted Credit Agreement and cash on hand of \$101.8 million. In addition, we have the Supply and Offtake Agreements with J. Aron, which are used to finance the majority of the inventory of our refinery. Generally, the primary uses of our capital resources have been in the operations of our refining and distribution segment, our retail segment, our commodity marketing and logistics segment, payments related to the acquisition of Mid Pac, cash capital contributions to Laramie and payments of operating expenses related to our natural gas and oil assets.

We believe our cash flows from operations and available capital resources will be sufficient to meet our current capital expenditures, working capital and debt service requirements for the next 12 months. Additionally, we may seek to raise additional debt or equity capital to fund any other significant changes to our business or to refinance existing debt. We cannot offer any assurances that such capital will be available in sufficient amounts or at an acceptable cost.

### Cash Flows

The following table summarizes cash activities for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014 (in thousands):

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2015	2014
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ 144,346	\$ (76,679)
Net cash used in investing activities	\$ (107,746)	\$ (16,725)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	\$ (23,969)	\$ 152,779

Net cash provided by operating activities was approximately \$144.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015, which resulted from net income of approximately \$26.9 million, non-cash charges to operations of approximately \$70.9 million and net cash provided by changes in operating assets and liabilities of approximately \$46.5 million. Net cash used in operating activities was approximately \$76.7 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014, which resulted from a net loss of approximately \$78.7 million offset by non-cash charges to operations of approximately \$13.9 million and net cash used for changes in operating assets and liabilities of approximately \$11.9 million.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, net cash used in investing activities was approximately \$107.7 million and primarily related to \$64.4 million for the acquisition of Mid Pac, an investment in Laramie of \$27.5 million and additions to property and equipment totaling approximately \$15.9 million. Net cash used in investing activities was approximately \$16.7 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 and was primarily related to the Mid Pac acquisition deposit of \$10 million and additions to property and equipment of approximately \$6.1 million.

Net cash used in financing activities for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 was approximately \$24.0 million and consisted primarily of net repayments of borrowings and payments of loan costs of approximately \$29.2 million, and net repayments of the deferred payment arrangement of \$8.5 million. These repayments were partially offset by net cash proceeds of \$13.2 million due to the change in the inventory financing agreements from the Barclays Supply and Exchange Agreement to the J. Aron Supply and Offtake Agreements. Net cash provided by financing activities for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 was approximately \$152.8 million and consisted of \$47.2 million in proceeds from the Supply and Exchange Agreements to fund a deposit with a crude oil supplier, \$13.2 million borrowed under the Term Loan used to fund the Mid Pac acquisition deposit, and incremental borrowings under the ABL Facility and the Retail Revolver.

## **Capital Expenditures**

Our capital expenditures excluding acquisitions for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 totaled approximately \$15.9 million and were primarily related to our refinery and information technology systems. Our total capital expenditure budget for 2015 ranges from \$45 to \$50 million and primarily relates to projects to improve our refinery reliability and efficiency, upgrades to our information technology systems, and approximately \$28 million for investments in Laramie. The investments in Laramie were made during the first half of 2015.

Additional capital may be required to maintain our interests at our Point Arguello Unit offshore California, but production is not economic in the current low-price environment and we are not able to estimate the amount of any potential capital requirement. We also continue to seek strategic investments in business opportunities, but the amount and timing of those investments are not predictable.

## **Commitments and Contingencies**

### ***Supply and Offtake Agreements***

On June 1, 2015, we entered into several agreements with J. Aron & Company ("J. Aron") to support the operations of our refinery, (the "Supply and Offtake Agreements"). The Supply and Offtake Agreements have a term of three years and two one-year extension options at the mutual agreement of the parties. Please read Note 7—Inventory Financing Agreements for more information.

### ***Consent Decree***

Tesoro is currently negotiating a Consent Decree with the EPA and the United States Department of Justice concerning alleged violations of the federal Clean Air Act related to the ownership and operation of multiple facilities owned or formerly owned by Tesoro and its affiliates, including our refinery. It is anticipated that the Consent Decree will be finalized sometime during 2015 and will require certain capital improvements to our refinery to reduce emissions of air pollutants.

