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IN THE MATTER OF:)	
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U.S. Pole Company, Inc.,)	U.S. EPA Docket No.
Respondent)	CAA-09-2007-0031
)	

ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENT'S FIFTH MOTION FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER

By motion filed April 16, 2008, Respondent, U.S. Pole Company, Inc. seeks a thirty (30) day extension of time, up to and including May 21, 2008, to file an answer to the Complaint. Complainant's counsel does not object to Respondent's proposed extension of time to file an answer.

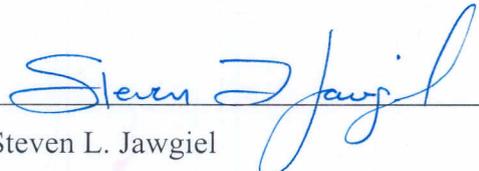
Consolidated Rules of Practice, 40 C.F.R. § 22.07(b), provides that a motion for extension of time may be granted "for good cause shown, and after consideration of prejudice to other parties."

On the basis of Respondent's motion, it appears that good cause exists for the extension of time, and there will be no prejudice to either party from granting the requested extension.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The time for Respondent to answer the Complaint and request a hearing is extended to and including May 21, 2008.

Dated: 04/16/08


 Steven L. Jawgiel
 Regional Judicial Officer

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the original of the foregoing **ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENT'S FIFTH MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER** in the matter of **U.S. Pole Company, Inc., Docket # CAA-09-2007-0031**, signed Steven L. Jawgiel, Regional Judicial Officer, was served on each of the parties at the address given below by mailing first class as here indicated:

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