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FORM S-1
REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

PBF ENERGY INC.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation or Organization)

2911
(Primary Standard Industrial
Classification Code Number)

45-3763855
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification Number)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale of the securities to the public: As soon as practicable after the effective date of this Registration Statement.

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, check the following box.

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If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(d) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering.

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

Large Accelerated Filer Accelerated Filer Non-accelerated Filer Smaller Reporting Company
 (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

	Proposed Maximum			
Title of Each Class of Securities to be Registered	Amount to be Registered	Offering Price Per Share⁽²⁾	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price⁽²⁾	Amount of Registration Fee
Class A common stock, par value \$0.001 per share ⁽¹⁾	6,443,535 shares	\$22.20	\$143,046,477	\$19,512.00

- (1) This Registration Statement registers 6,443,535 shares of our Class A common stock, of which 6,440,000 shares of our Class A common stock are issuable upon the exchange of an equivalent number of Series A membership units of PBF Energy Company LLC. This Registration Statement also relates to such additional shares of Class A common stock as may be issued with respect to such shares of Class A common stock by way of a stock dividend, stock split or similar transaction.
- (2) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee under Rule 457(c) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), based on the average of high and low prices of the Class A common stock on August 16, 2013, as reported on the New York Stock Exchange.

The Registrant hereby amends this Registration Statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the Registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this Registration Statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act or until the Registration Statement shall become effective on such date as the Securities and Exchange Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

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The information in this preliminary prospectus is not complete and may be changed. These securities may not be sold until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This preliminary prospectus is not an offer to sell these securities and it is not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any jurisdiction where the offering is not permitted.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED AUGUST 20, 2013

Prospectus

6,443,535 Shares

Class A Common Stock

We are registering the resale from time to time by the selling stockholders identified in this prospectus or a supplement hereto of up to 6,443,535 shares of our Class A common stock, of which 6,440,000 shares of our Class A common stock are issuable upon the exchange of an equivalent number of Series A LLC Units of PBF Energy Company LLC and 3,535 shares of our Class A common stock are currently held by certain of the selling stockholders.

The selling stockholders may offer the shares from time to time as each selling stockholder may determine through public or private transactions or through other means described in the section entitled "Plan of Distribution" or in a supplement to this prospectus. Each selling stockholder may also sell shares under Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, if available, rather than under this prospectus. The registration of these shares for resale does not necessarily mean that the selling stockholders will sell any of their shares.

We will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale of these shares by the selling stockholders.

Our Class A common stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "PBF". The last reported sale price of our Class A common stock on the New York Stock Exchange on August 19, 2013 was \$22.02 per share.

Investing in our Class A common stock involves risks. See Risk Factors beginning on page 8.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities nor passed upon the accuracy or adequacy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

Prospectus dated _____, 2013

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We have not authorized anyone to provide any information other than that contained or incorporated by reference in this prospectus, any prospectus supplement or in any free writing prospectus prepared by or on behalf of us or to which we have referred you. We take no responsibility for, and can provide no assurance as to the reliability of, any other information that others may give you. We and the selling stockholders have not authorized any other person to provide you with different information. If anyone provides you with different or inconsistent information, you should not rely on it. This prospectus does not constitute an offer to sell, or solicitation of an offer to buy, these securities in any jurisdiction where such offer, sale or solicitation is not permitted. You should assume that the information appearing in this prospectus is accurate only as of the date on the front cover of this prospectus. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed since that date. This prospectus is an offer to sell only the shares offered hereby, but only under circumstances and in jurisdictions where it is lawful to do so.

For investors outside the United States: we have not done anything that would permit this offering or possession or distribution of this prospectus in any jurisdiction where action for that purpose is required, other than in the United States. Persons outside the United States who come into possession of this prospectus must inform themselves about, and observe any restrictions relating to, the offering of the shares of Class A common stock and the distribution of this prospectus outside the United States.

Unless otherwise indicated or the context otherwise requires, all financial data presented or incorporated by reference in this prospectus reflects the consolidated business and operations of PBF Energy Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries, and has been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America, or GAAP.

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

This prospectus is part of a registration statement on Form S-1 that we filed with the SEC using a shelf registration or continuous offering process. Under this shelf process, the selling stockholders may from time to time sell the shares of Class A common stock covered by this prospectus in one or more offerings. Additionally, under the shelf process, in certain circumstances, we may provide a prospectus supplement that will contain certain specific information about the terms of a particular offering by one or more of the selling stockholders. We may also provide a prospectus supplement to add information to, or update or change information contained in this prospectus. This prospectus incorporates by reference important information. You should read this prospectus and the information incorporated by reference before deciding to invest in shares of our Class A common stock. You may obtain this information without charge by following the instructions under *Where You Can Find More Information* appearing elsewhere in this prospectus.

INCORPORATION OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY REFERENCE

We file annual, quarterly and current reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. The SEC allows us to incorporate by reference information into this prospectus. This means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to another document filed separately with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be part of this prospectus, except for any information that is superseded by information that is included directly in this document.

This prospectus incorporates by reference the documents listed below that we have previously filed with the SEC and that are not included in or delivered with this document. They contain important information about us and our financial condition.

Our annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012, filed with the SEC on February 28, 2013 (our Form 10-K);

Our quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the quarters ended March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2013, filed with the SEC on May 9, 2013 and August 8, 2013, respectively (our Form 10-Qs);

Our current reports on Form 8-K, filed with the SEC on January 2, 2013, February 1, 2013, February 22, 2013, April 15, 2013, May 15, 2013, May 16, 2013 (including Exhibit 99.1 thereto), May 22, 2013 (including Exhibit 99.1 thereto), June 11, 2013 (including Exhibit 99.1 thereto) and July 1, 2013;

The description of our Class A common stock, which is contained in Item 1 of our registration statement on Form 8-A filed with the SEC on December 13, 2012; and

Our definitive proxy statement on Schedule 14A for our 2013 annual meeting of stockholders, filed with the SEC on March 29, 2013.

We will provide to each person, including any beneficial owner, to whom a prospectus is delivered, a copy of any or all of the reports or documents that have been incorporated by reference in this prospectus but not delivered with the prospectus free of charge upon written or oral request. Our filings with the SEC are available on our website at www.pbfenergy.com, in the SEC Filings subsection of the Investors section, as soon as reasonably practicable after they are filed with the SEC. The information that is contained on, or is or becomes accessible through, our website is not part of this prospectus. You may also obtain a copy of these filings at no cost by writing to us at the following address: PBF

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Energy Inc., One Sylvan Way, Second Floor, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054, Attn: Secretary, or telephoning us at (973) 455-7500.

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INDUSTRY AND MARKET DATA

This prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein include industry data and forecasts that we obtained from industry publications and surveys, public filings and internal company sources. Statements as to our ranking, market position and market estimates are based on independent industry publications, government publications, third party forecasts and management's good faith estimates and assumptions about our markets and our internal research. Although industry publications, surveys and forecasts generally state that the information contained therein has been obtained from sources believed to be reliable, we have not independently verified such third party information. While we are not aware of any misstatements regarding our market, industry or similar data presented herein, such data involves risks and uncertainties and is subject to change based on various factors, including those discussed under the headings "Forward-Looking Statements" and "Risk Factors" in this prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein.

This prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein contains certain information regarding refinery complexity as measured by the Nelson Complexity Index, which is calculated on an annual basis by data from the Oil and Gas Journal. Certain data presented in this prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein is from the Oil and Gas Journal Report dated December 5, 2011.

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PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

*This summary highlights selected information about our business and this offering and may not contain all of the information that may be important to you. You should read this entire prospectus and the information incorporated by reference into this prospectus carefully, including the information set forth under the section entitled **Risk Factors** in this prospectus and in our Form 10-K and Form 10-Qs filed with the SEC under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as well as our financial statements and related notes incorporated by reference in this prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein, before making an investment decision. This summary contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results may differ significantly from future results contemplated in the forward-looking statements as a result of factors such as those set forth in **Risk Factors** and **Forward-Looking Statements** in this prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein.*

*In this prospectus, unless the context otherwise requires, references to the **Company**, **we**, **our**, **us** or **PBF** refer to PBF Energy Inc., or PBF Energy, and, in each case, unless the context otherwise requires, its consolidated subsidiaries, including PBF Energy Company LLC, or PBF LLC, PBF Holding Company LLC, or PBF Holding, PBF Investments LLC, or PBF Investments, Toledo Refining Company LLC, or Toledo Refining, Paulsboro Refining Company LLC, or Paulsboro Refining, Delaware City Refining Company LLC, or Delaware City Refining and PBF Logistics LP.*

Our Company

We are one of the largest independent petroleum refiners and suppliers of unbranded transportation fuels, heating oil, petrochemical feedstocks, lubricants and other petroleum products in the United States. We sell our products throughout the Northeast and Midwest of the United States, as well as in other regions of the United States and Canada, and are able to ship products to other international destinations. We were formed in 2008 to pursue acquisitions of crude oil refineries and downstream assets in North America. We currently own and operate three domestic oil refineries and related assets, which we acquired in 2010 and 2011. Our refineries have a combined processing capacity, known as throughput, of approximately 540,000 barrels per day (bpd), and a weighted average Nelson Complexity Index of 11.3.

Our three refineries are located in Toledo, Ohio, Delaware City, Delaware and Paulsboro, New Jersey. Our Midcontinent refinery at Toledo processes light, sweet crude, has a throughput capacity of 170,000 bpd and a Nelson Complexity Index of 9.2. The majority of Toledo's WTI based crude is delivered via pipelines that originate in both Canada and the United States. Since our acquisition of Toledo in 2011, we have added additional truck and rail crude unloading capabilities that provide feedstock sourcing flexibility for the refinery and enables Toledo to run a more cost-advantaged crude slate. Our East Coast refineries at Delaware City and Paulsboro have a combined refining capacity of 370,000 bpd and Nelson Complexity Indices of 11.3 and 13.2, respectively. These high conversion refineries process primarily medium and heavy, sour crudes and have historically received the bulk of their feedstock via ships and barges on the Delaware River. In May 2012 we commenced crude shipments via rail into a newly developed crude rail unloading facility at our Delaware City refinery. Currently, crude delivered to this facility is consumed at our Delaware City refinery. In the future we plan to transport some of the crude delivered by rail from Delaware City via barge to our Paulsboro refinery. The Delaware City rail unloading facility allows our East Coast refineries to source WTI based crudes from Western Canada and the Midcontinent, which provides significant cost advantages versus traditional Brent based international crudes.

Our Corporate History and Structure

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We are a holding company and our primary asset is an equity interest in PBF LLC. As of August 15, 2013, this interest represented approximately 41.0% of the outstanding economic interests in PBF LLC. We are the sole

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managing member of PBF LLC and operate and control all of the business and affairs and consolidate the financial results of PBF LLC and its subsidiaries. PBF LLC is a holding company for the companies that directly or indirectly own and operate our business.

As of August 15, 2013, funds affiliated with The Blackstone Group L.P., or Blackstone, and First Reserve Management, L.P., or First Reserve, and our executive officers and directors and certain employees held 57,026,408 PBF LLC Series A Units (we refer to all of the holders of the PBF LLC Series A Units as the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy) and we owned 39,581,613 PBF LLC Series C Units, and the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy through their holdings of Class B common stock have approximately 59% of the voting power in us, and the holders of our issued and outstanding shares of our Class A common stock have approximately 41% of the voting power in us. As a result of their current ownership of the Class B common stock and the PBF LLC Series A Units, Blackstone and First Reserve continue to control us, and we in turn, as the sole managing member of PBF LLC, control PBF LLC and its subsidiaries. Certain of our officers hold PBF LLC Series B Units, which are profits interest that had no taxable value at the date of issuance, have no voting rights and are designed to increase in value only after our financial sponsors achieve certain levels of return on their investment in PBF LLC Series A Units. In addition, certain of the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy and other employees hold options and warrants to purchase PBF LLC Series A Units.

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The diagram below depicts our ownership and organizational structure as of August 15, 2013 and without giving effect to any exchanges by the selling stockholders and subsequent sales of shares of Class A common stock in this offering:

See [Certain Relationships and Related Transactions](#), [Our Initial Public Offering](#) and [IPO Related Agreements](#) in our 2013 Proxy Statement, for further information.

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Risk Factors

An investment in our Class A common stock involves a number of risks, including changes in industry-wide refining margins and crude oil price differentials, competition and other material factors, that could materially affect our business, financial condition and results of operations, and cause the trading price of our Class A common stock to decline. For a discussion of these risks and other considerations that could negatively affect us, including risks related to this offering and our Class A common stock, see **Risk Factors** and **Forward-Looking Statements** in this prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus.

