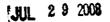


UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 4 ATLANTA FEDERAL CENTER 61 FORSYTH STREET ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30303-8960



# <u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED</u>

Mr. Jeffrey A. Rose Director City of Maryville Water Quality Control Department Maryville Operations Center 332 Home Avenue Maryville, Tennessee 37801

SUBJECT: City of Maryville, Tennessee Expedited Settlement Agreement Docket No. CAA-04-2008-8021(b)

Dear Mr. Rose:

Enclosed please find an executed copy of the Expedited Settlement Agreement (ESA) that resolves the Clean Air Act (CAA) matter (Docket No. CAA-04-2008-8021(b)) involving City of Maryville, Tennessee. The ESA was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk, as required by 40 C.F.R. Part 22 and became effective on today's date.

As required by the ESA, within fifteen days of receipt of this letter, a cashier's check or certified check in the amount of \$1080, made out to the "Treasurer, United States of America," should be submitted to one of the following addresses:

For payment sent via U.S. Postal Service U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Fines and Penalties Cincinnati Finance Center PO Box 979077 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000; or

For payment sent via overnight mail service (FedEx, UPS) U.S. Bank 1005 Convention Plaza Mail Station SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101 Contact: Natalie Pearson @ 314-418-4087.

Internet Address (URL) + http://www.epa.gov Recycled/Recyclable + Printed with Vegetable Oil Based Inks on Recycled Paper (Minimum 30% Postconsumer) The Docket No. should be included on the check. Also, a separate copy of the check and a written statement that payment has been made in accordance with this ESA should be sent to the following individuals:

Saundi Wilson U. S. EPA Region 4 Office of Environmental Accountability 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303, and

Victor L. Weeks U. S. EPA Region 4 EPCRA Enforcement Section 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

If you have any questions, please call Victor Weeks at (404) 562-9189.

Sincerely,

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Caron B. Falconer Chief, EPCRA Enforcement Section

Enclosures

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 4

# EXPEDITED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

### DOCKET NO: <u>CAA-04-2008-8021(b)</u>

This ESA is issued to:



# City of Maryville Water Quality Control Department Maryville Operation Center 332 Home Avenue Maryville, Tennessee 37801

# for violating 40 CFR § 68.69, 40 CFR § 68.79 and Section 112(r)(7) of the Clean Air Act.

This Expedited Settlement Agreement (ESA) is being entered into by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 4, the Director of the Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division (Complainant), and by the City of Maryville Water Quality Control Department (Respondent), pursuant to Section 113(a)(3) and (d) of the Clean Air Act (the "Act"), 42 U.S.C. § 7413(a)(3) and (d), and pursuant to 40 CFR § 22.13(b).

## ALLEGED VIOLATIONS

Based on a compliance monitoring inspection conducted at the Respondent's Water Filtration Plant located at 3635 Sevierville Road, Maryville, Tennessee, on June 6, 2007, EPA alleges that the Respondent violated the Act's Chemical Accident Prevention Program when Respondent did not provide evidence that:

It has developed and implemented written operating procedures that address the following elements found at 40 CFR § 68.69(a): (1)(iv) emergency shutdown, including the conditions under which emergency shutdown is required and the assignment of shutdown responsibility to qualified operators to ensure that emergency shutdown is executed in a safe manner; and (2) operating limits, including (i) consequences of deviation and (ii) steps required to correct or avoid deviation;

It has annually certified that the operating procedures are current and accurate and that procedures have been reviewed as often as necessary as required by 40 CFR § 68.69(c); and

At least every three years, it has evaluated its compliance with the prevention program requirements and certified that its procedures and practices are adequate and are being followed as required by 40 CFR § 68.79(a).

#### **SETTLEMENT**

In consideration of Respondent's size, its full compliance history, its good faith effort to comply, and other factors as justice may require, and upon consideration of the entire record the parties enter into the ESA in order to settle the violations cited above, for the total penalty amount of **\$1080**.

This settlement is subject to the following terms and conditions: the Respondent by signing below admits the jurisdictional allegations contained herein, neither admits nor denies the specific factual allegations contained herein, and consents to the assessment of the penalty as stated above; Respondent waives its rights to a hearing afforded by Section 113(d)(2)(A) of the Act, 42 U.S.C § 7413(d)(2)(A), and to contest the allegations contained in this ESA; and each party to this action shall bear its own costs and fees, if any.

