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Ms. Helen Ferrara Regional Judicial Officer United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 2 290 Broadway, 16th Floor New York, NY 10007-1866

Re: In the Matter of the City of New York

and the New York City

Economic Development Corporation <u>Docket No. TSCA-02-2009-9204</u>

Dear Ms. Ferrara:

I am writing to request a fourth extension of time to answer the Complaint filed in the above-referenced matter. EPA Assistant Regional Counsel Jeannie M. Yu has agreed to an extension for the Answer, now due August 17, 2010, to a new date of November 30, 2010. We are confident that we will reach a mutually acceptable settlement.

If you have any questions or wish to discuss this request, please call me at the telephone number above. Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Heidi M

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