Company Information

We are a Delaware corporation incorporated on November 7, 2011 with our principal executive offices located at One Sylvan Way, Second Floor, Parsippany, NJ 07054 and our telephone number is (973) 455-7500. Our website address is <http://www.pbfenergy.com>. The information contained on our website or that is or becomes accessible through our website neither constitutes part of this prospectus nor is incorporated by reference into this prospectus.

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The Offering

Class A common stock to be offered by the selling stockholders	Up to 6,443,535 shares, of which 6,440,000 are issuable by us to the selling stockholders upon the exchange of an equivalent number of PBF LLC Series A Units.
Class A common stock outstanding immediately after this offering	46,021,613 shares, assuming the exchange of 6,440,000 PBF LLC Series A Units for an equivalent number of shares of our Class A common stock.
Ownership of PBF LLC Units immediately after this offering	51,804,653 PBF LLC Series A Units held by the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy, and 46,021,613 PBF LLC Series C Units held by PBF Energy, assuming the exchange of 6,440,000 PBF LLC Series A Units for an equivalent number of shares of our Class A common stock. See Exchange Rights below.
Exchange rights	The members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy have the right pursuant to an exchange agreement to cause PBF LLC to exchange their PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of our Class A common stock on a one-for-one basis, subject to equitable adjustment for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications, and further subject to the rights of the holders of PBF LLC Series B Units to share in a portion of the profits realized by Blackstone and First Reserve upon the sale of the shares of our Class A common stock received by them upon such exchange.
Voting rights	<p>Each share of our Class A common stock entitles its holder to one vote on all matters to be voted on by stockholders generally.</p> <p>The holders of PBF LLC Series A Units hold all of the shares of Class B common stock. The shares of Class B common stock have no economic rights but entitle the holder, without regard to the number of shares of Class B common stock held, to a number of votes on matters presented to stockholders of PBF Energy that is equal to the aggregate number of PBF LLC Series A Units held by such holder. As the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy exchange their PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of our Class A common stock pursuant to the exchange agreement, the voting power afforded to them by their shares of Class B common stock will be automatically and correspondingly reduced.</p>

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Holders of our Class A common stock and Class B common stock vote together as a single class on all matters presented to our stockholders for their vote or approval, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

As of August 15, 2013 and giving pro forma effect for the offering by the selling stockholders, our public stockholders would have approximately 47% of the voting power in PBF Energy Inc., and the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy (including Blackstone and First Reserve) by virtue of their shares of Class B common stock would have the remaining voting power in PBF Energy Inc.

Use of proceeds

We will not receive any proceeds from the sale of shares of our Class A common stock by the selling stockholders. The selling stockholders will receive all of the net proceeds and bear all commissions and discounts, if any, from the sales of our Class A common stock offered by them pursuant to this prospectus.

Dividend policy

We currently intend to pay quarterly cash dividends of approximately \$0.30 per share on our Class A common stock. The declaration, timing and amount of any such dividends will be at the sole discretion of our board of directors and will depend on a variety of factors, including general economic conditions, our financial condition and operating results, our available cash and current and anticipated cash needs, capital requirements, plans for expansion, tax, legal, regulatory and contractual restrictions and implications, including under our tax receivable agreement and our subsidiaries outstanding debt documents, and such other factors as our board of directors may deem relevant.

Because we are a holding company, our cash flow and ability to pay dividends depends upon the financial results and cash flows of our operating subsidiaries and the distribution or other payment of cash to us in the form of dividends or otherwise from PBF LLC.

New York Stock Exchange symbol

PBF

Unless we specifically state otherwise, all information in this prospectus:

reflects (a) 39,581,613 shares of our Class A common stock and (b) 57,026,408 PBF LLC Series A Units outstanding as of August 15, 2013;

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gives pro forma effect to the exchange by the selling stockholders of 6,440,000 PBF LLC Series A Units for an equivalent number of shares of our Class A common stock, assuming the exercise for cash of all outstanding options and warrants to purchase 1,218,245 PBF LLC Series A Units, at a weighted average exercise price of \$10.40 per unit, of which 924,656 are currently vested and exercisable;

does not reflect an additional 51,804,653 shares of Class A common stock issuable upon exchange of PBF LLC Series A Units outstanding immediately following this offering; and

excludes (a) outstanding options to purchase 860,000 shares of Class A common stock, at a weighted average exercise price of \$27.40 per share, none of which are currently vested or exercisable, (b) includes 60,392 restricted shares of Class A common stock held by certain of our directors and officers, none of which are currently vested, and (c) an additional 4,079,608 shares currently authorized and reserved for issuance for future awards under our 2012 equity incentive plan.

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RISK FACTORS

An investment in our Class A common stock involves a number of risks. Please see the risk factors described below and under the heading "Risk Factors" in our Form 10-K and Form 10-Qs filed with the SEC under the Exchange Act, which are incorporated by reference in this prospectus. You should carefully consider, in addition to the other information contained in this prospectus and any prospectus supplement and the information incorporated by reference herein, these risks before investing in our Class A common stock. These risks could materially affect our business, financial condition and results of operations, and cause the trading price of our Class A common stock to decline. You could lose part or all of your investment. You should bear in mind, in reviewing this prospectus, the information incorporated by reference herein and any prospectus supplement, that past experience is no indication of future performance. You should read the section titled "Forward-Looking Statements" for a discussion of what types of statements are forward-looking statements, as well as the significance of such statements in the context of this prospectus and any prospectus supplement.

Risks Related to Our Organizational Structure and Our Class A Common Stock

Our only material asset is our interest in PBF LLC. Accordingly, we depend upon distributions from PBF LLC and its subsidiaries to pay our taxes, meet our other obligations and/or pay dividends in the future.

We are a holding company and all of our operations are conducted through subsidiaries of PBF Holding. We have no independent means of generating revenue and no material assets other than our ownership interest in PBF LLC. Therefore, we depend on the earnings and cash flow of our subsidiaries to meet our obligations, including our indebtedness, tax liabilities and obligations to make payments under our tax receivable agreement. If we or PBF LLC do not receive such cash distributions, dividends or other payments from our subsidiaries, we and PBF LLC may be unable to meet our obligations and/or pay dividends.

We intend to cause PBF LLC to make distributions to its members in an amount sufficient to enable us to cover all applicable taxes at assumed tax rates, make payments owed by us under the tax receivable agreement, and to pay other obligations and dividends, if any, declared by us. To the extent we need funds and PBF LLC or any of its subsidiaries is restricted from making such distributions under applicable law or regulation or under the terms of our financing or other contractual arrangements, or is otherwise unable to provide such funds, such restrictions could materially adversely affect our liquidity and financial condition.

Our ABL Revolving Credit Facility, PBF Holding Senior Secured Notes and certain of our other outstanding debt arrangements include a restricted payment covenant, which restricts the ability of PBF Holding to make distributions to us, and we anticipate our future debt will contain a similar restriction. In addition, there may be restrictions on payments by our subsidiaries under applicable laws, including laws that require companies to maintain minimum amounts of capital and to make payments to stockholders only from profits. For example, PBF Holding is generally prohibited under Delaware law from making a distribution to a member to the extent that, at the time of the distribution, after giving effect to the distribution, liabilities of the limited liability company (with certain exceptions) exceed the fair value of its assets. As a result, we may be unable to obtain that cash to satisfy our obligations and make payments to our stockholders, if any.

We are a controlled company within the meaning of the NYSE rules. As a result, we qualify for, and may rely on, exemptions from certain corporate governance requirements.

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Blackstone and First Reserve control a majority of the combined voting power of all classes of our voting stock. As a result, we are a controlled company within the meaning of the NYSE corporate governance standards. Under the NYSE rules, a company of which more than 50% of the voting power is held by another company is a controlled company and may elect not to comply with certain NYSE corporate governance requirements, including (1) the requirement that a majority of the board of directors consist of independent directors, (2) the requirement that we have a corporate governance committee that is composed entirely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities, (3) the requirement that we have a compensation committee that is composed entirely of independent directors

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with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities and (4) the requirement that there be an annual performance evaluation of the corporate governance and compensation committees. We might utilize certain of these exemptions. Accordingly, our stockholders do not have the same protections afforded to stockholders of companies that are subject to all of the corporate governance requirements of the NYSE.

The requirements of being a public company may strain our resources and distract our management.

As a public company, we are subject to the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. These requirements may place a strain on our systems and resources. We are required to file annual, quarterly and current reports with respect to our business and financial condition and to maintain effective disclosure controls and procedures and internal controls over financial reporting. We are implementing additional procedures and processes for the purpose of addressing the standards and requirements applicable to public companies. In addition, sustaining our growth also will require us to commit additional management, operational and financial resources to identify new professionals to join our firm and to maintain appropriate operational and financial systems to adequately support expansion. These activities may divert management's attention from other business concerns, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows. We expect to incur significant additional annual expenses related to these steps and other public company expenses.

Our internal controls over financial reporting have not been audited and may not meet all of the standards contemplated by Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, and failure to achieve and maintain effective internal controls over financial reporting in accordance with Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act could have a material adverse effect on our business and Class A common stock price.

Beginning with the year ending December 31, 2013, pursuant to Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, we will be required to furnish a report by our management on our internal control over financial reporting, and our auditors will be required to deliver an attestation report on the operating effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting. The report by our management must contain, among other things, an assessment of the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of the end of our fiscal year. This assessment must include disclosure of any material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting identified by management.

As an organization that recently exited the development stage and has grown rapidly through the acquisition of significant operations, we are currently in the process of developing our internal controls over financial reporting and establishing formal policies, processes and practices related to financial reporting and to the identification of key financial reporting risks, assessment of their potential impact and linkage of those risks to specific areas and activities within our organization. Our internal controls over financial reporting have not been audited and we may not meet all of the standards contemplated by Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act that we will eventually be required to meet.

In connection with the preparation of our financial statements during 2012, we identified significant deficiencies regarding the design and implementation of certain commercial transaction controls and management review controls as part of our financial closing process. Management continues to take steps to remediate these issues. We retained a nationally recognized certified public accounting firm to assist us with designing, documenting and implementing our internal control procedures to satisfy the requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. In addition, we recently hired a Director of Internal Audit and continue to invest in information technology systems in order to support and enhance our internal control environment.

We may not be able to successfully remediate these matters on or before December 31, 2013, the date by which we must comply with Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, and we may have additional deficiencies or material weaknesses in the future. We have not yet

determined the costs directly associated with these remediation activities, but they could be substantial.

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If we are not able to complete our initial assessment of our internal controls and otherwise implement the requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act in a timely manner or with adequate compliance, management may not be able to certify as to the adequacy of our internal controls over financial reporting. Matters impacting our internal controls may cause us to be unable to report our financial information on a timely basis and thereby subject us to adverse regulatory consequences, including sanctions by the SEC or violations of applicable stock exchange listing rules, and result in a breach of the covenants under our debt agreements. There also could be a negative reaction in the financial markets due to a loss of investor confidence in us and the reliability of our financial statements. Confidence in the reliability of our financial statements also could suffer if our independent registered public accounting firm were to report a material weakness in our internal controls over financial reporting in the future. This could materially adversely affect us and lead to a decline in our Class A common stock price.

We are controlled by Blackstone and First Reserve through their ownership of units of PBF LLC, and their interests may differ from those of our public stockholders.

We are controlled by Blackstone and First Reserve, who as of August 15, 2013, collectively possess in the aggregate approximately 53.6% of the combined voting power of our outstanding common stock. As a result, Blackstone and First Reserve have the ability to elect all of our directors and thereby control our policies and operations, including the appointment of management, future issuances of securities, the incurrence of debt by us, amendments to our organizational documents and the entering into of extraordinary transactions, and their interests may not in all cases be aligned with our Class A common stockholders' interests.

For example, Blackstone and First Reserve and the selling stockholders named herein may have different tax positions which could influence their decisions regarding whether and when to dispose of assets, whether and when to incur new or refinance existing indebtedness, especially in light of the existence of the tax receivable agreement described below. In addition, the structuring of future transactions may take into consideration these tax or other considerations even where no similar benefit would accrue to our Class A common stockholders or us. See *Certain Relationships and Related Transactions* in our 2013 Proxy Statement.

