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BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

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In the Matter of)

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MEDICAL CENTER,)

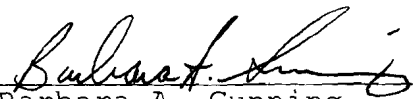
Respondent)

DOCKET NO. RCRA-07-2006-0261


REPORT RECOMMENDING TERMINATION
OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS
AND ASSIGNMENT OF A JUDGE FOR LITIGATION

The Report of February 21, 2007 provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates March 29, 2007. The recommendation of this Report is that the ADR process be terminated, and that the case be assigned to a Judge for resolution through litigation.

The reason for this recommendation is that the parties, after three months of the ADR process, have not reached an agreement to settle this matter. The parties did, however, successfully use the ADR process to negotiate the framework for a possible settlement. Accordingly, the case should now be assigned to a Judge to preside over a litigated resolution of this case.


Barbara A. Gunning
Administrative Law Judge
Dated: March 8, 2007

Approved: _____


Susan L. Biro
Chief Administrative Law Judge

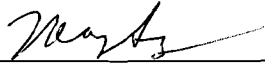
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**In the ADR Matter of *University of Kansas Medical Center*, Respondent.
Docket No. RCRA-07-2006-0261**

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