

**ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

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In re Massachusetts Port Authority)	
)	NPDES Appeal No. 23-03
NPDES Permit No. MA0000787)	
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**SECOND ORDER EXTENDING STAY OF PROCEEDINGS
TO ALLOW PARTIES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE BOARD'S
ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAM**

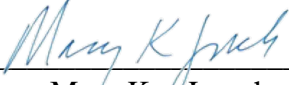
On September 25, 2023, the Massachusetts Port Authority (“Massport”) petitioned the Environmental Appeals Board (“Board”) to review certain conditions of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit no. MA0000787, which the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”) Region 1 issued to Massport. EPA Region 1 and Massport agreed to participate in the Board’s Alternative Dispute Resolution (“ADR”) program. On October 4, 2023, the Board issued an order staying all proceedings to allow for the ADR process to proceed. On November 8, 2023, the Board issued an order extending the stay through February 14, 2024.

The settlement judge has notified the panel that a 60-day extension of the stay in this proceeding beyond the expiration of the current stay on February 14, 2024 is warranted because further discussions among the parties would be beneficial. Accordingly, all proceedings in this matter are stayed until **Monday, April 15, 2024**.

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: January 25, 2024

By: 
Mary Kay Lynch
Environmental Appeals Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that copies of the foregoing *Second Order Extending Stay of Proceedings to Allow Parties to Participate in the Board's Alternative Dispute Resolution Program* in the matter of Massachusetts Port Authority, NPDES Appeal No. 23-03, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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