

**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION I**

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	
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Finicky Pet Food, Inc.	)	EPA Docket Nos.
68 Blackmer Street	)	CAA-01-2018-0019
New Bedford, MA 02744	)	EPCRA-01-2018-0020
	)	
Respondent.	)	
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**ORDER TO EXTEND TIME TO COMPLETE SEP**

The Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO) for the above-referenced matter requires, among other things, that Respondent, Finicky Pet Food, Inc., complete a Supplemental Environmental Project (SEP) to provide emergency response gear to local emergency responders. The gear was to be provided in three installments within twelve months of the issuance of the Final Order. CAFO Para. 80, p. 31. The Final Order was issued by the undersigned and filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk on or about September 20, 2018. Accordingly, the final SEP installment was due on or about September 20, 2019.

Because it is experiencing financial difficulties, Respondent was unable to complete the final SEP installment within the twelve-month timeframe. As a result, in lieu of the assessment of stipulated penalties which would worsen Respondent's financial difficulties, the parties have jointly proposed a one-year extension of time to allow Respondent to complete the final installment.

For good cause shown, the deadline for the final SEP installment is extended for twelve additional months, i.e., until September 20, 2020. See CAFO Para. 109, p. 43. The final SEP installment must be completed by this date.

SO ORDERED THIS 2<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER 2019

  
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LeAnn Jensen  
Regional Judicial Officer

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 2019 the original foregoing Order was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk, a copy was hand-delivered to Counsel for Complainant, and a copy was mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested, to Counsel for Respondent.

October 2, 2019  
Date

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