



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION IX  
75 Hawthorne Street  
San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

March 30, 2012

Honorable Susan L. Biro  
Chief Administrative Law Judge  
Office of Administrative Law Judges – MC: 1900L  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, D.C. 20460

**RE: CARIMEX INTERNATIONAL TRADING CO., INC. (d/b/a SHCP Baltimore)**  
**DOCKET NUMBER: FIFRA-09-2011-0021**  
**Complaint Filed: 09/22/2011**  
**Proposed Penalty: Up to \$6,500 per day per violation**

Dear Judge Biro:

Pursuant to Section 22.21(a) of the Consolidated Rules of practice (40 C.F.R. Part 22), the above captioned matter is hereby referred to you for assignment of an Administrative Law Judge.

Also, in accordance with the Memorandum of Understanding of March 31, 2011 between Region 9 and the Office of Administrative Law Judges, the complete official Agency case file is being transmitted to the Headquarters Hearing Clerk who will serve as designated recipient of all future pleadings and correspondence filed in this matter. All filings are to be sent to the following address:

Sybil Anderson  
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Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bryan K. Goodwin".

Bryan K. Goodwin  
Regional Hearing Clerk

Cc: B. Lee; I. Lieben