Blackstone and First Reserve may have an interest in pursuing acquisitions, divestitures and other transactions that, in their judgment, could enhance their equity investment, even though such transactions might involve risks to our Class A common stockholders. For example, they could cause us to make acquisitions that increase our indebtedness or to sell revenue-generating assets. So long as they continue to beneficially own a majority of the combined voting power of us and PBF LLC, they will have the ability to control the vote in any election of directors. In addition, pursuant to the stockholders agreement we entered into with Blackstone and First Reserve, Blackstone and First Reserve have the ability to nominate a number of our directors, including a majority of our directors, so long as certain ownership thresholds are maintained. See *Certain Relationships and Related Transactions*, *IPO Related Agreements*, *Stockholders Agreement* in our 2013 Proxy Statement. This concentration of ownership may have the effect of delaying, preventing or deterring a change of control of our company. Lastly, Blackstone and First Reserve are in the business of making investments in companies and may from time to time acquire and hold interests in businesses that compete directly or indirectly with us. Our certificate of incorporation contains a provision renouncing our interest and expectancy in certain corporate opportunities identified by Blackstone or First Reserve. They may also pursue acquisition opportunities that are complementary to our business and, as a result, those acquisition opportunities may not be available to us.

We will be required to pay the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy for certain tax benefits we may claim arising in connection with our initial public offering, the June 2013 public offering, this offering and future exchanges of PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of our Class A Common Stock and related transactions, and the amounts we may pay could be significant.

We are party to a tax receivable agreement that provides for the payment from time to time by PBF Energy to the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy of 85% of the benefits, if any, that PBF Energy is deemed to

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realize as a result of (i) the increases in tax basis resulting from its acquisitions of PBF LLC Series A Units, including such acquisitions in connection with our initial public offering and the June 2013 public offering, this offering or in the future and (ii) certain other tax benefits related to our entering into the tax receivable agreement, including tax benefits attributable to payments under the tax receivable agreement. See Certain Relationships and Related Transactions IPO Related Agreements Tax Receivable Agreement in our 2013 Proxy Statement.

We expect that the payments that we may make under the tax receivable agreement will be substantial. As of June 30, 2013, we have recognized a liability for the tax receivable agreement of \$291.0 million reflecting our estimate of the undiscounted amounts that we expect to pay under the agreement due to exchanges that occurred prior to that date, and to range over the next five years from approximately \$1.0 million to \$31.7 million per year and decline thereafter. Assuming no material changes in the relevant tax law, that the market value of a share of our Class A common stock equals \$22.50 (the closing price on August 15, 2013), and that we earn sufficient taxable income to realize all tax benefits that are subject to the tax receivable agreement, we expect that additional future payments under the tax receivable agreement relating to the exchange by the selling stockholders in connection with this offering to aggregate \$41.0 million and to range over the next five years up to an additional \$4.5 million per year and decline thereafter. Future payments by us in respect of subsequent exchanges of PBF LLC Series A Units would be in addition to these amounts and are expected to be substantial as well. The foregoing numbers are merely estimates based on assumptions that are subject to change due to various factors, including, among other factors, the timing of exchanges by the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy of their PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of PBF Energy's Class A common stock as contemplated by the tax receivable agreement, the price of PBF Energy's Class A common stock at the time of such exchanges, the extent to which such exchanges are taxable, and the amount and timing of PBF Energy's income. The actual payments could differ materially. It is possible that future transactions or events could increase or decrease the actual tax benefits realized and the corresponding tax receivable agreement payments. There may be a material negative effect on our liquidity if, as a result of timing discrepancies or otherwise, (i) the payments under the tax receivable agreement exceed the actual benefits we realize in respect of the tax attributes subject to the tax receivable agreement, and/or (ii) distributions to PBF Energy by PBF LLC are not sufficient to permit PBF Energy, after it has paid its taxes and other obligations, to make payments under the tax receivable agreement after it has paid its taxes and other obligations. The payments under the tax receivable agreement are not conditioned upon any recipient's continued ownership of us.

In certain cases, payments by us under the tax receivable agreement may be accelerated and/or significantly exceed the actual benefits we realize in respect of the tax attributes subject to the tax receivable agreement. These provisions may deter a change in control of our company.

The tax receivable agreement provides that upon certain changes of control, or if, at any time, PBF Energy elects an early termination of the tax receivable agreement, PBF Energy's (or its successor's) obligations with respect to exchanged or acquired PBF LLC Series A Units (whether exchanged or acquired before or after such transaction) would be based on certain assumptions, including (i) that PBF Energy would have sufficient taxable income to fully utilize the deductions arising from the increased tax deductions and tax basis and other benefits related to entering into the tax receivable agreement and (ii) that the subsidiaries of PBF LLC will sell certain nonamortizable assets (and realize certain related tax benefits) no later than a specified date. Moreover, in each of these instances, we would be required to make an immediate payment equal to the present value (at a discount rate equal to LIBOR plus 100 basis points) of the anticipated future tax benefits (based on the foregoing assumptions). Accordingly, payments under the tax receivable agreement may be made years in advance of the actual realization, if any, of the anticipated future tax benefits and may be significantly greater than the actual benefits we realize in respect of the tax attributes subject to the tax receivable agreement. Assuming that the market value of a share of our Class A common stock equals \$22.50 (the closing price on August 15, 2013) and that LIBOR were to be 1.85%, we estimate as of August 15, 2013 that the aggregate amount of these accelerated payments would have been approximately \$527.2 million if triggered immediately on such date. In these situations, our obligations under the tax receivable agreement could have a substantial negative impact on our liquidity. We may not be able to finance our obligations under the tax receivable agreement and our existing

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indebtedness may limit our subsidiaries' ability to make distributions to us to pay these obligations. These provisions may deter a potential sale of our Company to a third party and may otherwise make it less likely a third party would enter into a change of control transaction with us.

Moreover, payments under the tax receivable agreement will be based on the tax reporting positions that we determine in accordance with the tax receivable agreement. We will not be reimbursed for any payments previously made under the tax receivable agreement if the Internal Revenue Service subsequently disallows part or all of the tax benefits that gave rise to such prior payments. As a result, in certain circumstances, payments could be made under the tax receivable agreement that are significantly in excess of the benefits that we actually realize in respect of (i) the increases in tax basis resulting from our purchases or exchanges of PBF LLC Series A Units and (ii) certain other tax benefits related to our entering into the tax receivable agreement, including tax benefits attributable to payments under the tax receivable agreement.

We cannot assure you that we will continue to declare dividends or have the available cash to make dividend payments.

Although we currently intend to continue to pay quarterly cash dividends on our Class A common stock, the declaration, amount and payment of any dividends will be at the sole discretion of our board of directors. We are not obligated under any applicable laws, our governing documents or any contractual agreements with our existing owners or otherwise to declare or pay any dividends or other distributions (other than the obligations of PBF LLC to make tax distributions to its members). Our board of directors may take into account, among other things, general economic conditions, our financial condition and operating results, our available cash and current and anticipated cash needs, capital requirements, plans for expansion, tax, legal, regulatory and contractual restrictions and implications, including under our outstanding debt documents, and such other factors as our board of directors may deem relevant in determining whether to declare or pay any dividend. Because PBF Energy is a holding company with no material assets (other than the equity interests of its direct subsidiary), its cash flow and ability to pay dividends is dependent upon the financial results and cash flows of its indirect subsidiary PBF Holding and its operating subsidiaries and the distribution or other payment of cash to it in the form of dividends or otherwise. The direct and indirect subsidiaries of PBF Energy are separate and distinct legal entities and have no obligation to make any funds available to it. As a result, if we do not declare or pay dividends you may not receive any return on an investment in our Class A common stock unless you sell our Class A common stock for a price greater than that which you paid for it.

Anti-takeover and certain other provisions in our certificate of incorporation and bylaws and Delaware law may discourage or delay a change in control.

Our certificate of incorporation and bylaws contain provisions which could make it more difficult for stockholders to effect certain corporate actions. Among other things, these provisions:

authorize the issuance of undesignated preferred stock, the terms of which may be established and the shares of which may be issued without stockholder approval;

prohibit stockholder action by written consent after the date on which Blackstone and First Reserve collectively cease to beneficially own at least a majority of all of the outstanding shares of our capital stock entitled to vote;

restrict certain business combinations with stockholders who obtain beneficial ownership of a certain percentage of our outstanding common stock after the date Blackstone and First Reserve and their affiliates collectively cease to beneficially own at least 5% of all of the outstanding shares of our capital stock entitled to vote;

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provide that special meetings of stockholders may be called only by the chairman of the board of directors, the chief executive officer or the board of directors, or Blackstone or First Reserve, for so long as Blackstone or First Reserve, in its individual capacity as the party calling the meeting, continues to beneficially own at least 25% of the total voting power of all the then outstanding shares

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of our capital stock, and establish advance notice procedures for the nomination of candidates for election as directors or for proposing matters that can be acted upon at stockholder meetings; and

provide that on and after the date Blackstone and First Reserve collectively cease to beneficially own a majority of all of the outstanding shares of our capital stock entitled to vote, our stockholders may only amend our bylaws with the approval of 75% or more of all of the outstanding shares of our capital stock entitled to vote.

These anti-takeover provisions and other provisions of Delaware law may have the effect of delaying or deterring a change of control of our company. Certain provisions could also discourage proxy contests and make it more difficult for you and other stockholders to elect directors of your choosing and to cause us to take other corporate actions you desire. These provisions could limit the price that certain investors might be willing to pay in the future for shares of our Class A common stock.

In addition, in connection with our initial public offering, we entered into a stockholders agreement with Blackstone and First Reserve pursuant to which they are entitled to nominate a number of directors so long as certain ownership thresholds are maintained. See [Certain Relationships and Related Transactions](#) [IPO Related Agreements](#) [Stockholders Agreement](#) in our 2013 Proxy Statement.

Our Class A common stock has only traded since December 13, 2012. The market price of our Class A common stock may be volatile, which could cause the value of your investment to decline.

Our Class A common stock has only traded since December 13, 2012. The stock markets generally may experience significant volatility, often unrelated to the operating performance of the individual companies whose securities are publicly traded. The market price of our Class A common stock may be highly volatile and could be subject to wide fluctuations due to a number of factors including:

variations in actual or anticipated operating results or dividends, if any, to stockholders;

changes in, or failure to meet, earnings estimates of securities analysts;

market conditions in the oil refining industry;

litigation and government investigations;

changes or proposed changes in laws or regulations or differing interpretations or enforcement thereof affecting our business or industry;

general economic and stock market conditions; and

the availability for sale, or sales, of a significant number of shares of our Class A common stock in the public market.

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These and other factors may cause the market price of our Class A common stock to decrease significantly, which in turn would adversely affect the value of your investment.

In the past, following periods of volatility in the market price of a company's securities, stockholders have often instituted class action securities litigation against those companies. Such litigation, if instituted, could result in substantial costs and a diversion of management's attention and resources, which could significantly harm our profitability and reputation.

If securities or industry analysts do not publish research or reports about our business, or if they downgrade their recommendations regarding our Class A common stock, our stock price and trading volume could decline.

The trading market for our Class A common stock is influenced by the research and reports that industry or securities analysts publish about us or our business. If any of the analysts who cover us downgrade our Class A common stock or publish inaccurate or unfavorable research about our business, our Class A common stock price

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may decline. If analysts cease coverage of us or fail to regularly publish reports on us, we could lose visibility in the financial markets, which in turn could cause our Class A common stock price or trading volume to decline and our Class A common stock to be less liquid.

Future sales of our shares of Class A common stock could cause our stock price to decline.

The market price of our Class A common stock could decline as a result of sales of a large number of shares of Class A common stock in the market or the perception that such sales could occur. These sales, or the possibility that these sales may occur, also might make it more difficult for us to sell shares of Class A common stock in the future at a time and at a price that we deem appropriate. In addition, any shares of Class A common stock that we issue, including under any equity incentive plans, would dilute the percentage ownership of the holders of our Class A common stock.

The 6,443,535 shares of Class A common stock the selling stockholders are offering under this prospectus, as well as the 39,517,686 shares sold in our prior public offerings and the shares issuable under our 2012 equity incentive plan, will be freely tradable without restriction in the United States, unless purchased or held by one of our affiliates. We are also party to a registration rights agreement with the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy pursuant to which we continue to be required after the expiration of the lock-up period described below to register under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws the resale of the shares of Class A common stock issuable to them upon exchange of PBF LLC Series A Units. Our shares also may be sold under Rule 144 under the Securities Act depending on the holding period and subject to restrictions in the case of shares held by persons deemed to be our affiliates.

