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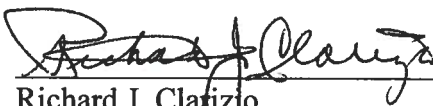
IN THE MATTER OF: )  
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Elite Enterprises, Inc. ) DOCKET NO. RCRA-05-2009-0013  
2701 S. Coliseum Blvd. )  
Suite 1158 ) Complaint and Compliance  
Fort Wayne, IN 46803 ) Order and Notice of Opportunity for  
U.S. EPA ID No. IND 985 102 607 ) Hearing pursuant to Section 3008(a) of  
) the Resource Conservation and Recovery  
) Act, 42 U.S.C. §6928(a)  
)  
Creative Liquid Coatings, Inc. (formerly )  
doing business as Creative Coatings, Inc.) )  
)  
AND )  
Randall Geist )  
)  
Respondents )  
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**STATUS REPORT**

Complainant is filing this Status Report pursuant to Judge Gunning's October 22, 2009, Prehearing Order. On October 20, 2009, Complainant met with representatives of Respondents Geist and Creative Liquid Coatings to discuss settlement. On November 18, 2009, Respondents submitted information to Complainant for settlement purposes. The Complainant is reviewing that information. Complainant expects that settlement discussions will continue.

Respectfully submitted

  
Richard J. Clafizo  
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Dated: December 1, 2009

**In the Matter of *Elite Enterprises, Inc. (USEPA ID No. 985 102 607); Creative Liquid Coatings, Inc. (fdb Creative Coatings, Inc.) and Randall Geist, Respondents***  
**Docket No. RCRA-05-2009-0013**

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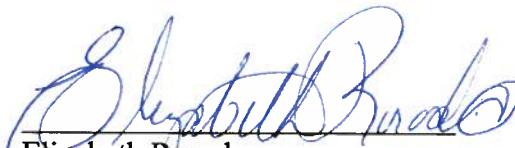
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