

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5 77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF

SENT VIA E-MAIL

To: Laura K. McAfee Beveridge & Diamond PC <u>Imcafee.bdlaw.com</u> 201North Charles Street Suite 2201 Baltimore, Maryland 21201-4150

Re: Consent Agreement and Final Order BASF Corporation Docket No: CWA-05-2019-0001

Dear Ms. McAfee:

Attached, please find a signed, fully-executed Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO) in resolution of the above case. The original was filed on February 1, 2019, with the Regional Hearing Clerk (RHC).

Your client should pay the civil penalty in the amount of 22,500, in the manner prescribed in paragraphs 77 and 78 of the CAFO. If paying by check, the client should include the notation "OSLTF – 311" and the docket number of this case: **CWA-05-2019-0001**. Your client's payment is due within 30 calendar days of the effective date of the CAFO.

Thank you for your cooperation in resolving this matter. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact Ellen Riley, of my staff, at 312-886-9497 or at riley.ellen@epa.gov.

Sincerely

Michael E. Hans, Chief Chemical Emergency Preparedness and Prevention Section

Attachments