We estimate the cost of compliance with the final Consent Decree could be \$20 million to \$25 million. However, Tesoro is responsible under the Environmental Agreement for reimbursing HIE for all reasonable third-party capital expenditures incurred for the construction, installation, and commissioning of such capital projects and for the payment of any fines or penalties imposed on HIE arising from the Consent Decree to the extent related to acts or omission of Tesoro or HIE prior to the Closing Date. Tesoro's obligation to reimburse HIE for such fines and penalties is not subject to a monetary limitation; however, the obligation relating to fines and penalties terminates on the third anniversary of the Closing Date. Please read Note 10—Commitments and Contingencies for more information.

## **Forward Looking Statements**

Certain statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q may constitute "forward-looking" statements as defined in Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Securities Act"), Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act"), the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 ("PSLRA"), or in releases made by the SEC, all as may be amended from time to time. Such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other important factors including, without limitation, our beliefs with regard to available capital resources, our beliefs regarding the likelihood or impact of any potential fines or penalties and of the fair value of certain assets, and our expectations with respect to laws and regulations, including environmental regulations and related compliance costs, and any fines or penalties related thereto; Tesoro's ability to finalize the Consent Decree; our expectations regarding anticipated capital improvements; anticipated results of the Mid Pac earn out and indemnity dispute; estimated costs of compliance with the final Tesoro Consent Decree; the estimated value of legal claims remaining to be settled against third parties; management's assumptions about future events; our ability to raise additional debt or equity capital; our ability to make strategic investments in business opportunities; and the estimates, assumptions, and projections regarding future financial condition, results of operations, liquidity, and cost flows. These and other forward looking-statements

could cause the actual results, performance or achievements of Par and its subsidiaries to differ materially from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Statements that are not historical fact are forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements can be identified by, among other things, the use of forward-looking language, such as the words “plan,” “believe,” “expect,” “anticipate,” “intend,” “estimate,” “project,” “may,” “will,” “would,” “could,” “should,” “seeks,” or “scheduled to,” or other similar words, or the negative of these terms or other variations of these terms or comparable language, or by discussion of strategy or intentions. These cautionary statements are being made pursuant to the Securities Act, the Exchange Act and the PSLRA with the intention of obtaining the benefits of the “safe harbor” provisions of such laws.

The forward-looking statements contained in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q are largely based on our expectations, which reflect estimates and assumptions made by our management. These estimates and assumptions reflect our best judgment based on currently known market conditions and other factors. Although we believe such estimates and assumptions to be reasonable, they are inherently uncertain and involve a number of risks and uncertainties that are beyond our control, including those set out in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K under "Risk Factors."

In addition, management’s assumptions about future events may prove to be inaccurate. All readers are cautioned that the forward-looking statements contained in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q are not guarantees of future performance, and we cannot assure any reader that such statements will be realized or that the forward-looking events and circumstances will occur. Actual results may differ materially from those anticipated or implied in the forward-looking statements due to factors described above and under Critical Accounting Policies and Risk Factors included in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and under Risk Factors in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. All forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made. We do not intend to update or revise any forward-looking statements as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. These cautionary statements qualify all forward-looking statements attributable to us or persons acting on our behalf.

### **Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk**

#### *Commodity Price Risk*

Our earnings, cash flow and liquidity are significantly affected by a variety of factors beyond our control, including the supply of, and demand for, crude oil, other feedstocks, refined products and natural gas. The supply of and demand for these commodities depend on, among other factors, changes in domestic and foreign economies, weather conditions, domestic and foreign political affairs, planned and unplanned downtime in refineries, pipelines and production facilities, production levels, the availability of imports, the marketing of competitive and alternative fuels, and the extent of government regulation. As a result, the prices of these commodities can be volatile. Our revenues fluctuate significantly with movements in industry refined product prices and our cost of revenues fluctuates significantly with movements in crude oil and feedstock prices. Assuming all other factors remain constant, a \$1 per barrel change in average gross refining margins, based on our quarter-to-date throughput of 73.5 thousand barrels per day, would change annualized operating income by approximately \$26.5 million . This analysis may differ from actual results.

In order to manage commodity price risks, we utilize exchange-traded futures, options, and OTC swaps to manage commodity price risks associated with:

- the difference between the prices for which we sell our refined products and the prices we pay for crude oil and other feed stocks;
- our refined products inventory outside of the Supply and Offtake Agreements;
- our fuel requirements for our refinery;
- our exposure to crude oil price volatility in our commodity marketing and logistics segment.

Our Supply and Offtake Agreements with J.Aron require us to hedge our exposure based on the time spread between the period between crude oil cargo pricing and the expected delivery month. We manage this exposure by entering into swaps with J.Aron. Please read Note 7—Inventory Financing Agreements for more information.

