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**Via Facsimile &
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Re: ***In the Matter of Rothwell Funeral Home, Inc.;***
Docket No. SDWA-02-2010-8901

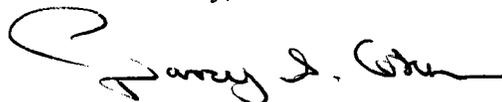
Dear Ms. Maples:

This is a request on behalf of our client, Rothwell Funeral Home, Inc., for a sixty (60) day extension of time to submit an Answer and Hearing Request in connection with the above-referenced matter.

The extension is requested because the remedial project at issue in this matter is scheduled to be completed in the very near future. Specifically, this matter involves, amongst other things, our client's alleged failure to remediate a Class V injection well and to submit, upon completion of that project, a post-Closure report to the Agency. On Tuesday of last week our client's new consultant, Eastern Environmental Solutions, Inc., obtained a sample from the base of the subject well, and the analytical results are expected to be received at some point this week. The UIC closure project is scheduled to take place next week. It is our expectation that, within two weeks of the completion of the UIC closure project, the required closure report will be submitted to the Agency and to the Suffolk County Department of Health Services for review and comment. In sum, our client seeks the extension to enable it to complete the project that is at the heart of the subject proceeding.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,



Barry S. Cohen

cc: Timothy C. Murphy, Esq.

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