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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

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BY PERSONAL DELIVERY VIA U.S. EPA POUCH MAIL

The Honorable Spencer T. Nissen U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of the Administrative Law Judge Washington, D.C. 20460

Re:

Batesville Water & Gas Utility and Don Gunter Excavating, LLC,

Docket No. CWA-05-2010-0013

Dear Judge Nissen:

Please find enclosed a copy of "Complainant's Motion to Extend Alternative Dispute Resolution Period" that was filed today in the above-captioned matter.

Very truly yours,

Jeffrey A. Cahn

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Enclosure

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IN THE MATTER OF:)	
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BATESVILLE WATER & GAS UTILITY)	
and)	Docket No. CWA-05-2010-0013
DON GUNTER EXCAVATING, LLC,)	
, ,)	
RESPONDENTS.)	Judge Nissen
)

COMPLAINANT'S MOTION TO EXTEND ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PERIOD

Complainant moves the Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) process neutral for a thirty (30) extension of the ADR period (or until December 8, 2010) leave to amend its complaint through interdelineation, instanter, pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.16(a). In further support, Complainant states as follows:

- 1. Complainant filed its Complaint in this matter on June 10, 2010.
- 2. On, or about, June 6, 2010, Respondent Don Gunter Excavating, LLC, ("Gunter Excavating") transmitted its Motion For Enlargement Of Time To File An Answer for filing.
- 3. On July 12, 2010, the Court granted the motion of Don Gunter, LLC, allowing Respondent until August 13, 2010, to file its Answer.
- 4. On, or about, July 12, 2010, Respondent Batesville Water & Gas Utility ("Batesville") transmitted its Answer for filing.
- 5. On, or about, August 11, 2010, Gunter Excavating transmitted its Answer for filing.
- 6. On September 7, 2010, the Court issued an Order initiating the ADR process and appointing Judge Nissen as the ADR process neutral. The initial ADR process is set to expire

on November 8, 2010, unless extended by the Chief Administrative Law Judge upon request of the ADR process neutral.

- 7. The November 8, 2010, ADR process termination date has not passed.
- 8. On November 4, 2010, the parties informed the ADR process neutral that they had reached a settlement in principle.
- 9. The parties will require additional time to memorialize the terms of their settlement. In order to conserve the resources of the parties, as well as the resources of the Court, Complainant moves for a thirty (30) day extension of the ADR process period (or until December 8, 2010) for the parties to draft and circulate a settlement agreement. This extension will keep this matter from reverting to the expedited litigation track.
- Because this motion is timely, and because good cause to grant it exists,
 Complainant moves for an extension of the ADR period.

WHEREFORE, Complainant moves this Court for a thirty (30) day extension of the ADR process period (or until December 8, 2010).

Respectfully submitted,

Jeffrey A. Cahn

Associate Regional Counsel Attorney for Complainant

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE



I, Jeffrey A. Cahn, hereby certify that I caused a copy of "Complainant's Motion 102: 59 Extend Alternative Dispute Resolution Period" to be served by United States Mail, Certified and Return Receipt Requested, on this _____ day of November, 2010, upon the following:

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I further certify that I caused a copy of "Complainant's Motion to Extend Alternative Dispute Resolution Period" to be personally served via U.S. EPA pouch mail on this day of November, 2010, upon the following:

The Honorable Spencer T. Nissen U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of the Administrative Law Judge Washington, D.C. 20460

I further certify that I caused the original of "Complainant's Motion to Extend Alternative Dispute Resolution Period" to be filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk, U.S. EPA, Region V, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60604 on this _____ day of November, 2010.

Jeffrey A. Cahn

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