All of our futures and OTC swaps are executed to economically hedge our physical commodity purchases, sales, and inventory. Our open futures and OTC swaps expire at various dates through November 30, 2015. At September 30, 2015 , these open commodity derivative contracts represent:

- Futures sales of 20 thousand barrels that economically hedge our forecasted sales of refined products;
- Purchased OTC Swaps of 357 thousand barrels and sold OTC Swaps of 357 thousand barrels (for different contract months) that economically hedge our refined products inventory; and
- Futures sales of 225 thousand barrels that economically hedge our physical inventory for our marketing and logistics business.

Based on our net open positions at September 30, 2015 , a \$1 change in the price of crude oil, assuming all other factors remain constant, would change the fair value of our derivative instruments and cost of revenues by approximately \$250 thousand .

Our predominant variable operating cost is the cost of fuel consumed in the refining process, which is included in Cost of revenues on our consolidated statement of operations. Assuming normal operating conditions, we consume approximately 75 thousand barrels a month of crude oil during the refining process. We have economically hedged our internally consumed fuel cost using costless collars. These options have a weighted average strike price ranging from a floor of \$56.88 per barrel to a ceiling of \$65.97 per barrel. We have economically hedged consumed fuel volumes of 52 thousand barrels per month through December 2016 ; 35 thousand barrels per month for the first quarter of 2017 ; and 25 thousand barrels per month for the remainder of 2017 .

#### *Compliance Program Price Risk*

We are exposed to market risks related to the volatility in the price of RINs required to comply with the Renewable Fuel Standard. Our overall RINs obligation is based on a percentage of our domestic shipments of on-road fuels as established by the EPA. To the degree we are unable to blend the required amount of biofuels to satisfy our RINs obligation, we must purchase RINs on the open market. To mitigate the impact of this risk on our results of operations and cash flows we may purchase RINs when the price of these instruments is deemed favorable. Some of these contracts are derivative instruments, however, we elect the NPNS exception and do not record these contracts at their fair values.

#### *Interest Rate Risk*

As of September 30, 2015 , \$76 million of outstanding debt was subject to floating interest rates. We also have interest rate exposure in connection with our liability under the J. Aron Supply and Offtake Agreements, for which we pay a charge based on a 3-month LIBOR. An increase of 1% in the variable rate on

our indebtedness, after considering the instruments subject to minimum interest rates, would result in an increase to our cost of revenues and interest expense of approximately \$2.6 million per year and \$0.9 million , respectively.

#### *Credit Risk*

We are subject to risk of losses resulting from nonpayment or nonperformance by our counterparties. We will continue to closely monitor the creditworthiness of customers to whom we grant credit and establish credit limits in accordance with our credit policy.

### **Item 4. Controls and Procedures**

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

In connection with the preparation of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, as of September 30, 2015 , an evaluation was performed under the supervision and with the participation of the Company's management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act. Based on that evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer concluded that as of September 30, 2015 , these disclosure controls and procedures were effective and designed to ensure that the information required to be disclosed in our reports filed with the SEC is recorded, processed, summarized and reported on a timely basis and accumulated and communicated to management as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding disclosure.

#### **Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

There were no changes during the quarter ended September 30, 2015 in our internal control over financial reporting that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financing reporting.

## **PART II – OTHER INFORMATION**

### **Item 1. Legal Proceedings**

From time to time, we may be involved in litigation relating to claims arising out of our operations in the normal course of our business. Please read Note 10—Commitments and Contingencies to our unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements for more information.

### ***Kawaihae Loading Rack***

On October 9, 2014, Mid Pac received a notice from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (the "EPA") alleging that Mid Pac had violated the Clean Air Act at its terminal located in Kawaihae, Hawaii by "failing to equip its loading rack with pollution controls" and by "failing to limit emissions from its loading rack," and advising Mid Pac that the matter had been referred to the United States Department of Justice ("DOJ"). The DOJ has proposed civil penalties of approximately \$700 thousand. Subsequently, Mid Pac and the DOJ entered into a tolling agreement to facilitate settlement discussions. Mid Pac disputes the EPA's allegations. On April 1, 2015, we acquired Mid Pac. Mid Pac, EPA and DOJ have tentatively agreed to resolve the fines and penalties for \$200 thousand, which agreement is subject to final documentation.

### **Item 1A. Risk Factors**

Except as set forth below, there have been no material changes from the risk factors included under Part I, Item 1A of the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2014.

