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Attached please find a status Report on behalf of Fulton Fuel Company.

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IN THE MATTER OF:	* Docket No. CWA-07-2009-0006
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Fulton Fuel Company	*
127 Main Street	* STATUS REPORT
P.O. Box 603	*
Shelby, MT 59474	*
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Respondent.	*

In response to the request of the Regional Judicial Officer for a Status Report, Fulton Fuel Company reports that at this time the parties have not been able to reach a settlement; however the parties have exchanged settlement offers and have not terminated negotiations.

The undersigned requests that any Order to be entered setting a deadline for a motion or further response allow at least thirty days so that the settlement negotiations are not unduly restricted.

Respectfully submitted this 29th day of January, 2010.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the Status Report was delivered in the following manner:

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