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December 22, 2008

Mr. Beau Brock  
St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital

RE: *2008 Valero Texas Open - Benefit for Children Golf Classic*

Dear Mr. Brock,

The Valero Texas Open Benefit for Children Golf Classic, a project of the Valero Energy Foundation, raises money for children's charities in the communities where Valero has major operations. The beneficiaries are nominated by Valero employees. An all-employee committee evaluates the charities and makes the final selection of agencies which they believe will provide benefits to disadvantaged or disabled children.

Congratulations! Your agency has been selected to receive funds this year from this event. A special ceremony will be held during the month of February which you will be invited to attend. Your check in the amount of \$60,000 will be presented to you at that time. I will be sending out an invitation within the next two weeks outlining the specifics of this ceremony. We hope you can attend. You will be encouraged to bring children from your agency benefiting from these funds.

Valero is most excited to be able to assist the children associated with your agency and look forward to seeing you in February.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Ralph Phillip'.

Ralph Phillip  
Vice President and Refinery General Manager

cc: ✓ Kent Oubre (Valero Nominating Employee)