UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION II

IN THE MATTER OF:	:	
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	:	Docket No. CWA-02-2013-3313
Robert Iovinella and	:	
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BTL Properties, LLC,	:	
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Respondents	:	
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ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENTS, REQUEST TO WITHDRAW ANSWER AND AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE AN ANSWER TO THE COMPLAINT

Region 2 of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (Complainant) filed a Complaint against Respondents on September 17, 2013. By letter dated October 15, 2013, Respondents filed an Answer to the Complaint. By letter to the Regional Hearing Clerk dated October 18, 2013, Respondents submitted a request to withdraw the Answer. By separate letter to the Undersigned dated October 18, 2013, Respondents submitted, with the concurrence of Complainant, a request for an extension of time in which Respondents may file an answer to EPA's Complaint.

40 C.F.R. § 22.15(e) provides that the respondents may amend an answer upon motion granted by the Presiding Officer. Pursuant to this section, the Undersigned may grant a motion to withdraw Respondents' Answer.

Based on the information provided by the parties, the separate request for extension of time to answer appears to be for good cause shown.

IT IS ORDERED:

The Respondents' motion to withdraw the Answer is hereby granted. In addition the Respondents' request for an extension of time of ninety (90) days, through January 17, 2014, is hereby granted.

Effective Date

The effective date of this Order shall be October 18, 2013.

Date: October 24, 2013

Helen S. Ferrara

Regional Judicial Officer

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Answer And An Extension Of Time To File An Answer To The Complaint by
Regional Judicial Officer Helen Ferrara in the matter of Robert Iovinella And BTL
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Dated: October 24, 2013