

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 8

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BAKER BOY BAKE SHOP, INC.

PINAL ORDER

RESPONDENT

ORDER

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Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.13(b) and §§ 22.18(b)(2) and (3) of EPA's Consolidated Rules of Practice, the Expedited Settlement Agreement resolving this matter is hereby approved and incorporated by reference into this Final Order.

The Respondent is hereby **ORDERED** to comply with all of the terms of the Expedited Settlement Agreement, effective immediately upon filing this Expedited Settlement Agreement and Final Order.

SO ORDERED THIS 15TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2020.

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Katherin E. Hall Regional Judicial Officer

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| IN THE MATTER OF:             | ) | D. L. N GAA 00 0000 0014            | EPA Region VIII        |
|                               | ) | <b>Docket No.:</b> CAA-08-2020-0014 | 500000 0000 MARKET 842 |
| Baker Boy Bake Shop, Inc.     | ) |                                     | Hearing Clerk          |
| 170 GTA Drive                 | ) |                                     |                        |
| West Industrial Park          | ) |                                     |                        |
| Dickinson, North Dakota 58601 | ) | EXPEDITED SETTLEMENT AGR            | EEMENT                 |
|                               | ) | (CONSENT AGREEMENT and FIR          | NAL                    |
| Respondent.                   | ) | ORDER)                              |                        |
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#### **AUTHORITY**

- 1. This Expedited Settlement Agreement (also known as a Consent Agreement and Final Order, hereafter ESA), which is intended to simultaneously commence and conclude this matter, is being entered into by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 8, by its duly delegated official, the division director of the Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division, and the Baker Boy Bake Shop, Inc. (Respondent). This matter is authorized by 40 C.F.R. §§ 22.13(b) and 22.18(b)(2) and (3).
- 2. The EPA and Respondent agree that the EPA has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to section 113(a)(3) and (d) of the Clean Air Act (the Act), 42 U.S.C. §§ 7413(a)(3) and (d).
- 3. The EPA and the U.S. Department of Justice have determined, pursuant to section 113(d)(1) of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7413(d)(1), that the EPA may pursue this type of case through administrative enforcement.

#### RESPONDENT

- 4. The Respondent is a "person" under section 302(e) of the Act. 42 U.S.C. § 7602(e).
- 5. The Respondent is a North Dakota incorporated company authorized to do business in the State of North Dakota.
- 6. Respondent is the owner or operator of the Baker Boy Bake Shop, a food manufacturing facility, a stationary source, located at 170 GTA Drive, West Industrial Park, Dickinson, North Dakota 58601 (Facility).

#### ALLEGED VIOLATIONS

7. On July 31, 2019, an authorized representative of the EPA conducted a compliance inspection of Respondent's Facility to determine compliance with the Risk Management Plan (RMP) regulations promulgated at 40 C.F.R. part 68 under section 112(r)(7) of the Act. Based on the July 31, 2019

- inspection, the EPA has determined that Respondent violated those regulations as stated in paragraphs 8 through 12.
- 8. Respondent failed to comply with recognized and generally accepted good engineering practices failure to provide an emergency eyewash/shower station as required by 40 C.F.R. § 68.65(d)(2).
- 9. Respondent Failed to comply with recognized and generally accepted good engineering practices failure to keep combustible materials out of machinery rooms 40 C.F.R. § 68.65(d)(2).
- 10. Respondent failed to include operating procedures for startup following a turnaround, or after an emergency shutdown as required by 40 C.F.R. § 68.69(a)(1)(vii).
- 11. Respondent failed to certify annually that the operating procedures are current and accurate as required by 40 C.F.R. § 68.69(c).
- 12. Respondent failed to submit data required with respect to an accident within six months of the incident as required by 40 C.F.R. § 68.195.

