



BY EMAIL

Dated via electronic signature below

Ms. LeAnn Jensen Regional Judicial Officer U.S. EPA, Region 1 (Mail Code 4-MI) 5 Post Office Square, Suite 100 Boston, MA 02109-3912 Jensen.LeAnn@epa.gov

Re: In the matter of E. & J. Parts Cleaning, Inc., Docket No. EPCRA-01-2024-0046

Dear Ms. Jensen:

In accordance with 40 C.F.R. §§ 22.13(b) and 22.18(2), and simultaneously transmitted with this letter, please find a Consent Agreement and proposed Final Order ("CAFO") settling the above-referenced action. The Consent Agreement has been signed by the parties and is now being submitted to you for approval.

If signed by you, the CAFO will resolve administrative civil penalty liability of the Respondent, E. & J. Parts Cleaning, Inc. ("E. & J. Parts"), for alleged violations of Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act ("EPCRA"), 42 U.S.C. § 11023. The alleged violations occurred at Respondent's facility located at 1669 Thomaston Ave., Waterbury, Connecticut.

Under the terms of the CAFO, the Respondent has agreed to pay a civil monetary penalty of \$15,587 within 30 days of the CAFO's effective date. The penalty complies with EPCRA's statutory penalty factors and the *Enforcement Response Policy for Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (1986) and Section 6607 of the Pollution Prevention Act (1990)* (April 12, 2001).

The parties' consent to the use of digital signatures (as well as Respondent's consent to electronic service of the CAFO, once filed) is included in the CAFO. Respondent chose to sign the CAFO with a "wet" signature, and EPA's official signed electronically. Accordingly, I am submitting a PDF of the executed CAFO and will file Respondent's original signature page with you after I receive it in the mail. This settlement does not have any public notice requirements.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Cc (via email): John Clark III, E. & J. Parts Cleaning, Inc.