UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

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Respondent	,	

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Administrative Law Judge

Dated: April 23, 2010

Approved:

Susan L. Biro

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: 4/23/2010

In the ADR Matter of *Propsys Management Company*, Respondent. Docket No. TSCA-01-1009-0101

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I hereby certify that the foregoing **Report Recommending Continuation of Alternative Dispute Resolution Process**, dated April 23, 2010, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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