

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 7

901 NORTH FIFTH STREET
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS 66101

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BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

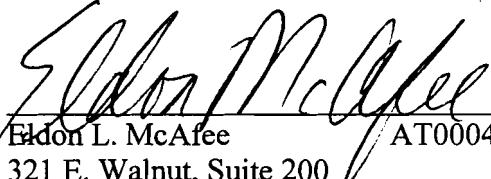
IN THE MATTER OF)	
)	Docket No. CWA-07-2007-0077
MARION RUS)	
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d/b/a MARION RUS FEEDLOT)	
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SIOIUX COUNTY, IOWA)	REQUEST FOR EXTENSION
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Respondent.)	

COMES NOW the Respondent, Marion Rus, by and through his attorney, Eldon L. McAfee, to appear in the above-stated matter to request a forty-five (45) day extension to Answer the Complaint, and in support of said extension states that:

1. The Respondent and the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7, are nearing settlement of the issues in this matter.
2. That Respondent's time and resources will be better utilized in pursuing settlement than in preparing an Answer to the Complaint.
3. That in order to fully consider and complete settlement Respondent hereby respectfully requests an extension of forty-five (45) days for a total of seventy-five (75) days from the service of Complaint and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Answer and request a formal hearing.

Dated this 12 day of September, 2007.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that the foregoing instrument was served upon all parties to the above cause to each of the attorneys of record herein at their respective addresses disclosed on the pleadings on September 12, 2007

By: U.S. Mail FAX
 Hand Delivered Overnight Courier
 Certified Mail Other:

Signature Nancy Franklin