



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION IX
75 Hawthorne Street
San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

December 13, 2010

Honorable Susan L. Biro
Chief Administrative Law Judge
Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Mail Code 1900L
Washington, D.C. 20460

RE: Crown Chrome Plating
DOCKET NUMBER: RCRA-09-2010-0014
Complaint Filed: 08/16/2010
Proposed Penalty: Up to \$37,500 per day for violation

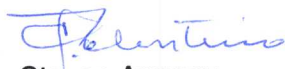
Dear Judge Biro:

Pursuant to Section 22.21(a) of the Consolidated Rules of Practice (40 C.F.R. Part 22), the above captioned matter is hereby referred to you for assignment of an Administrative Law Judge. In accordance therewith, I enclose a copy of EPA's Complaint, all subsequent documents, and a copy of the Respondent's Answer.

Respondent is represented by:
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Complainant is represented by:
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Very truly yours,


FOR: Steven Armsey
Regional Hearing Clerk

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