In connection with the June 2013 public offering, we, our executive officers and directors and Blackstone and First Reserve have agreed with the underwriters, subject to certain exceptions, not to sell, dispose of or hedge any of our Class A common stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable for shares of Class A common stock, during the period ending on September 4, 2013, except with the prior written consent of the managing underwriters. The underwriters may, in their sole discretion and without notice, waive or release all or any portion of the shares subject to lock-up agreements prior to expiration of the lock-up period. The underwriters of our initial public offering granted such a waiver and release in order to permit us and Blackstone, First Reserve and the holders of PBF LLC Series B Units to complete the June 2013 public offering and for us to file the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part. Subject to the terms of the lock-up agreements, we also may issue our shares of common stock or securities convertible into our common stock from time to time in connection with a financing, acquisition, investments or otherwise. Any such issuance could result in substantial dilution to our existing stockholders. As restrictions on resale end or if we register additional shares, the market price of our stock could decline if the holders of restricted shares sell them or are perceived by the market as intending to sell them.

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FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus and documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus contain forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. You can identify forward-looking statements because they contain words such as believes, expects, may, should, seeks, approximately, intends, plans, estimates, or anticipates or similar expressions that relate to our strategy, plans or intentions. All statements we make in this prospectus or the documents incorporated herein by reference relating to our estimated and projected earnings, margins, costs, expenditures, cash flows, growth rates and financial results or to our expectations regarding future industry trends and the information referred to under Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations in our Form 10-K and Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations in our Form 10-Qs are forward-looking statements. In addition, we, through our senior management, from time to time make forward-looking public statements concerning our expected future operations and performance and other developments. These forward-looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that may change at any time, and, therefore, our actual results may differ materially from those that we expected. We derive many of our forward-looking statements from our operating budgets and forecasts, which are based upon many detailed assumptions. While we believe that our assumptions are reasonable, we caution that it is very difficult to predict the impact of known factors, and, of course, it is impossible for us to anticipate all factors that could affect our actual results.

Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from our expectations, which we refer to as cautionary statements, are disclosed under Risk Factors in this prospectus and under the heading Risk Factors in our Form 10-K and Form 10-Qs filed with the SEC under the Exchange Act and elsewhere in this prospectus and documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus, including, without limitation, in conjunction with the forward-looking statements included in this prospectus. All forward-looking information in this prospectus and documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus and subsequent written and oral forward-looking statements attributable to us, or persons acting on our behalf, are expressly qualified in their entirety by the cautionary statements. Some of the factors that we believe could affect our results include:

supply, demand, prices and other market conditions for our services;

the effects of competition in our markets;

changes in currency exchange rates, interest rates and capital costs;

adverse developments in our relationship with both our key employees and unionized employees;

our ability to operate our businesses efficiently, manage capital expenditures and costs (including general and administrative expenses) tightly and generate earnings and cash flow;

our substantial indebtedness, described in our periodic reports filed with the SEC under the Exchange Act;

restrictive covenants in our indebtedness that may adversely affect our operational flexibility;

payments to the holders of PBF LLC Series A Units and PBF LLC Series B Units under our tax receivable agreement for certain tax benefits we may claim, and our assumptions regarding payments arising under the tax receivable agreement and other arrangements relating to our organizational structure;

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our expectations with respect to our acquisition activity;

our expectations with respect to our capital improvement projects including the development and expansion of our Delaware City crude unloading facilities and status of an air permit to transfer crude to Paulsboro;

the possibility that we might reduce or not make further dividend payments;

adverse impacts from changes in our regulatory environment or actions taken by environmental interest groups;

the costs of being a public company, including Sarbanes-Oxley Act compliance;

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any decisions we make with respect to our energy-related logistical assets that could qualify for an MLP structure, including future opportunities that we may determine present greater potential value to stockholders than the planned MLP initial public offering, as described in our periodic reports filed with the SEC under the Exchange Act;

the timing and structure of the planned MLP may change;

unanticipated developments may delay or negatively impact the planned MLP;

receipt of regulatory approvals and compliance with contractual obligations required in connection with the planned MLP;

the impact of the planned MLP on our relationships with our employees, customers and vendors and our credit rating and cost of funds;

the possibility that the interests of Blackstone and First Reserve will conflict with ours; and

the impact of any offerings pursuant to this prospectus or otherwise, including resulting tax implications.

We caution you that the foregoing list of important factors may not contain all of the material factors that are important to you. In addition, in light of these risks and uncertainties, the matters referred to in the forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus and documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus may not in fact occur. Accordingly, investors should not place undue reliance on those statements.

Our forward-looking statements also include estimates of the total amount of payments, including annual payments, under our tax receivable agreement. These estimates are based on assumptions that are subject to change due to various factors, including, among other factors, the timing of exchanges by the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy of their PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of our Class A common stock as contemplated by the tax receivable agreement, the price of our Class A common stock at the time of such exchanges, the extent to which such exchanges are taxable, and the amount and timing of our income. See **Risk Factors** **Risks Related to Our Organizational Structure and Our Class A Common Stock** We will be required to pay the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy for certain tax benefits we may claim arising in connection with our initial public offering, the June 2013 public offering, this offering and future exchanges of PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of our Class A common stock and related transactions, and the amounts we may pay could be significant and In certain cases, payments by us under the tax receivable agreement may be accelerated and/or significantly exceed the actual benefits we realize in respect of the tax attributes subject to the tax receivable agreement. These provisions may deter a change in control of our company.

Our forward-looking statements in this prospectus or the documents incorporated herein by reference speak only as of the date of this prospectus or as of the date as of which they are made. Except as required by applicable law, including the securities laws of the United States, we do not intend to update or revise any forward-looking statements.

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The selling stockholders will receive all of the net proceeds from the sales of shares of Class A common stock offered by them pursuant to this prospectus. We will not receive any proceeds from the sale of these shares of our Class A common stock, but we will bear the costs associated with this registration in accordance with the registration rights agreement. The selling stockholders will bear any underwriting commissions and discounts attributable to their sale of shares of our Class A common stock.

PRICE RANGE OF COMMON STOCK AND DIVIDEND POLICY

Our Class A common stock has traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol **PBF** since December 13, 2012. Prior to that date, there was no public market for our Class A common stock. The following table sets forth, for the periods indicated, the high and low sales prices per share of our Class A common stock, as reported by the New York Stock Exchange, since December 13, 2012, and dividends declared per share of Class A common stock.

	Price Range		Dividends per share of Class A Common Stock
	High	Low	
2013			
First Quarter ended March 31, 2013	\$ 42.50	\$ 27.10	\$ 0.30
Second Quarter ended June 30, 2013	\$ 39.00	\$ 23.54	\$ 0.30
Third Quarter through August 19, 2013	\$ 26.66	\$ 21.20	\$ 0.30(2)
2012			
Fourth Quarter ended December 31, 2012 ⁽¹⁾	\$ 29.05	\$ 26.25	

(1) Our Class A common stock began trading on December 13, 2012.

(2) Payable on August 21, 2013 to holders of record of Class A common stock at the close of business on August 12, 2013.

The closing sale price of our Class A common stock, as reported by the New York Stock Exchange, on August 19, 2013, was \$22.02 per share. As of August 19, 2013, there were 9 holders of record of our Class A common stock.

Dividend Policy

We paid a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.30 per share on our outstanding Class A common stock on each of March 15, 2013 and June 7, 2013. On July 30, 2013, the Company's Board of Directors declared a dividend of \$0.30 per share on Class A common stock, payable on August 21, 2013 to holders of record of Class A common stock at the close of business on August 12, 2013. Subject to the following paragraphs, we currently intend to continue to pay quarterly cash dividends of approximately \$0.30 per share on our Class A common stock.

The declaration, amount and payment of this and any other future dividends on shares of Class A common stock will be at the sole discretion of our board of directors, and we are not obligated under any applicable laws, our governing documents or any contractual agreements with our

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existing owners or otherwise to declare or pay any dividends or other distributions (other than the obligations of PBF LLC to make tax distributions to its members). Our board of directors may take into account, among other things, general economic conditions, our financial condition and operating results, our available cash and current and anticipated cash needs, capital requirements, plans for expansion, tax, legal, regulatory and contractual restrictions and implications, including under our tax receivable agreement and our subsidiaries' outstanding debt documents, and such other factors as our board of directors may deem relevant in determining whether to declare or pay any dividend. In addition, we expect that to the extent we declare a dividend for a particular quarter, our cash flow from operations for that quarter will substantially exceed any dividend payment for such period. Because any future declaration or payment of dividends will be at the sole discretion of our board of directors, we do not expect that any such dividend payments will have a material adverse impact on our liquidity or otherwise limit our ability to fund capital expenditures or otherwise pursue our business strategy over the long-term. Although we have the ability

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to borrow funds and sell assets to pay future dividends (subject to certain limitations in our ABL Revolving Credit Facility and the PBF Holding Senior Secured Notes), we intend to fund any future dividends out of our cash flow from operations and, as a result, we do not expect to incur any indebtedness or to use the proceeds from equity offerings to fund such payments.

We are a holding company and have no material assets other than our ownership interests of PBF LLC. In order for us to pay any dividends, we will need to cause PBF LLC to make distributions to us and the holders of PBF LLC Series A Units, and PBF LLC will need to cause PBF Holding to make distributions to it, in an amount sufficient to cover cash dividends, if any, declared by us. PBF Holding is generally prohibited under Delaware law from making a distribution to a member to the extent that, at the time of the distribution, after giving effect to the distribution, liabilities of the limited liability company (with certain exceptions) exceed the fair value of its assets. As a result, PBF LLC may be unable to obtain cash from PBF Holding to satisfy our obligations and make payments to our stockholders, if any. If PBF LLC makes such distributions to us, the holders of PBF LLC Series A Units will also be entitled to receive distributions pro rata in accordance with the number of units held by them and us.

The ability of PBF Holding to pay dividends and make distributions to PBF LLC is and in the future may be limited by covenants in our ABL Revolving Credit Facility, the PBF Holding Senior Secured Notes and other debt instruments. Subject to certain exceptions, our ABL Revolving Credit Facility and the indenture governing the PBF Holding Senior Secured Notes prohibit PBF Holding from making distributions to PBF LLC if certain defaults exist. In addition, both the indenture and our ABL Revolving Credit Facility contain additional restrictions limiting PBF Holding's ability to make distributions to PBF LLC. Subject to certain exceptions, the restricted payment covenant under the indenture restricts PBF Holding from making cash distributions unless its fixed charge coverage ratio, as defined in the indenture, is at least 2.0 to 1.0 after giving pro forma effect to such distributions and such cash distributions do not exceed an amount equal to the aggregate net equity proceeds received by it (either as a result of certain capital contributions or from the sale of certain equity or debt securities) plus 50% of its consolidated net income (or less 100% of consolidated net loss) which is defined to exclude certain non-cash charges, such as impairment charges, plus certain other items. Two important exceptions to the foregoing are (i) a permission to pay up to the greater of \$100.0 million and 1% of PBF Holding's total assets and (ii) a permission to pay an additional \$200.0 million subject to compliance with a total debt ratio of 2 to 1. Our ABL Revolving Credit Facility generally restricts PBF Holding's ability to make cash distributions if (x) the aggregate amount of such distributions exceeds the then existing available amount basket (as defined by the ABL Revolving Credit Facility) and (y) before and after giving effect to any such distribution, (a) it fails to have pro forma excess availability under the facility greater than an amount equal to 17.5% of the lesser of (1) the then existing borrowing base and (2) the then current aggregate revolving commitment amount, which as of June 30, 2013 was \$1.575 billion or (b) it fails to maintain on a pro forma basis a fixed charge coverage ratio, as defined by the ABL Revolving Credit Facility, of at least 1.1 to 1.0. As a result, we cannot assure you that PBF Holding will be able to make distributions to PBF LLC in order for PBF LLC to make distributions to us. If that is the case, it is unlikely that we will be able to declare dividends as contemplated herein.

Based upon our operating results for the year ended December 31, 2012, PBF Holding would have been permitted under its ABL Revolving Credit Facility and indenture to pay distributions to PBF LLC so that PBF LLC could make distributions to its members, including us, in amounts sufficient to enable us to pay a quarterly dividend at the rate specified above. The ability of PBF Holding to comply with the foregoing limitations and restrictions is, to a significant degree, subject to its operating results, which is dependent on a number of factors outside of our control. As a result, we cannot assure you that we will be able to declare dividends as contemplated herein. See Risk Factors Risks Related to Our Indebtedness Restrictive Covenants in our debt instruments may limit our ability to undertake certain types of transactions in our Form 10-K and Risk Factors Risks Related to Our Organizational Structure and Our Class A Common Stock We cannot assure you that we will continue to declare dividends or have the available cash to make dividend payments in this prospectus.

