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Dear Houston Chapter-API Member:

In commemoration of our 75th anniversary, the Houston Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute (API) cordially invites you to join us for an evening with Jack Gerard, President of the American Petroleum Institute. Mr. Gerard, headquartered in Washington DC, will bring us "A Message from Washington".

The event will be held at the Petroleum Club of Houston on Tuesday, April 20th, 2010, starting with cocktails at 6:00 p.m. Dinner will follow and Mr. Gerard will deliver his address at 7:30 p.m. and will entertain questions at the conclusion.

Please consider sponsoring a table for your management team to attend. Learn what we can do to energize our industry to address our priorities, our challenges and future opportunities. Sponsorship tables for ten are available from \$750.00 to \$2,500.00. Individual seating is available for \$100.00. These prices include cocktails and dinner. For reservations, complete the attached Reservation Form. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Offshore Energy Center and its missions.

We hope to make this an annual event and look forward to seeing you and your colleagues at what we believe will be a very informative evening.

Regards,

Bob Duran
 Event Chairman