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Communities for a Better Environment (CBE) would like to thank the Vietnamese American Bar Association of Northern California (VABANC) Law Foundation for choosing Jaimini Parekh to serve as their Public Interest Fellow to work with CBE for the next year, focusing on oil extraction activities that adversely impact the health and quality of life of community residents in South Los Angeles and Wilmington.

“I would like to thank the VABANC Law Foundation for the opportunity to work on the environmental injustice of neighborhood oil drilling that particularly affects marginalized communities of color, and for helping me to launch my career as a public interest environmental justice lawyer.” – Jaimini Parekh, CBE Staff Attorney / VABANC Law Foundation Fellow.