We did not pay any dividends on our Class A common stock during 2012.

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PBF LLC made pre-IPO cash distributions to its members in the amount of \$161.0 million during 2012. PBF Holding paid \$155.8 million in distributions to PBF LLC during the six months ended June 30, 2013. PBF LLC used \$58.0 million of this amount (\$0.30 per unit) to make nontax distributions to its members, of which \$14.2 million was distributed to PBF Energy and the balance was distributed to its other members. PBF Energy used this \$14.2 million to pay two separate equivalent cash dividends of \$0.30 per share of Class A common stock on March 15, 2013 and June 7, 2013. PBF LLC used the remaining \$97.8 million from PBF Holding's distributions to make tax distributions to its members, with \$19.7 million distributed to PBF Energy, of which \$567 was paid by PBF LLC directly to the applicable taking authorities on behalf of PBF Energy.

PBF LLC will continue to make tax distributions to its members in accordance with its amended and restated limited liability company agreement.

Assuming approximately 97,826,266 PBF LLC Series A Units and PBF LLC Series C Units outstanding immediately following the offering, the aggregate annual distributions which are anticipated to be required to be made by PBF Holding to PBF LLC, such that PBF LLC may make an equivalent distribution to its members (including PBF Energy) in order for PBF Energy to pay the anticipated \$0.30 per quarter cash dividend on its Class A common stock would be approximately \$117.4 million. If PBF Energy had paid an equivalent \$0.30 per share quarterly cash dividend on its Class A common stock during the year ended December 31, 2012, this would have represented the equivalent of approximately 11.2% of its Adjusted EBITDA for such period. As of December 31, 2012, PBF Holding had cash and cash equivalents of \$285.9 million and approximately \$313.3 million of unused borrowing availability under its ABL Revolving Credit Facility to fund its operations, if necessary. Accordingly, as of December 31, 2012, PBF Holding had sufficient cash and cash equivalents available to it to make distributions to PBF LLC, in order for PBF LLC to make pro rata distributions to its members, including PBF Energy, necessary to fund in excess of one year's cash dividend payments by PBF Energy. We believe our and our subsidiaries' available cash and cash equivalents, other sources of liquidity to operate our business and operating performance provides us with a reasonable basis for our assessment that we can support our intended dividend policy.

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The following table sets forth information as of August 15, 2013 by each selling stockholder regarding the beneficial ownership of shares of our Class A common stock and the number of shares of our Class A common stock that may from time to time be offered or sold pursuant to this prospectus. The percentage of shares beneficially owned before the offering is based on the number of shares of our Class A common stock outstanding as of August 15, 2013. The information regarding shares beneficially owned after the offering assumes the sale of all shares offered by the selling stockholders and that the selling stockholders do not acquire any additional shares. Information in the table below with respect to beneficial ownership has been furnished by each of the selling stockholders.

Each of the selling stockholders, other than Thomas D. O Malley, Jr., is a current or former employee of the Company. Except as described herein and in the documents incorporated by reference herein, the selling stockholders have not held any position or office, or have otherwise had a material relationship, with us or any of our subsidiaries within the past three years other than as a result of the ownership of our securities.

Information concerning the selling stockholders may change from time to time and any changed information will be set forth in supplements to this prospectus, if and when necessary. The selling stockholders may offer all, some or none of their shares of Class A common stock. We cannot advise you as to whether the selling stockholders will in fact sell any or all of such shares of Class A common stock. In addition, the selling stockholders listed in the table below may have sold, transferred or otherwise disposed of, or may sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of, at any time and from time to time, shares of our Class A common stock in transactions exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act after the date on which they provided the information set forth in the table below.

Beneficial ownership is determined in accordance with the rules and regulations of the SEC. Except as otherwise indicated, the business address for each of the following persons is One Sylvan Way, Second Floor, Parsippany, New Jersey 07054.

As of August 15, 2013, there were 39,581,613 shares of our Class A common stock outstanding.

Name	Shares of Class A Common Stock Beneficially Owned Prior to this Offering ⁽¹⁾			Number of Shares of Class A Common Stock Being Offered ⁽³⁾	Shares of Class A Common Stock Beneficially Owned After this Offering		
	Number	%	Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾		Number	%	Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾
Thomas D. O Malley ⁽⁴⁾	3,760,001	8.7%	3.9%	3,603,065	156,936	*	*
Thomas J. Nimbley ⁽⁵⁾	675,000	1.7%	*	675,000			
Matthew C. Lucey ⁽⁶⁾	59,198	*	*	69,198			
Michael D. Gayda ⁽⁷⁾	186,538	*	*	186,538			
Donald F. Lucey ⁽⁸⁾	188,166	*	*	188,166			
Jeffrey Dill ⁽⁹⁾	56,814	*	*	66,814			
Spencer Abraham ⁽¹⁰⁾	11,595	*	*	7,151	4,444	*	*
Jefferson F. Allen ⁽¹¹⁾	187,412	*	*	182,968	4,444	*	*
Dennis Houston ⁽¹²⁾	30,874	*	*	29,763	9,444	*	*
David Alvarez ⁽¹³⁾	4,978	*	*	7,478			
John Barone ⁽¹⁴⁾	23,168	*	*	36,500			
Earle Biddle ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Mary Birmingham ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			

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Michael Capone ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500
Heather Chelpaty ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000
Jeff Coleman ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000
Karen Davis ⁽¹⁸⁾	48,398	*	*	64,231
Paul Davis ⁽¹⁹⁾	8,333	*	*	25,000

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Name	Shares of Class A Common Stock Beneficially Owned Prior to this Offering ⁽¹⁾			Number of Shares of Class A Common Stock Being Offered ⁽³⁾	Shares of Class A Common Stock Beneficially Owned After this Offering Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾		
	Number	%	Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾		Number	%	Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾
Patricia Doman ⁽²⁰⁾	19,957	*	*	20,957			
Jack Eisenmann ⁽²¹⁾	69,937	*	*	85,769			
Susan Falcone ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Barbara Feather ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			
James Fedena ⁽²²⁾	40,500	*	*	48,000			
Robert Foti ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Thomas Gramata ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			
Michael Gudgeon ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
David Hogan ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	10,000			
Robert Horbiak ⁽²³⁾	4,441	*	*	6,941			
Wendy HoTai ⁽²⁴⁾	23,000	*	*	25,500			
David Huffman ⁽²⁵⁾	19,500	*	*	19,500			
Daniel Ingram ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Kenneth Isom ⁽²⁶⁾	103,461	*	*	110,961			
Edward Jacoby ⁽²⁷⁾	85,429	*	*	90,429			
William Kane ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Michael Karlovich ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	10,000			
Robert Kasprzak ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Patricia Kennedy ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Alan King ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Steven Krynski ⁽²⁸⁾	4,441	*	*	6,941			
John Launchi ⁽²⁹⁾	30,348	*	*	35,348			
Richard Loew ⁽³⁰⁾	12,539	*	*	17,539			
John Luke ⁽³¹⁾	85,706	*	*	101,539			
Chuck Mack ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			
Chris McCormick ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Richard Miller ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Kevin Moran ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Thomas Moroni ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Carette Nelson ⁽³²⁾	1,531	*	*	2,364			
Joseph Niedecken ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			
Thomas D. O Malley, Jr. ⁽³³⁾	101,627	*	*	101,627			
Todd O Malley ⁽³⁴⁾	64,643	*	*	88,809			
Paul Oswald ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Jack Parsil ⁽³⁵⁾	1,594	*	*	1,594			
Thomas Rice ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	10,000			
Narda Rivera ⁽³⁶⁾	1,333	*	*	2,000			
Barbara Roehl ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Neal Sahni ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Yvonne Schappell ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Paul Schneeweis ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Marc Schomerus ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			
James Sciarini ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Herman Seedorf ⁽³⁷⁾	79,167	*	*	95,000			
Shane Isom Memorial Foundation ⁽³⁸⁾	60,814	*	*	60,814			
Robert Sittmann ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			

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Name	Shares of Class A Common Stock Beneficially Owned Prior to this Offering ⁽¹⁾			Number of Shares of Class A Common Stock Being Offered ⁽³⁾	Shares of Class A Common Stock Beneficially Owned After this Offering Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾		
	Number	%	Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾		Number	%	Combined Voting Power ⁽²⁾
Matthew Sloane ⁽³⁹⁾	833	*	*	833			
Elizabeth Smith ⁽⁴⁰⁾	13,333	*	*	32,500			
Mark Smith ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Gary Sulkowski ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Bruno Surace ⁽⁴¹⁾	2,500	*	*	2,500			
Amy Wagner ⁽¹⁵⁾	1,667	*	*	2,500			
Arthur Warden ⁽¹⁷⁾	5,000	*	*	7,500			
Vickie Wittie-Davis ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
Clark Wrigley ⁽⁴²⁾	63,000	*	*	70,500			
David Yamaki ⁽¹⁶⁾	3,333	*	*	5,000			
James Yates ⁽⁴³⁾	33,698	*	*	36,198			
Erik Young ⁽⁴⁴⁾	20,833	*	*	40,000			

* Represents less than 1%.

- (1) Subject to the terms of the exchange agreement, PBF LLC Series A Units are exchangeable at any time and from time to time for shares of our Class A common stock on a one-for-one basis, subject to equitable adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications. The holders of PBF LLC Series B Units, consisting of certain of the selling stockholders, may be deemed to have the right to receive or the power to direct the receipt of dividends from, or the proceeds from the sale of, the shares of Class A common stock issuable upon exchange of the PBF LLC Series A Units. Each holder of PBF LLC Series A Units also holds one share of our Class B common stock. The shares of Class B common stock have no economic rights but entitle the holder, without regard to the number of shares of Class B common stock held, to a number of votes on matters presented to our stockholders that is equal to the aggregate number of PBF LLC Series A Units held by such holder. As a holder exchanges PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of our Class A common stock pursuant to the exchange agreement, the voting power afforded to the holder by its share of Class B common stock will be automatically and correspondingly reduced. See *Certain Relationships and Related Transactions* *IPO Related Agreements* in our 2013 Proxy Statement.
- (2) Represents percentage of voting power of the Class A common stock and Class B common stock of PBF Energy voting together as a single class (voting power for this purpose is based solely on securities issued and outstanding that such person has or shares the power to vote or direct the voting thereof, and specifically excludes any securities such person has the right to acquire within 60 days). The holders of PBF LLC Series A Units hold all of the shares of our Class B common stock. Each holder of Class B common stock is entitled, without regard to the number of shares of Class B common stock held by it, to one vote for each PBF LLC Series A Unit held by it. Percentage amount assumes the exchange by such person of PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of Class A common stock and no exchange by any other person.
- (3) The number of shares of Class A common stock being offered consists of the number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to the offering, plus 312,500 options for PBF LLC Series A Units exercisable after 60 days of the date of the Registration Statement, but excluding 121,936 shares of Class A common stock held directly by certain of the selling stockholders and 53,333 shares of Class A common stock issuable under the 2012 Equity Incentive Plan.
- (4) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of (a) 116,936 shares of our Class A common stock held directly by Mr. O Malley, (b) 40,000 restricted shares of Class A common stock which vest in four equal annual installments beginning on February 20, 2014, (c) 2,971,800 PBF LLC Series A Units held directly by Mr. O Malley, (d) 500,000 PBF LLC Series A Units held by entities in which Mr. O Malley holds a controlling interest, and (e) 131,265 PBF LLC Series A Units held by Horse Island Partners, of which Mr. O Malley is the Managing Member. In addition, does not include 350,000 PBF LLC Series B Units beneficially owned by Mr. O Malley. For

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this table, the calculation of the percentage amount of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned by Mr. O Malley prior to this offering assumes the exchange by Mr. O Malley of PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of Class A common stock, and excludes the shares of Class A common stock issuable upon exchange of PBF LLC Series A Units by Blackstone, First Reserve and the selling stockholders other than Mr. O Malley.

