### UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

#### BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of	)	
DIATECT INTERNATIONAL CORP.,	) )	DOCKET NO. FIFRA-08-2008-0029
Respondent	)	

## REPORT RECOMMENDING CONTINUATION OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

The Order approved January 22, 2009 provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates February 28, 2009. The recommendation of this Report is that the ADR process be continued for the final month, to March 28, 2009.

This continuation of the ADR process is recommended because the parties have reached a settlement in principle in this case. However, additional time is needed to execute a Consent Agreement and Final Order ("CAFO"). The parties' chances of achieving a settlement are sufficient to justify the requested continuation.

Accordingly, the undersigned will continue to work as a Neutral in this case and will file another report with the Chief Administrative Law Judge by March 28, 2009 unless otherwise directed by her. The parties are commended for their success in negotiating their agreement. The undersigned further expresses her appreciation to the parties for the courtesy and candor with which they participated in the ADR process.

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Barbara A. Gunning Administrative Law Judge

Dated: March 4, 2009

Approved:

Susan L. Biro

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: 3/4/09

A written status report is due no later than March 28, 2009 if the executed CAFO is not submitted.

# In the ADR Matter of *Diatect International Corp.*, Respondent. Docket No. FIFRA-08-2008-0029

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

l certify that the foregoing Report Recommending Continuation of Alternative Dispute Resolution Process, dated March 4, 2009, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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