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In the matter of

UNELKO CORPORATION,

Respondent.

U.S. EPA Docket No. FIFRA-09-2008-0021

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ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER

By motion filed December 15, 2008, the Respondent seeks an extension of time for Respondent to answer or otherwise respond to the above-referenced matter filed on September 24, 2008, and amended by Complainant on November 17, 2008. In its motion, the Respondent requests an extension of time for Respondent to answer or otherwise respond until December 30, 2008; and avers that such an extension will allow the parties to finalize a settlement of this matter, and that Complainant joins in the request for such an extension of time.

Section 22.07(b) of the Consolidated Rules of Practice, 40 C.F.R. § 22.07(b), provides that a motion for extension of time may be granted "for good cause shown, and after consideration of prejudice to other parties."

On the basis of the Respondent's motion, it appears that there is good cause for an extension of time, and there will be no prejudice to either party from granting the requested extension.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The time for Respondent to answer or otherwise respond to the above-referenced matter is extended to December 30, 2008.

Dated: December 16, 2008

Jo Ann Asami

Acting Regional Judicial Officer

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the original of the foregoing ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENT'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER in the matter of Unelko Corporation, Docket #FIFRA-09-2008-0021, signed Jo Ann Asami for Steven L. Jawgiel, Regional Judicial Officer, was served on each of the parties at the address given below by mailing first class as here indicated:

Edgar P. Coral, Esq. Assistant Regional Counsel U. S. EPA, Region 9 75 Hawthorne Street, ORC-2 San Francisco, California 94105 Hand Delivered

Amy L. Blackwood, Esq. Keller and Heckman LLP 1001 G Street, NW Suite 500 West Washington, DC 20001 First Class Mail

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16th day of December, 2008

Danielle E. Carr Regional Hearing Clerk U.S. EPA, Region 9