#### **SETTLEMENT**

- 13. In consideration of the factors contained in section 113(d)(1) of the Act and the entire record, the parties enter into this ESA in order to settle the violations referenced above for the total penalty amount of \$7,400.00.
- 14. This settlement is subject to the following terms and conditions with respect to the violations referenced above:
  - a. Respondent, by signing below, waives any objections that it may have regarding jurisdiction, neither admits nor denies the specific factual allegations contained in this ESA, and consents to the assessment of the penalty as stated above.
  - b. 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 appeal this ESA.
  - c. Each party to this action shall bear its own costs and attorney fees, if any.
  - d. Respondent waives any and all available rights to judicial or administrative review or other remedies that the Respondent may have, with respect to any issue of fact or law or any terms and conditions set forth in this ESA, including any right of judicial review under the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. §§ 701-706.
- 15. By signing this ESA Respondent certifies that: (1) the alleged violations listed in paragraphs 8 through 12 have been corrected, and (2) Respondent is submitting payment of the civil penalty as described below.

Within 20 days of receipt of this ESA, Respondent must send a cashier's check or certified check (payable to "Treasurer, United States of America") in the amount of \$7,400.00 in payment of the full penalty amount to the following address:

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Fines and Penalties Cincinnati Finance Center P.O. Box 979077 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

# The following Payment Tracking Number for this ESA must be included on the check: ESA-R8-CAA-2020-004

The signed ESA and a copy of the check must be sent by certified mail to:

Dan Webster, Mail Code: 8ENF-AT-P US EPA Region 8 1595 Wynkoop Street Denver, Colorado 80202-1129

- 16. Respondent agrees that the penalty specified in this ESA shall not be deductible for purposes of state or federal taxes.
- 17. Once the Respondent receives a copy of the Final Order and pays in full the penalty assessment described above, the EPA agrees not to take any further civil administrative penalty action against Respondent for the violations alleged in this ESA.
- 18. This ESA does not pertain to any matters other than those expressly specified herein. The EPA reserves, and this ESA is without prejudice to, all rights against Respondent with respect to all other matters, including
  - a. claims based on a failure by Respondent to meet a requirement of this ESA including any claims for costs that are caused by the Respondent's failure to comply with this Agreement;
  - b. claims based on criminal liability; and
  - c. claims based on any other violations of the Act or federal or state law.
- 19. If the signed original ESA with an attached copy of the check is not returned to the EPA Region 8 office at the above address in correct form by Respondent within 20 days of the date of Respondent's receipt of this ESA, the proposed ESA is withdrawn, without prejudice to EPA's ability to file an enforcement action for the violations identified in this ESA.
- 20. This ESA, upon incorporation into the Final Order, applies to and is binding upon the EPA and Respondent and Respondent's successors and assigns. Any change in ownership or corporate status of Respondent, including, but not limited to, any transfer of assets or real or personal property, shall not alter Respondent's responsibilities under this ESA. This ESA contains all terms of the settlement agreed to by parties.

- 21. Nothing in this ESA shall relieve Respondent of the duty to comply with the Act and its implementing regulations.
- 22. The undersigned representative of Respondent certifies that he/she is fully authorized to enter into the terms and conditions of this ESA and to bind Respondent to the terms and conditions of this ESA.
- 23. The parties consent to service of this ESA and Final Order by e-mail at the following valid e-mail addresses: weiner.marc@epa.gov (for Complainant), and chuckr@bakerboy.com (for Respondent).
- 24. The parties agree to submit this ESA to the Regional Judicial Officer with a request that it be incorporated into a final order.

| For Respondent, Baker Boy Bake Shop, Inc.:  |                  |
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| Name (Print)  Name (Print)  Pressilent  | Date: 8-28-2020  |
| For Complainant, United States Environmental Protection A                         | gency, Region 8: |
| SUZANNE BOHAN Digitally signed by SUZANNE BOHAN Date: 2020.09.03 11:16:06 -06'00' | Date:            |

Suzanne J. Bohan, Director Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that the attached EXPEDITED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT and the FINAL ORDER in the matter of BAKER BOY BAKE SHOP, INC.; DOCKET NO.: CAA-08-2020-0014 was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk on September 15, 2020.

Further, the undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the documents were emailed to, Marc Weiner, Enforcement Attorney, and sent via certified receipt email on September 15, 2020,

### Respondent

Chuck Robideau, ES and Maintenance Manager Baker Boy Bake Shop, Inc. chuckr@bakerboy.com

**EPA Financial Center** 

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September 15, 2020

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Melissa Haniewicz Regional Hearing Clerk