***If we are unable to obtain our crude oil supply without the benefit of our supply and offtake agreements with J. Aron, the capital required to finance our crude oil supply could negatively impact our liquidity.***

All of the crude oil delivered at our refinery is subject to our supply and offtake agreements with J. Aron. If we are unable to obtain our crude oil supply outside these agreements, our exposure to crude oil pricing risks may increase as the number of days between when we pay for the crude oil and when the crude oil is delivered to us increases. Such increased exposure could negatively impact our liquidity position due to the increase in working capital used to acquire crude oil inventory for our refinery.

***Our arrangement with J. Aron exposes us to J. Aron related credit and performance risk.***

We have supply and offtake agreements with J. Aron, pursuant to which J. Aron will intermediate crude oil supplies and refined product inventories at our refinery. J. Aron will own all of the crude oil in our tanks and substantially all of our refined product inventories prior to our sale of the inventories. Upon termination of the supply and offtake agreements, which may be terminated by J. Aron as early as May 31, 2018, we are obligated to repurchase all crude oil and refined product inventories then owned by J. Aron and located at the specified storage facilities at then current market prices. Relying on J. Aron's ability to honor its supply and offtake obligations exposes us to J. Aron's credit and business risks. An adverse change in J. Aron's business, results of operations, liquidity or financial condition could adversely affect its ability to perform its obligations, which could consequently have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations or liquidity and, as a result, our business and operating results. In addition, we may be required to use substantial capital to repurchase crude oil and refined product inventories from J. Aron upon termination of the agreements, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, results of operations or financial condition.

### **Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds**

#### ***Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities***

There were no sales of equity securities during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 that were not registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

#### ***Dividends***

We have not paid dividends on our common stock, and we do not expect to do so in the foreseeable future. Our current debt agreements restrict the payment of dividends. In addition, as long as any obligations remain outstanding under the Term Loan, we are prohibited from paying dividends.

#### ***Stock Repurchases***

The following table sets forth certain information with respect to repurchases of our common stock during the quarter ended September 30, 2015 :

Period	Total number of shares (or units) purchased <sup>(1)</sup>	Average price paid per share (or unit)	Total number of shares (or units) purchased as part of publicly announced plans or programs	Maximum number (or approximate dollar value) of shares (or units) that may yet be purchased under the plans or programs
July 1 - July 31, 2015	442	\$ 18.07	—	—
August 1 - August 31, 2015	164	18.10	—	—
September 1 - September 30, 2015	13,474	20.33	—	—
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,080</b>	<b>\$ 20.23</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> All shares repurchased were surrendered by employees to pay taxes withheld upon the vesting of restricted stock awards.

### Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

Not applicable.

### Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosure

Not applicable.

### Item 5. Other Information

None.

### Item 6. Exhibits

- 2.1 Third Amended Joint Chapter 11 Plan of Reorganization of Delta Petroleum Corporation and Its Debtor Affiliates dated August 13, 2012. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 7, 2012.
- 2.2 Contribution Agreement, dated as of June 4, 2012, among Piceance Energy, LLC, Laramie Energy, LLC and the Company. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on June 8, 2012.
- 2.3 Purchase and Sale Agreement dated as of December 31, 2012, by and among the Company, SEACOR Energy Holdings Inc., SEACOR Holdings Inc., and Gateway Terminals LLC. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on January 3, 2013.
- 2.4 Membership Interest Purchase Agreement dated as of June 17, 2013, by and among Tesoro Corporation, Tesoro Hawaii, LLC and Hawaii Pacific Energy, LLC Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.4 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2013, filed on August 14, 2013.
- 2.5 Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of June 2, 2014, by and among the Company, Bogey, Inc., Koko'oha Investments, Inc., and Bill D. Mills, in his capacity as the Shareholders' Representative. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.5 to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2014, filed on August 11, 2014.
- 2.6 Amendment to Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of September 9, 2014, by and among the Company, Bogey, Inc., Koko'oha Investments, Inc. and Bill D. Mills, in his capacity as the shareholders' representative. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 10, 2014.
- 2.7 Second Amendment to Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of December 31, 2014, by and among Par Petroleum Corporation, Bogey, Inc., Koko'oha Investments, Inc. and Bill D. Mills, in his capacity as the shareholder's representative. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on January 7, 2015.
- 2.8 Third Amendment to Agreement and Plan of Merger dated as of March 31, 2015, by and among the Company, Bogey, Inc., Koko'oha Investments, Inc. and Bill D. Mills, in his capacity as the shareholders' representative. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.4 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on April 2, 2015.
- 3.1 Restated Certificate of Incorporation of the Company dated October 20, 2015. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on October 20, 2015.
- 3.2 Second Amended and Restated Bylaws of the Company dated October 20, 2015. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.3 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on October 20, 2015.
- 4.1 Form of the Company's Common Stock Certificate. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on March 31, 2014.
- 4.2 Stockholders Agreement dated April 10, 2015. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on April 13, 2015.



