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Re: API/IP-1581 5<sup>th</sup> Edition Qualifications

Velcon Filters, Inc. announces the successful completion of its latest API/IP 1581 5<sup>th</sup> Edition qualification test. The test was for a horizontal filter/separator vessel with a 2330 GPM flow rate, in Category C (Commercial), Type S. The specifications of the products tested are listed below:

HV4256 Category C, Type S, New Equipment, 2330 GPM  
17 x I-654C5TB Coalescers  
7 x SO-648V5 Separators

This event marked Velcon's ninth successful completion of 5<sup>th</sup> Edition qualification testing. Velcon Filters, Inc., in conjunction with Warner Lewis Jr. Industrie-Filter GmbH, has already been supplying 5<sup>th</sup> Edition vessels to Heathrow Airport in preparation for the new fuel facility there, and will soon be supplying vessels to the new Bangkok Airport being built later this year.

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