Respondent certifies, subject to civil and criminal penalties for making a false submission to the United States Government, that the Respondent has corrected the alleged violations listed in this ESA. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty of **\$1080**. Please note that payment should not be made until after Respondent receives a copy of the fully executed ESA. Within fifteen (15) days after receiving a copy of the fully executed ESA, the Respondent shall send a cashier's check or certified check (payable to the "Treasurer, United States of America") in the amount of **\$1080**, in payment of the full penalty amount to one of the following addresses:

> For payment sent via U.S. Postal Service U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Fines and Penalties Cincinnati Finance Center PO Box 979077 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000; or

For payment sent via overnight mail service (FedEx, UPS) U.S. Bank 1005 Convention Plaza Mail Station SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101 Contact: Natalie Pearson @ 314-418-4087

The Respondent's name and the Docket Number of this ESA <u>must be included on</u> <u>the check</u>. The Docket Number is located at the top left corner of the first page of this ESA.

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At the time of payment, Respondent shall send a separate copy of the check, and a written statement that payment has been made in accordance with this ESA to:

Saundi Wilson U. S. EPA Region 4 Office of Environmental Accountability 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303, and

Victor L. Weeks U. S. EPA Region 4 EPCRA Enforcement Section 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Upon Respondent's payment of the penalty, EPA will take no further civil action against Respondent for the alleged violations of the Act referenced in this ESA. EPA does not waive any other enforcement action for any other violations of the Act or any other statute.

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The following individual represents EPA in this matter and is authorized to receive service for EPA in this proceeding:

> Caron B. Falconer U.S. EPA - Region 4 61 Forsyth St., S. W. Atlanta, Georgia 30303 (404) 562-8451

This ESA is binding on the parties signing below.

This ESA is effective upon filing with the Regional Hearing Clerk.

FOR RESPONDENT:

Mame (print): \_\_\_\_\_\_ Jeffrey A. Rose\_\_\_\_\_ Title (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Director

City of Maryville Water Quality Control Department

FOR COMPLAINANT:

emples for Date: 7/9/08 Beverly H. Banister

Director Air, Pesticides & Toxics Management Division Region 4

I hereby ratify the ESA and incorporate it herein by reference. It is so ORDERED.

Lectus \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 7/29/08\_\_\_\_

Susan B. Schub **Regional Judicial Officer** 

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true and correct copy of the foregoing Expedited Settlement Agreement, in the matter of City of Maryville, Tennessee, <u>CAA-04-2008-8021(b)</u>, on the parties listed below in the manner indicated:

Caron B. Falconer U. S. EPA - Region 4 Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, GA 30303

Elizabeth O'Sullivan U. S. EPA - Region 4 Office of Environmental Accountability 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, GA 30303

Mr. Jeffrey A. Rose Director City of Maryville Water Quality Control Department Maryville Operations Center 332 Home Avenue Maryville, Tennessee 37801 (Via EPA's internal mail)

(Via EPA's internal mail)

(Via Certified Mail -Return Receipt Requested)

Date: 1-29-08

Patricia A. Bullock, Regional Hearing Clerk Unites States Environmental Protection Agency Region 4 Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-562-9511

# EPA ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE CONTROL NUMBER FORM

#### TO BE COMPLETED BY THE ORIGINATING OFFICE: (Attach a conv of the final order and transmittal letter to Defendant/Respondent)

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(Attach a copy of the final order and transmittal letter to Defendant/Respondent)				
This form	saundi Wilson			_00 7/23/08_
(Name) (Date)				
in the _	Region 4, ORC, OEA			at (404) 562-9504
	(Office	)		(Telephone Number)
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PAYEE: City of Maryulle Water Quality Control District				
The Total Dollar Amount of the Receivable: \$ O X O				
(If installments, attach schedule of amounts and respective due dates. See Other side of this form.)				
The Case Docket Number:				
The Site Specific Superfund Account Number:				
The Designated Regional/Headquarters Program Office:				
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The IFMS Accounts Receivable Control Number is: Date Date				
If you have any questions, please call: of the Financial Management Section at:				
DISTRIBUTION:				
A. <u>JUDICIAL ORDERS</u> : Copies of this form with an attached copy of the front page of the <u>FINAL JUDICIAL ORDER</u> should be mailed to:				
1.	Debt Tracking Officer Environmental Enforcement Section Department of Justice RM 1647 P.O. Box 7611, Benjamin Franklin Station Washington, D.C. 20044		iginating Office (EAD) signated Program Office	
B. ADMINISTRATIVE ORDERS: Copies of this form with an attached copy of the front page of the Administrative Order should be to:				
1. 2.	Originating Office Regional Hearing Clerk		signated Program Office gional Counsel (EAD)	

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