

### UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY 2 2 2012

### **REGION 5**

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In the Matter of:	)	Docket No. CAA-05-2011-0063
Warren Steel Holdings, LLC Warren, Ohio,	)	Proceeding to Assess a Civil Penalty Under Section 112(d) of the Clean Air Act
,	)	Under Section 113(d) of the Clean Air Act 42 U.S.C. § 741(d)
Respondent.	)	

## RESPONDENT WARREN STEEL HOLDINGS, LLC'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR THIRD EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT

Respondent, Warren Steel Holdings, LLC ("WSH"), through its attorneys, Pepper Hamilton LLP, moves the Regional Judicial Officer, as the Presiding Officer, for an extension of time to answer the Complaint in this matter. In support, WSH states:

- 1. On Friday, September 30, 2011, the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") filed an administrative complaint alleging violations related to the Clean Air Act.
- 2. Prior to the original deadline for filing its Answer, and in anticipation of reaching a settlement with EPA, WSH filed an Unopposed Motion for an Extension of Time to Answer the Complaint on October 21, 2011.
- 3. On October 24, 2011, an Order was entered by the Regional Judicial Officer granting WSH until January 30, 2012, to answer the Complaint.
- 4. Based on the considerable progress of the parties' negotiations, WSH filed an Unopposed Motion for a Second Extension of Time to Answer the Complaint on January 23, 2012.

- 5. On January 26, 2011, an Order was entered by the Regional Judicial Officer granting WSH until February 21, 2012, to answer the Complaint.
- 6. Since entry of that Order, the parties negotiated a final Consent Agreement and Final Order ("CAFO") to resolve this matter.
- 7. WSH signed and sent the CAFO to EPA on February 2, 2012, and is advised by EPA that the CAFO was already signed on behalf of the Office of Air and Radiation.
- 8. Although the Regional Administrator has yet to provider her signature, which will finalize the CAFO, her signature is anticipated today or tomorrow.
- 9. Given the imminent resolution of this case, WSH seeks a 7-day extension to allow for EPA's final CAFO signature and the dismissal of this case.
- 10. Neither party to this action will suffer prejudice because EPA has represented through counsel that it supports WSH's request for an extension of time.

WHEREFORE, Respondent Warren Steel Holdings, LLC respectfully requests an extension of time for WSH to answer the Compliant until February 28, 2012.

Respectfully Submitted,

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### MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT OF RESPONDENT WARREN STEEL HOLDINGS, LLC'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR THIRD EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER THE COMPLAINT

In support of its Unopposed Motion for Third Extension of Time to Answer the Complaint, Respondent Warren Steel Holdings, LLC relies on 40 C.F.R. § 22.7(b) and the reasons set forth in the accompanying Motion.

WHEREFORE, Respondent Warren Steel Holdings, LLC respectfully requests that the time for filing its Answer be extended to February 28, 2012.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the original and one copy of Respondent Warren Steel Holdings, LLC's Unopposed Motion for Third Extension of Time to Answer the Complaint, Memorandum in Support, and Proposed Order was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk, Region 5, United Sates Environmental Protection Agency, and that a copy was sent via Overnight Federal Express and e-mail to the following on this 21st day of February 2012:

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### **ORDER**

Upon consideration of Respondent Warren Steel Holdings, LLC's Unopposed Motion for Third Extension of Time to Answer the Complaint brought pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.7(b), it is hereby ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED and Warren Steel Holdings, LLC shall have until the close of business on February 28, 2012, to file its answer to the Complaint or otherwise plead in this matter.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

REGIONAL JUDICIAL OFFICER