- (5) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 525,000 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 150,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options. In addition, does not include 160,000 PBF LLC Series B Units beneficially owned by Mr. Nimbley. For this table, the calculation of the percentage amount of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned by Mr. Nimbley prior to this offering assumes the exchange by Mr. Nimbley of PBF LLC Series A Units for shares of Class A common stock, and excludes the shares of Class A common stock issuable upon exchange of PBF LLC Series A Units by Blackstone, First Reserve and the selling stockholders other than Mr. Nimbley.
- (6) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 30,819 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 28,379 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options. In addition, does not include 60,000 PBF LLC Series B Units beneficially owned by Mr. M. Lucey.
- (7) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 136,538 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 50,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options. In addition, does not include 160,000 PBF LLC Series B Units beneficially owned by Mr. Gayda.
- (8) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 138,166 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 50,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options. In addition, does not include 160,000 PBF LLC Series B Units beneficially owned by Mr. D. Lucey.
- (9) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 29,114 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 27,700 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options. In addition, does not include 60,000 PBF LLC Series B Units beneficially owned by Mr. Dill.
- (10) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 7,151 restricted PBF LLC Series A Units which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2013 and 4,444 restricted shares of Class A common stock which vest in four equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2014.
- (11) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 175,000 PBF LLC Series A Units, 7,968 restricted PBF LLC Series A Units which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2013 and 4,444 restricted shares of Class A common stock which vest in four equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2014.
- (12) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of (a) 5,000 shares of our Class A common stock held directly by Mr. Houston, (b) 5,128 PBF LLC Series A units, (c) 7,968 restricted PBF LLC Series A Units which vest in three equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2013, (d) 8,334 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding options and (e) 4,444 restricted shares of Class A common stock which vest in four equal annual installments beginning on August 1, 2014.
- (13) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 2,478 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 2,500 PBF Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (14) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 3,000 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 20,168 PBF Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.

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- (15) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 1,667 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (16) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 3,333 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (17) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 5,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (18) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 21,231 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 27,167 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (19) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 8,333 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (20) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 18,957 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 1,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (21) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 34,770 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 35,167 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (22) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 8,500 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 32,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (23) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 1,941 shares of PBF Energy Inc. Class A common stock, obtained upon the exchange of the same number of PBF LLC Series A Units, and an aggregate of 2,500 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (24) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 14,200 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 8,800 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (25) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 3,300 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 16,200 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (26) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 50,461 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 53,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (27) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 55,429 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 30,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (28) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 1,941 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 2,500 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (29) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 20,348 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 10,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (30) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 1,739 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 10,800 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (31) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 48,539 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 37,167 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.

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- (32) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 698 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 833 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (33) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 101,627 PBF LLC Series A Units.
- (34) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 48,810 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 15,833 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (35) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 1,594 shares of PBF Energy Inc. Class A common stock, obtained upon the exchange of the same number of PBF LLC Series A Units.
- (36) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 1,333 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (37) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 20,000 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 59,167 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (38) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 60,814 PBF LLC Series A Units.
- (39) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 833 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (40) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 13,333 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (41) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of an aggregate of 2,500 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (42) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 21,000 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 42,000 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (43) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 10,000 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 23,698 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.
- (44) The number of shares of Class A common stock beneficially owned prior to this offering consists of 5,500 PBF LLC Series A Units and an aggregate of 15,333 PBF LLC Series A Units that can be acquired within 60 days upon the exercise of outstanding warrants and options.

The selling stockholders will bear all commissions and discounts, if any, attributable to the sales of our Class A common stock in connection with this offering. We will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale of our Class A common stock by the selling stockholders but will bear the costs associated with this registration statement in accordance with the terms of the registration rights agreement.

For a description of the material relationships between us and the selling stockholders, see the information set forth under **Certain Relationships and Related Transactions** in our 2013 Proxy Statement.

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SHARES ELIGIBLE FOR FUTURE SALE

Sales of substantial amounts of shares of our Class A common stock, including shares issued upon exchange of PBF LLC Series A Units, in the public market, or the perception that such sales could occur, could adversely affect the market price of our Class A common stock and could impair our future ability to raise capital through the sale of equity securities or equity-related securities.

As of August 15, 2013, we have a total of 39,581,613 shares of our Class A common stock outstanding. All of the 39,517,686 shares of Class A common stock sold in our initial public offering and June 2013 public offering, the 6,443,535 shares of Class A common stock to be sold as contemplated in this prospectus and the shares issuable under our 2012 Equity Incentive Plan will be freely tradable without restriction or further registration under the Securities Act, except for any shares which may be held or acquired by our affiliates, as that term is defined in Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act, which shares will be subject to the volume limitations and other restrictions of Rule 144 described below and shares subject to the lock-up agreements described below.

As of August 15, 2013, Blackstone and First Reserve beneficially own an aggregate of 51,804,653 PBF LLC Series A Units, all of which are exchangeable for shares of our Class A common stock pursuant to the terms of the exchange agreement on a one-for-one basis, subject to equitable adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications, and further subject to the rights of the holders of PBF LLC Series B Units to share in a portion of the profits realized by our financial sponsors upon the sale of the shares of Class A common stock received by them upon such exchange. The shares of Class A common stock we issue upon such exchanges will be restricted securities as defined in Rule 144 unless we register such issuances. However, we are party to a registration rights agreement with the members of PBF LLC other than PBF Energy that requires us to register under the Securities Act these shares of Class A common stock, subject to the lock-up agreements described below. See Registration Rights Agreement and Certain Relationships and Related Transactions IPO Related Agreements Registration Rights Agreement in our 2013 Proxy Statement.

Our certificate of incorporation authorizes us to issue additional shares of Class A common stock and options, rights, warrants and appreciation rights relating to Class A common stock for the consideration and on the terms and conditions established by our board of directors in its sole discretion. In accordance with the DGCL and the provisions of our certificate of incorporation, we may also issue preferred stock that has designations, preferences, rights, powers and duties that are different from, and may be senior to, those applicable to shares of Class A common stock. Similarly, the limited liability company agreement of PBF LLC permits PBF LLC to issue an unlimited number of additional limited liability company interests of PBF LLC with designations, preferences, rights, powers and duties that are different from, and may be senior to, those applicable to the PBF LLC Series A Units and PBF LLC Series C Units, and which may be exchangeable for shares of our Class A common stock.

2012 Equity Incentive Plan

Awards for up to 5,000,000 shares of our Class A common stock may be granted under our 2012 Equity Incentive Plan, including awards for 920,392 shares currently outstanding. In January 2013, we filed a registration statement on Form S-8 under the Securities Act to register the shares of our Class A common stock issuable under our equity incentive plan, which is automatically effective upon filing. Accordingly, all of the shares registered under such registration statement are available for sale in the open market following the effective date, unless such shares are subject to vesting restrictions, Rule 144 restrictions applicable to our affiliates or the lock-up agreements described below.

Rule 144

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In general, under Rule 144 as currently in effect, beginning 90 days after the effective date of this prospectus, a person, including any of our affiliates who has beneficially owned shares of our Class A common

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stock for at least six months would be entitled to sell within any three-month period a number of shares that does not exceed the greater of either of the following:

1% of the number of shares of Class A common stock then outstanding, which will equal approximately 395,816 of the shares outstanding immediately after this offering; and

the average weekly trading volume of the Class A common stock on the NYSE during the four calendar weeks preceding the filing of a notice on Form 144 with respect to the sale.

Sales by affiliates under Rule 144 also are subject to manner of sale provisions and notice requirements and to the availability of current public information about us. Under Rule 144, a person who is not deemed to have been one of our affiliates at any time during the 90 days preceding a sale, and who has beneficially owned the shares proposed to be sold for at least six months, including the holding period of any prior owner other than an affiliate, is entitled to sell its shares freely so long as current public information about us is available and after a one year holding period without complying with the manner of sale, volume limitation or notice provisions of Rule 144. The sale of these shares, or the perception that sales will be made, could adversely affect the price of our Class A common stock after this offering because a greater supply of shares would be, or would be perceived to be, available for sale in the public market.

Sales under Rule 144 are also subject to the lock-up arrangements described below.

Lock-up Agreements

In connection with the June 2013 offering, we, our executive officers and directors and Blackstone and First Reserve agreed with the underwriters, subject to certain exceptions, not to sell, dispose of or hedge any of our Class A common stock or securities convertible into or exchangeable for shares of Class A common stock, during the period ending September 4, 2013, except with the prior written consent of the managing underwriters. We may, however, grant awards under our equity incentive plans and issue shares of Class A common stock upon the exercise of outstanding options and warrants, and we may issue or sell shares of Class A common stock under certain other circumstances. We were granted a waiver by the managing underwriters of the lock-up from our initial public offering so that we could file the registration statement, of which this prospectus forms a part.

Rule 701

Under Rule 701, any of our employees, consultants or advisors who purchase shares from us in connection with a qualified compensatory stock plan or other written agreement and are not deemed to be an affiliate of ours during the immediately preceding 90 days are eligible to resell those shares 90 days after our initial public offering in reliance on Rule 144, but without compliance with various restrictions, including the holding period, contained in Rule 144.

Registration Rights Agreement

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In connection with our initial public offering, we entered into a registration rights agreement with the other members of PBF LLC pursuant to which we granted them and their affiliates and certain of their transferees the right, under certain circumstances and subject to certain restrictions, to require us to register under the Securities Act shares of our Class A common stock delivered in exchange for PBF LLC Series A Units or otherwise beneficially owned by them. Securities registered under any such registration statement will be available for sale in the open market unless restrictions apply. We are filing this registration statement pursuant to our obligations under the registration rights agreement. See Certain Relationships and Related Transactions IPO Related Agreements Registration Rights Agreement in our 2013 Proxy Statement.

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CERTAIN U.S. FEDERAL INCOME AND ESTATE TAX CONSEQUENCES TO NON-U.S. HOLDERS

The following is a summary of certain United States federal income and estate tax consequences, as of the date hereof, of the purchase, ownership and sale or exchange of our Class A common stock by a non-U.S. holder. This summary deals only with Class A common stock that is purchased in this offering and is held as a capital asset by a non-U.S. holder.

Except as modified for United States federal estate tax purposes (as described below), a non-U.S. holder means a beneficial owner of our Class A common stock that, for United States federal income tax purposes, is an individual, corporation, estate or trust other than:

an individual who is a citizen or resident of the United States;

a corporation, or other entity taxable as a corporation, created or organized under the laws of the United States, any state thereof or the District of Columbia;

an estate the income of which is subject to United States federal income taxation regardless of its source; or

a trust that (1) is subject to the primary supervision of a court within the United States if one or more United States persons have the authority to control all substantial decisions of the trust or (2) was in existence on August 20, 1996, and has a valid election in effect under applicable United States Treasury regulations to continue to be treated as a United States person.

If a partnership holds our Class A common stock, the tax treatment of a partner will generally depend upon the status of the partner and the activities of the partnership. If you are a partnership or a partner in a partnership considering an investment in our Class A common stock, you should consult your own tax advisor.

This summary is based upon provisions of the Code, and regulations, rulings and judicial decisions as of the date hereof. Those authorities may be changed, perhaps retroactively, so as to result in United States federal income and estate tax consequences different from those summarized below. This summary does not address all aspects of United States federal income and estate taxation and does not deal with other United States federal taxes (such as gift taxes or the recently enacted Medicare tax on investment income) or foreign, state, local or other tax considerations that may be relevant to non-U.S. holders in light of their personal circumstances. Further, this discussion does not describe all of the United States federal income tax consequences that may be relevant to holders subject to special rules, such as:

financial institutions;

insurance companies;

dealers in securities;

persons holding our common stock as part of a hedge, straddle, integrated transaction or similar transaction;

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partnerships or other entities classified as partnerships for United States federal income tax purposes (or investors in such entities);

United States expatriates or certain long-term residents of the United States;

tax-exempt entities;

controlled foreign corporations;

passive foreign investment companies; or

persons subject to the alternative minimum tax.

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If you are considering an investment in our Class A common stock, you should consult your own tax advisor concerning the particular United States federal income and estate tax consequences to you of the purchase, ownership and sale or exchange of our Class A common stock, as well as the consequences to you arising under other United States federal tax laws and the laws of any other taxing jurisdiction.

The following summary assumes that a non-U.S. holder will structure its ownership of Class A common stock so as to avoid the withholding taxes that otherwise would be imposed under recently enacted legislation, as described below under **Additional Withholding Requirements**.

Dividends

Dividends paid to a non-U.S. holder generally will be subject to withholding of United States federal income tax at a 30% rate or such lower rate as may be specified by an applicable income tax treaty. However, dividends that are effectively connected with the conduct of a trade or business by a non-U.S. holder within the United States are not subject to the withholding tax, provided such non-U.S. holder provides proper documentation, such as an applicable Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Form W-8 or an appropriate substitute form. Instead, unless an applicable income tax treaty provides otherwise, such dividends are subject to United States federal income tax on a net income basis in generally the same manner as if the non-U.S. holder were a United States person as defined under the Code. In addition, if the non-U.S. holder is a foreign corporation, it may be subject to a branch profits tax equal to 30% (or a lower applicable income tax treaty rate) of its effectively connected earnings and profits attributable to such dividends, subject to adjustments.

