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In the Matter of:		
E-Z Cleaners, LLC,	Docket No. FIFRA-04-2007-3033	
Respondent.		

STATUS REPORT AND MOTION FOR EXTENTION OF TIME

As directed by the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) in her Prehearing Order dated April 16, 2008, the United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 4 (EPA or Complainant) respectfully submits this status report regarding the settlement conference scheduled to occur between the Parties in this matter on or before April 25, 2008. At this time, EPA and the Respondent have been unable to meet to discuss settlement as the Respondent is attending to a terminally ill parent. Respondent seeks an extension of time to hold the settlement conference and EPA does not object to a reasonable extension. Therefore, the Parties seek an extension of thirty days to hold the settlement conference pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.16. Both the Respondent and EPA believe that such a conference may be helpful in resolving this matter without the need for litigation. Additionally, due to the necessity to postpone the settlement conference, EPA would like to respectfully request that the deadlines in the Prehearing Order schedule be extended for one month as well.

Respectfully Submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day filed the original and a true and correct copy of the foregoing Status Report and Motion for Extension of Time, In the Matter of: E-Z Cleaners, LLC, Docket No. FIFRA-04-2007-3033, with the Regional Hearing Clerk, and served a true and correct copy of same on the date shown below, to the parties listed, in the manner indicated:

The Honorable Susan L. Biro Chief Administrative Law Judge Office of Administrative Law Judges U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Mail Code 1900L 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20460 (Via Pouch Mail to HQ)

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