

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION 2

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In the Matter of :  
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**Valiant Aluminum Products, Inc.,** :  
**d/b/a Valiant Home Remodelers** :  
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Respondent. :  
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Proceeding under Section 3008 of :  
the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended. :  
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STATUS REPORT  
MOTION FOR EXTENSION

Docket No.  
RCRA-02-2011-9166

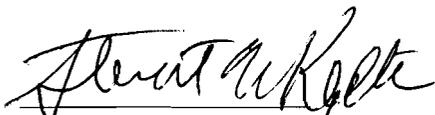
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STATUS REPORT

In accordance with the Prehearing Order issued by the Presiding Officer in this case, dated January 20, 2012, counsel for Complainant submits the following status report.

The parties met for a settlement conference on January 30, 2012. Respondent has recently submitted information regarding the financial situation of the company that Respondent wishes to be evaluated for the purpose of settlement of this case. Given that this information has only recently come to our attention and the time required to evaluate this claim, counsel Complainant, while cognizant of the statement in the Prehearing Order that pendency of settlement negotiations do not constitute a basis for failing to comply with the deadlines, hereby requests a 45 day extension to the March 2, 2012 deadline for the filing of Complainant's Initial Prehearing Exchange (with a corresponding 45 day extension to the other deadlines). Respondent has indicated there is no objection to this request.

Sincerely,

  
Counsel for Complainant

Date: 2/10/12

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have on this day caused to be sent the foregoing Status Report/ Motion for Extension, bearing the above-referenced docket number, in the following manner to the respective addressees below:

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Dated: FEB 10 2012  
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