- 4.3 Registration Rights Agreement effective as of August 31, 2012, by and among the Company, Zell Credit Opportunities Master Fund, L.P., Waterstone Capital Management, L.P., Pandora Select Partners, LP, Iam Mini-Fund 14 Limited, Whitebox Multi-Strategy Partners, LP, Whitebox Credit Arbitrage Partners, LP, HFR RVA Combined Master Trust, Whitebox Concentrated Convertible Arbitrage Partners, LP and Whitebox Asymmetric Partners, LP. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 7, 2012.
- 4.4 Registration Rights Agreement dated as of September 25, 2013, by and among the Company and the Purchasers party thereto. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 27, 2013.
- 4.5 Warrant Issuance Agreement dated as of August 31, 2012, by and among the Company and WB Delta, Ltd., Waterstone Offshore ER Fund, Ltd., Prime Capital Master SPC, GOT WAT MAC Segregated Portfolio, Waterstone Market Neutral MAC51, Ltd., Waterstone Market Neutral Master Fund, Ltd., Waterstone MF Fund, Ltd., Nomura Waterstone Market Neutral Fund, ZCOF Par Petroleum Holdings, L.L.C. and Highbridge International, LLC. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.4 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 7, 2012.
- 4.6 Form of Common Stock Purchase Warrant dated as of June 4, 2012. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.5 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on September 7, 2012.
- 4.7 Par Petroleum Corporation 2012 Long Term Incentive Plan. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-8 filed on December 21, 2012.
- 4.8 Form of Par Petroleum Corporation Shareholder Subscription Rights Certificate. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on July 22, 2014.
- 10.1 Employment Offer Letter with William C. Pate dated October 12, 2015. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed October 14, 2015.
- 10.2 Initial Award with William C. Pate dated October 12, 2015. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed October 14, 2015.
- 10.3 Amendment to Employment Offer Letter with Joseph Israel dated October 12, 2015. Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K filed October 14, 2015.
- 31.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. \*
- 31.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. \*
- 32.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350.\*
- 32.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350. \*
- 101.INS XBRL Instance Document.\*\*
- 101.SCH XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Documents.\*\*
- 101.CAL XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document.\*\*
- 101.LAB XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document.\*\*
- 101.PRE XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document.\*\*
- 101.DEF XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document.\*\*

\* Filed herewith.

\*\* These interactive data files are furnished and deemed not filed or part of a registration statement or prospectus for purposes of Sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, are deemed not filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and otherwise are not subject to liability under those sections.



**CERTIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) PROMULGATED UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED**

I, William Pate, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Par Pacific Holdings, Inc.;
  2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
  3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
  4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)), for the registrant and have:
    - a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
    - b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
    - c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
    - d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
  5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
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- a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  
- b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: November 5, 2015

/s/ William Pate

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William Pate

President and Chief Executive Officer

**CERTIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-14(a)/15d-14(a) PROMULGATED UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED**

I, Christopher Micklas, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Par Pacific Holdings, Inc.;
  2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
  3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
  4. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)), for the registrant and have:
    - a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
    - b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
    - c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
    - d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
  5. The registrant's other certifying officer(s) and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
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- a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  
- b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: November 5, 2015

/s/ Christopher Micklas

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Christopher Micklas

Chief Financial Officer

**CERTIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,  
AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906  
OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Par Pacific Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended September 30, 2015 (the "Report"), as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, I, William Pate, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that to my knowledge:

1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ William Pate

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William Pate

President and Chief Executive Officer

November 5, 2015



**CERTIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER  
PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350,  
AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906  
OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002**

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Par Pacific Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended September 30, 2015 (the "Report"), as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, I, Christopher Micklas, Chief Financial Officer of the Company, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that to my knowledge:

1. The Report fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
2. The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ Christopher Micklas

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Christopher Micklas

Chief Financial Officer

November 5, 2015