A non-U.S. holder who wishes to claim the benefit of an applicable income tax treaty for dividends generally will be required (a) to complete IRS Form W-8BEN (or an appropriate substitute form) and certify under penalty of perjury that such holder is not a United States person as defined under the Code and is eligible for treaty benefits or (b) if our Class A common stock is held through certain foreign intermediaries, to satisfy the relevant certification requirements of applicable United States Treasury regulations. Special certification and other requirements apply to certain non-U.S. holders that are pass-through entities rather than corporations or individuals.

A non-U.S. holder eligible for a reduced rate of United States federal withholding tax pursuant to an applicable income tax treaty may obtain a refund of any excess amounts withheld by timely filing an appropriate claim for refund with the IRS.

Gain on Sale or Exchange of Our Class A Common Stock

Any gain realized on the sale or exchange of our Class A common stock generally will not be subject to United States federal income tax unless:

the gain is effectively connected with a trade or business of the non-U.S. holder in the United States (and, if required by an applicable income tax treaty, is attributable to a United States permanent establishment of the non-U.S. holder);

the non-U.S. holder is an individual who is present in the United States for 183 days or more in the taxable year of the sale or exchange, and certain other conditions are met; or

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we are or have been a United States real property holding corporation for United States federal income tax purposes at some time during the shorter of (a) the five-year period preceding the sale or exchange or (b) the non-U.S. holder's holding period for the Class A common stock in question (such shorter period, the Applicable Period).

Unless an applicable income tax treaty provides otherwise, a non-U.S. holder described in the first bullet point immediately above will be subject to tax on the net gain derived from the sale or exchange in generally the

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same manner as if the non-U.S. holder were a United States person as defined under the Code. A non-U.S. holder that is a foreign corporation described in the first bullet point immediately above may also be subject to a branch profits tax equal to 30% (or a lower applicable income tax treaty rate) of its effectively connected earnings and profits attributable to such gain, subject to adjustments.

Unless an applicable income tax treaty provides otherwise, an individual non-U.S. holder described in the second bullet point immediately above will be subject to a flat 30% tax on the gain derived from the sale or exchange, which may be offset by United States source capital losses, even though the individual is not considered a resident of the United States.

Although the matter is not free from doubt, we believe we currently are not a United States real property holding corporation for United States federal income tax purposes. The determination of whether we become a United States real property holding corporation in the future will depend on the value of our assets treated as real property for this purpose relative to the value of all our assets, and such values are subject to fluctuations. If we are or become a United States real property holding corporation, so long as our Class A common stock continues to be regularly traded on an established securities market, only a non-U.S. holder who actually or constructively holds or held (at any time during the Applicable Period) more than 5% of our Class A common stock will be subject to United States federal income tax on the sale or exchange of our Class A common stock. Such a non-U.S. holder generally will be subject to tax on any gain in the same manner as a non-U.S. holder whose gain is effectively connected income, except that such gain should not be included in effectively connected earnings and profits for purposes of the branch profits tax.

Federal Estate Tax

Class A common stock held or treated as held by an individual who, at the time of death, is not a citizen or resident of the United States (as specifically defined for United States federal estate tax purposes) will be included in such holder's gross estate for United States federal estate tax purposes, unless an applicable estate tax treaty provides otherwise.

Information Reporting and Backup Withholding

Information returns will be filed with the IRS in connection with dividend payments. Copies of the information returns reporting such dividend payments and any withholding may also be made available to the tax authorities in the country in which a non-U.S. holder resides under the provisions of an applicable income tax treaty.

A non-U.S. holder will be subject to backup withholding for dividends paid to such holder unless such holder certifies under penalty of perjury that it is a non-U.S. holder (and the payor does not have actual knowledge or reason to know that such holder is a United States person as defined under the Code), or such holder otherwise establishes an exemption.

Information reporting and, depending on the circumstances, backup withholding generally will apply to the proceeds of a sale or exchange of our Class A common stock within the United States or conducted through certain United States-related financial intermediaries, unless the beneficial owner certifies under penalty of perjury that it is a non-U.S. holder (and the payor does not have actual knowledge or reason to know that the beneficial owner is a United States person as defined under the Code), or such owner otherwise establishes an exemption.

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The amount of any backup withholding from a payment to a non-U.S. holder will be allowed as a credit against the non-U.S. holder's United States federal income tax liability and may entitle the non-U.S. holder to a refund, provided that the required information is timely furnished to the IRS.

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Additional Withholding Requirements

Legislation was enacted in 2010 that will materially change the requirements for obtaining an exemption from United States federal withholding tax and impose withholding taxes on certain types of payments made to foreign financial institutions and certain other non-U.S. entities. In general, and depending on the specific facts and circumstances, the failure to comply with certain certification, information reporting and other specified requirements will result in a 30% withholding tax being imposed on withholdable payments to such institutions and entities, including payments of dividends and proceeds from the sale or exchange of our Class A common stock. The legislation generally applies to payments made after December 31, 2012, although Treasury Regulations and additional guidance from the IRS provide that withholding obligations with respect to payments of dividends will not begin until July 1, 2014, and that withholding obligations with respect to gross proceeds from the sale or exchange of common stock will not begin until January 1, 2017. Each prospective investor should consult its tax advisor regarding this legislation and the potential implications of this legislation on its investment in our Class A common stock.

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PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

The selling stockholders, which as used herein includes donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors-in-interest selling shares received after the date of this prospectus from a selling stockholder as a gift, pledge, partnership distribution or other transfer, may, from time to time, sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of any or all of their shares on any stock exchange, market or trading facility on which the shares are traded or in private transactions. These dispositions may be at fixed prices, at prevailing market prices at the time of sale, at prices related to the prevailing market price, at varying prices determined at the time of sale, or at negotiated prices. The offering price of the shares from time to time will be determined by the selling stockholder and, at the time of determination, may be higher or lower than the market price of our Class A common stock on the NYSE.

The selling stockholders may use any one or more of the following methods from time to time when disposing of shares:

on the New York Stock Exchange or any exchange or market on which shares of the Company's Class A common stock are listed or quoted;

in the over-the-counter market;

ordinary brokerage transactions and transactions in which the broker-dealer solicits purchasers;

block trades in which the broker-dealer will attempt to sell the shares as agent, but may position and resell a portion of the block as principal to facilitate the transaction;

purchases by a broker-dealer as principal and resale by the broker-dealer for its account;

an exchange distribution in accordance with the rules of the applicable exchange;

privately negotiated transactions;

short sales effected after the date the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part is declared effective by the SEC;

through the writing or settlement of options or other hedging transactions, whether through an options exchange or otherwise;

broker-dealers may agree with the selling stockholders to sell a specified number of such shares at a stipulated price per share;

a combination of any such methods of sale; or

any other method permitted pursuant to applicable law.

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The selling stockholders may also sell shares under Rule 144 under the Securities Act, if available, rather than under this prospectus. The selling stockholders are not obligated to, and there is no assurance that the selling stockholders will, sell all or any of the shares we are registering. The selling stockholders may transfer, devise or gift such shares by other means not described in this prospectus.

In connection with the sale of our shares, the selling stockholders may sell the shares directly or through broker-dealers acting as a principal or agent, or pursuant to a distribution by one or more underwriters on a firm commitment or best efforts basis. The selling stockholders may also enter into hedging transactions with broker-dealers or other financial institutions, which may in turn engage in short sales of the common stock in the course of hedging the positions they assume. The selling stockholders may also enter into option or other transactions with broker-dealers or other financial institutions or the creation of one or more derivative securities which require the delivery to such broker-dealer or other financial institution of shares offered by this prospectus, which shares such broker-dealer or other financial institution may resell pursuant to this prospectus (as supplemented or amended to reflect such transaction). The selling stockholders, broker-dealers or agents that participate in the sale of the Class A common stock may be underwriters within the meaning of Section 2(11) of the Securities Act.

Any discounts, commissions, concessions or profit they earn on any resale of the shares may be underwriting discounts and commissions under the Securities Act. Selling stockholders who are underwriters within the meaning of Section 2(11) of the Securities Act will be subject to the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act and may have liability as underwriters under the Securities Act.

The aggregate proceeds to each selling stockholder from the sale of our Class A common stock offered by them will be the purchase price of the Class A common stock less discounts or commissions, if any. Each of the

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selling stockholders reserves the right to accept and, together with their agents from time to time, to reject, in whole or in part, any proposed purchase of our Class A common stock to be made directly or through agents. We will not receive any of the proceeds from an offering by the selling stockholders.

Broker-dealers engaged by the selling stockholders may arrange for other brokers-dealers to participate in sales. Broker-dealers may receive commissions or discounts from the selling stockholders (or, if any broker-dealer acts as agent for the purchaser of shares, from the purchaser) in amounts to be negotiated. The selling stockholders do not expect these commissions and discounts to exceed what is customary in the types of transactions involved. Any profits on the resale of shares by a broker-dealer acting as principal might be deemed to be underwriting discounts or commissions under the Securities Act. Discounts, concessions, commissions and similar selling expenses, if any, attributable to the sale of shares will be borne by a selling stockholder. The selling stockholders may agree to indemnify any agent, dealer or broker-dealer that participates in transactions involving sales of the shares if liabilities are imposed on that person under the Securities Act.

The selling stockholders may from time to time pledge or grant a security interest in some or all of the shares owned by them and, if they default in the performance of any of their secured obligations, the pledgees or secured parties may offer and sell the shares from time to time under this prospectus as it may be supplemented from time to time, or under an amendment to this prospectus under Rule 424(b)(3) or other applicable provision of the Securities Act amending the list of selling stockholders to include the pledgee, transferee or other successors in interest as selling stockholders under this prospectus.

To the extent required, the shares to be sold, the names of the selling stockholders, the respective purchase prices and public offering prices, the names of any agents, dealer or underwriter, any applicable commissions or discounts with respect to a particular offer will be set forth in an accompanying prospectus supplement or, if appropriate, a post-effective amendment to the registration statement that includes this prospectus.

In order to comply with the securities laws of some states, if applicable, our Class A common stock may be sold in these jurisdictions only through registered or licensed brokers or dealers. In addition, in some states our Class A common stock may not be sold unless it has been registered or qualified for sale or an exemption from registration or qualification requirements is available and is complied with.

The anti-manipulation rules of Regulation M under the Exchange Act may apply to sales of shares in the market and to activities of certain of the selling stockholders and their affiliates. In addition, we will make copies of this prospectus (as it may be supplemented or amended from time to time) available to the selling stockholders for the purpose of satisfying the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act. The selling stockholders may indemnify any broker-dealer that participates in transactions involving the sale of the shares against certain liabilities, including liabilities arising under the Securities Act.

Upon our notification by a selling stockholder that any material arrangement has been entered into with an underwriter or broker-dealer for the sale of shares through a block trade, special offering, exchange distribution, secondary distribution or a purchase by an underwriter or broker-dealer, we will file an amendment to this prospectus or a supplement to this prospectus, if required, pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the Securities Act, disclosing certain material information, including:

the number of shares being offered;

the names of the participating underwriters, broker-dealers or agents;

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any discounts, commissions or other compensation paid to underwriters or broker-dealers and any discounts, commission or concessions allowed or re-allowed or paid by any underwriters to dealers;

the public offering price; and

other material terms of the offering.

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In the ordinary course of business, certain of the underwriters, broker-dealers or agents and their affiliates who may become involved in the sale of the Class A common stock may be customers and/or suppliers of, engage in transactions with, and perform services for, us.

Under the registration rights agreement we entered into with each of the selling stockholders, we are required to pay all the fees and expenses incurred by us incident to the registration of the shares, except for underwriting discounts and commissions, fees and disbursements for counsel for any selling stockholder and certain other expenses, all of which will be borne by the selling stockholders. We have agreed to indemnify the selling stockholders and their respective underwriters, officers, directors, trustees, employees, agents and controlling person, against specified liabilities, including liabilities under the federal securities laws. The selling stockholders have agreed, severally and not jointly, to indemnify us, our directors, certain officers and controlling persons, against specified liabilities arising from information provided by the selling stockholders for use in this prospectus, including liabilities under the federal securities laws.

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LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the shares of Class A common stock offered by this prospectus will be passed upon for us by Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP, New York, New York.

