



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 5
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD
CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590**

September 6, 2023

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Scott T. Franks
Plant Manager
Durez Corporation
13717 US Route 68 South
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Dear Mr. Franks,

Enclosed is a Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO) in the Matter of Durez Corporation, docket number CWA-05-2023-0003. By signature of the Regional Judicial Officer, this CAFO issued on September 5, 2023. Consistent with 33 U.S.C. § 1319(g)(5), this CAFO will become final and effective on October 6, 2023, which is 30 days after issuance.

Pursuant to the CAFO, Durez Corporation must pay the civil penalty within 30 days of the effective date. Accordingly, the civil penalty in the amount of \$150,000.00 is due on November 6, 2023. The check with which you pay the civil penalty must display the case name: In the Matter of Durez Corporation and the docket number CWA-05-2023-0003.

Please direct any questions regarding this matter to Jake Berger at (312) 353-8024 or berger.jake@epa.gov, or your attorney may contact Andrew Futerman, Attorney Advisor, at (312) 353-2325 or Futerman.Andrew@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Juliane Grange
Regional Hearing Clerk
Region 5

Enclosure

cc: Ann Coyle, Regional Judicial Officer, via electronic mail

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