EXPERTS

The combined and consolidated financial statements of PBF Energy Inc. and subsidiaries (combined and consolidated with PBF Energy Company LLC and subsidiaries), incorporated in this Prospectus by reference from the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K have been audited by Deloitte & Touche LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, as stated in their report, which is incorporated herein by reference. Such financial statements have been so incorporated in reliance upon the report of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

The financial statements of the Paulsboro Refining Business as of December 16, 2010 and for the period from January 1, 2010 through December 16, 2010 appearing in PBF Energy Inc.'s Annual Report (Form 10-K) for the year ended December 31, 2012, have been incorporated by reference herein and in the registration statement in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, appearing in PBF Energy Inc.'s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012 and incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We have filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-1 with respect to the shares of our Class A common stock described in this prospectus. This prospectus, which constitutes a part of the registration statement, does not contain all of the information set forth in the registration statement or the exhibits and schedules which are part of the registration statement. For further information about us and our Class A common stock, you should refer to the registration statement and to its exhibits and schedules and the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus. Statements contained in this prospectus as to the contents of any contract or other document filed as an exhibit to the registration statement are not necessarily complete. If a contract or document has been filed as an exhibit to the registration statement, we refer you to the copy of the contract or document that has been filed as an exhibit to the registration statement.

You may read and copy any document we file at the SEC's public reference facility at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549. You may also obtain copies of the documents at prescribed rates by writing to the Public Reference Section of the SEC at 100 F Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20549. Please call the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330 for further information on the public reference facility. Our SEC filings are also available to the public from the SEC's website at <http://www.sec.gov>, and at our website at <http://www.pbfenergy.com>. Information on our website does not constitute a part of this prospectus.

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6,443,535 Shares

PBF ENERGY INC.

Class A Common Stock

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The following table sets forth the expenses incurred in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities being registered under this Registration Statement, other than underwriting discounts and commissions. All amounts, except the SEC registration fee and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority filing fee, are estimated. All amounts will be paid by the Registrant:

Securities and Exchange Commission Registration Fee	\$ 19,512.00
Accounting Fees and Expenses	\$ 100,000.00
Legal Fees and Expenses	\$ 100,000.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 80,488.00
Total	\$ 300,000.00

Item 14. Indemnification of Directors and Officers

Section 102 of the DGCL allows a corporation to eliminate the personal liability of directors to a corporation or its stockholders for monetary damages for a breach of a fiduciary duty as a director, except where the director breached his duty of loyalty, failed to act in good faith, engaged in intentional misconduct or knowingly violated a law, authorized the payment of a dividend or approved a stock repurchase or redemption in violation of Delaware corporate law or obtained an improper personal benefit.

Section 145 of the DGCL empowers a Delaware corporation to indemnify any person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of such corporation) by reason of the fact that such person is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of such corporation, or is or was serving at the request of such corporation as a director, officer, employee or agent of another corporation, partnership, joint venture, trust or other enterprise. The indemnity may include expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action, suit or proceeding, provided that such person acted in good faith and in a manner such person reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the corporation and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe such person's conduct was unlawful. A Delaware corporation may indemnify directors, officers, employees and other agents of such corporation in an action by or in the right of a corporation under the same conditions against expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by the person in connection with the defense and settlement of such action or suit, except that no indemnification is permitted without judicial approval if the person to be indemnified has been adjudged to be liable to the corporation. Where a present or former director or officer of the corporation is successful on the merits or otherwise in the defense of any action, suit or proceeding referred to above or in defense of any claim, issue or matter therein, the corporation must indemnify such person against the expenses (including attorneys' fees) which he or she actually and reasonably incurred in connection therewith.

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Section 174 of the DGCL provides, among other things, that a director who willfully or negligently approves of an unlawful payment of dividends or an unlawful stock purchase or redemption, may be held liable for such actions. A director who was either absent when the unlawful actions were approved or dissented at the time, may avoid liability by causing his or her dissent to such actions to be entered into the books containing the minutes of the meetings of the board of directors at the time such action occurred or immediately after such absent director receives notice of the unlawful acts.

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The Registrant's certificate of incorporation and bylaws contains provisions that provide for indemnification of officers and directors and their heirs and representatives to the full extent permitted by, and in the manner permissible under, the DGCL.

As permitted by Section 102(b)(7) of the DGCL, the Registrant's certificate of incorporation contains a provision eliminating the personal liability of a director to the Registrant or its stockholders for monetary damages for breach of fiduciary duty as a director, subject to some exceptions.

The Registrant maintains, at its expense, a policy of insurance which insures its directors and officers, subject to exclusions and deductions as are usual in these kinds of insurance policies, against specified liabilities which may be incurred in those capacities.

The Registrant has entered into an indemnification agreement with each of its directors and executive officers. The indemnification agreements supplement existing indemnification provisions in the Registrant's bylaws and in it the Registrant agrees, subject to certain exceptions, to the fullest extent then permitted by the DGCL, (1) to indemnify the director or executive officer and (2) to pay expenses incurred by the director or executive officer in any proceeding in advance of the final disposition of such proceeding, with the primary purpose of the agreements being to provide specific contractual assurances to the Registrant's directors and executive officers in respect of these indemnification protections which could not be altered by future changes to the Registrant's current bylaw indemnification provisions.

Item 15. Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities

On November 9, 2011, the Registrant issued 100 shares of the Registrant's common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, to PBF LLC for \$100.00.

The issuances of such shares of common stock were not registered under the Securities Act, because the shares were offered and sold in a transaction exempt from registration under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act.

In December 2012, the Registrant issued 3,534.97 shares of its Class A common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, upon an exchange by two holders of an equivalent number of PBF LLC Series A Units pursuant to the Exchange Agreement.

In June 2013, the Registrant issued an aggregate of 15,950,000 shares of Class A common stock in exchange for 15,950,000 PBF LLC Class A Units, pursuant to the Exchange Agreement.

The issuances of such shares of common stock were not registered under the Securities Act, because the shares were offered and sold in a transaction exempt from registration under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act.

Item 16. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules

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Number	Description
4.1	Amended and Restated Registration Rights Agreement of PBF Energy Inc. dated as of December 12, 2012 (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
5.1*	Opinion of Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP
10.1	Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of PBF Energy Company LLC (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))

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Number	Description
10.2	Exchange Agreement, dated as of December 12, 2012 (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
10.3	Tax Receivable Agreement, dated as of December 12, 2012 (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
10.4	Restated Warrant and Purchase Agreement between PBF Energy Company LLC and the officers party thereto, as amended (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.17 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Amendment No. 4 to Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-177933))
21.1	Subsidiaries of PBF Energy Inc. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 21.1 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012)
23.1*	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP
23.2*	Consent of KPMG LLP
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included on signature page)

* Filed herewith.

(b) Financial Statement Schedules

See Incorporation Of Certain Documents By Reference for a list of the financial statements incorporated by reference in this registration statement.

All schedules not identified have been omitted because they are not required, are not applicable or the information is included in the selected consolidated financial data or notes incorporated by reference in this registration statement.

Item 17. Undertakings

(a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this registration statement:

(i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act;

(ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no

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more than 20% change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the Calculation of Registration Fee table in the effective registration statement.

(iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the registration statement or any material change to such information in the registration statement.

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

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(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(4) That, for the purpose of determining liability under the Securities Act of 1933 to any purchaser:

i. If the registrant is relying on Rule 430B:

(A) Each prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(3) shall be deemed to be part of the registration statement as of the date the filed prospectus was deemed part of and included in the registration statement; and

(B) Each prospectus required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2), (b)(5), or (b)(7) as part of a registration statement in reliance on Rule 430B relating to an offering made pursuant to Rule 415(a)(1)(i), (vii), or (x) for the purpose of providing the information required by section 10(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the earlier of the date such form of prospectus is first used after effectiveness or the date of the first contract of sale of securities in the offering described in the prospectus. As provided in Rule 430B, for liability purposes of the issuer and any person that is at that date an underwriter, such date shall be deemed to be a new effective date of the registration statement relating to the securities in the registration statement to which that prospectus relates, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof. Provided, however, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement or made in a document incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference into the registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time of contract of sale prior to such effective date, supersede or modify any statement that was made in the registration statement or prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such effective date; or

ii. If the registrant is subject to Rule 430C, each prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) as part of a registration statement relating to an offering, other than registration statements relying on Rule 430B or other than prospectuses filed in reliance on Rule 430A (§ 230.430A of this chapter), shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the date it is first used after effectiveness. Provided, however, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement or made in a document incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference into the registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time of contract of sale prior to such first use, supersede or modify any statement that was made in the registration statement or prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such date of first use.

(b) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes to deliver or cause to be delivered with the prospectus, to each person to whom the prospectus is sent or given, the latest annual report to security holders that is incorporated by reference in the prospectus and furnished pursuant to and meeting the requirements of Rule 14a-3 or Rule 14c-3 under the Exchange Act; and, where interim financial information required to be presented by Article 3 of Regulation S-X are not set forth in the prospectus, to deliver, or cause to be delivered to each person to whom the prospectus is sent or given, the latest quarterly report that is specifically incorporated by reference in the prospectus to provide such interim financial information.

(c) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act, and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities

being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of

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its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

(d) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(1) That for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act, the information omitted from the form of prospectus filed as part of this registration statement in reliance upon Rule 430A and contained in a form of prospectus filed by the Registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(1) or (4), or 497(h) under the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of this registration statement as of the time it was declared effective.

(2) That for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act, each post-effective amendment that contains a form of prospectus shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the Township of Parsippany-Troy Hills, State of New Jersey, on August 20, 2013.

PBF ENERGY INC.

By: /s/ JEFFREY DILL
 Name: Jeffrey Dill
 Title: Officer

POWER OF ATTORNEY

We, the undersigned directors and/or officers, hereby severally constitute and appoint Jeffrey Dill, Michael D. Gayda and Matthew C. Lucey and each of them individually, our true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, with full powers of substitution and resubstitution in each of them for him or her and in his or her name, place and stead, and in any and all capacities (including, as applicable, our capacities as directors of the Registrant), to sign for us any and all amendments to this registration statement (including post-effective amendments) and any registration statement filed pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act of 1933 in connection with the registration under the Securities Act of 1933 of equity securities of the Registrant, and to file or cause to be filed the same, with all exhibits thereto and other documents in connection therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission and any applicable securities exchange or self regulatory body, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them individually, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in connection therewith, as fully to all intents and purposes as each of them might or could do in person, and hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, and each of them, or their substitute or substitutes, shall do or cause to be done by virtue of this Power of Attorney.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 this registration statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
/s/ THOMAS J. NIMBLEY Thomas J. Nimbley	Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	August 20, 2013
/s/ MATTHEW C. LUCEY Matthew C. Lucey	Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	August 20, 2013
/s/ KAREN B. DAVIS Karen B. Davis	Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	August 20, 2013
/s/ THOMAS D. O MALLEY Thomas D. O Malley	Executive Chairman of the Board of Directors	August 20, 2013

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/s/ SPENCER ABRAHAM

Director

August 20, 2013

Spencer Abraham

/s/ JEFFERSON F. ALLEN

Director

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Signature	Title	Date
/s/ MARTIN J. BRAND Martin J. Brand	Director	August 20, 2013
/s/ TIMOTHY H. DAY Timothy H. Day	Director	August 20, 2013
/s/ DAVID I. FOLEY David I. Foley	Director	August 20, 2013
/s/ DENNIS HOUSTON Dennis Houston	Director	August 20, 2013
/s/ EDWARD KOSNIK Edward Kosnik	Director	August 20, 2013
/s/ NEIL A. WIZEL Neil A. Wizel	Director	August 20, 2013

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Number	Description
4.1	Amended and Restated Registration Rights Agreement of PBF Energy Inc. dated as of December 12, 2012 (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
5.1*	Opinion of Stroock & Stroock & Lavan LLP
10.1	Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of PBF Energy Company LLC (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
10.2	Exchange Agreement, dated as of December 12, 2012 (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
10.3	Tax Receivable Agreement, dated as of December 12, 2012 (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.2 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Current Report on Form 8-K dated December 18, 2012 (File No. 001-35764))
10.4	Restated Warrant and Purchase Agreement between PBF Energy Company LLC and the officers party thereto, as amended (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.17 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Amendment No. 4 to Registration Statement on Form S-1 (Registration No. 333-177933))
21.1	Subsidiaries of PBF Energy Inc. (Incorporated by reference to Exhibit 21.1 filed with PBF Energy Inc. s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012)
23.1*	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP
23.2*	Consent of KPMG LLP
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included on signature page)

* Filed herewith.