

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 4
ATLANTA FEDERAL CENTER
61 FORSYTH STREET
ATLANTA, GEORGIA 30303-8960

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# <u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED</u>

Samuel Boxerman Sidley Austin LLP 1501 K. Street, NW Washington, DC 20005

Re: Consent Agreement and Final Orders

Docket No. RCRA-04-2015-4006(b) Con-Way Freight, Inc. – Charlotte, North Carolina

Docket No. RCRA-04-2015-4007(b) Con-Way Freight, Inc. – Chattanooga, Tennessee

Docket No. RCRA-04-2015-4008(b) Con-Way Freight, Inc. – Saraland, Alabama

Dear Mr. Boxerman:

Enclosed are copies of the fully executed Consent Agreement and Final Orders (CA/FOs) filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk (RHC) in the above-referenced matter. The CA/FOs were effective upon filing with the RHC. Payment of the civil penalty is to be made within thirty (30) calendar days of the effective date of each CA/FO.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Teresa Mann at (404) 562-9572.

Sincerely,

César A. Zapata

Chief, Enforcement and Compliance Branch Resource Conservation and Restoration Division

**Enclosures** 

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 4

IN THE MATTER OF:	)	DOCKET NO.: RCRA-04-2015-4007(b)
	)	
Con-Way Freight, Inc.	)	
210 Shipp Avenue	)	Proceeding Under Section 3008(a) of the
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37410	)	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act,
EPA ID No.: TNR000030619	)	42 U.S.C. § 6928(a)
	)	
Respondent	)	
-	,	

# **CONSENT AGREEMENT**

# I. NATURE OF THE ACTION

- This is a civil administrative enforcement action, pursuant to Section 3008(a) of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), 42 U.S.C. § 6928(a), ordering compliance with the requirements of the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1977 (THWMA), Tennessee Code Annotated (Tenn. Code Ann.) §§ 68-212-101 *et seq.* [Subtitle C of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 6921-6939f], and the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto and set forth at Chapter 0400-12-01 of the Rules and Regulations of the State of Tennessee (Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs.) [Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.), Parts 260 through 270, and 273]. This action seeks the imposition of civil penalties pursuant to Section 3008(a) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6928(a), for violations of Section 68-212-108 of the THWMA, Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-212-108 [Section 3005 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6925], and Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. Chapter 0400-12-01 [40 C.F.R. Parts 260 through 270, and 273].
- 2. The Consolidated Rules of Practice Governing the Administrative Assessment of Civil Penalties and the Revocation/Termination or Suspension of Permits, which govern this action and are promulgated at 40 C.F.R. Part 22, provide that where the parties agree to settlement of one or more causes of action before the filing of a complaint, a proceeding may be simultaneously commenced and concluded by the issuance of a Consent Agreement and Final Order (CA/FO). 40 C.F.R. §§ 22.13(b) and 22.18(b)(2) and (3).
- 3. Complainant and Respondent have conferred for the purpose of settlement pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.18 and desire to settle this action. Accordingly, before any testimony has been taken upon the pleadings and without any admission of violation or adjudication of any issue of fact or law and in accordance with 40 C.F.R. § 22.13(b), Complainant and Respondent have agreed to the execution of this CA/FO, and Respondent hereby agrees to comply with the terms of this CA/FO.

## II. THE PARTIES

4. Complainant is the Chief, Enforcement and Compliance Branch, Resource Conservation and Restoration (RCR) Division, United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 4. Complainant is authorized to issue the instant CA/FO pursuant to Section 3008(a) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6928(a), and applicable delegations of authority.

5. Respondent is Con-Way Freight, Inc., a corporation incorporated under the laws of Delaware. Respondent is the owner and operator of a freight transportation company that operates a network of 295 freight service centers to provide freight shipping services throughout North America. Respondent has a facility located at 210 Shipp Avenue, Chattanooga, Tennessee (the "Facility").

#### III. PRELIMINARY STATEMENTS

- 6. Pursuant to Section 3006(b) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6926(b), the State of Tennessee (State) has received final authorization to carry out a hazardous waste program in lieu of the federal program set forth in RCRA. The requirements of the authorized State program are found at Tenn. Code Ann. §§ 68-212-101 *et seq.* and Tenn. Comp. R. and Regs. Chapter 0400-12-01.
- 7. Pursuant to Section 3006(g) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6926(g), the requirements established by the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984 (HSWA), Pub. L. 98-616, are immediately effective in all states regardless of their authorization status and are implemented by the EPA until a state is granted final authorization with respect to those requirements. Tennessee has received final authorization for certain portions of HSWA, including those recited herein.
- 8. Although the EPA has granted the State authority to enforce its own hazardous waste program, the EPA retains jurisdiction and authority to initiate an independent enforcement action pursuant to Section 3008(a)(2) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6928(a)(2). This authority is exercised by the EPA in the manner set forth in the Memorandum of Agreement between the EPA and the State.
- 9. As the State's authorized hazardous waste program operates in lieu of the federal RCRA program, the citations for the violations of those authorized provisions alleged herein will be to the authorized State program; however, for ease of reference, the federal citations will follow in brackets.
- 10. Pursuant to Section 3008(a)(2) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6928(a)(2), Complainant has given notice of this action to the State before issuance of this CA/FO.
- 11. Section 68-212-107(d) of the THWMA, Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-212-107(d) [Section 3002(a) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6922(a)], requires the promulgation of standards applicable to generators of hazardous waste. The implementing regulations for these standards are found at Tenn. Comp. R. and Regs. 0400-12-01-.03 [40 C.F.R. Part 262].
- 12. Section 68-212-108 of the THWMA, Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-212-108 [Section 3005 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6925], sets forth the requirement that a facility treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste must have a permit or interim status. The implementing regulations for this requirement are found at Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.06 (permitted) and 0400-12-01-.05 (interim status)] [40 C.F.R. Parts 264 (permitted) and 265 (interim status)].
- 13. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(1)(b)1(i) [40 C.F.R. § 261.2], a "solid waste" is any discarded material that is not otherwise excluded from the regulations. A discarded material includes any material that is abandoned by being stored in lieu of being disposed.

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- 14. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(1)(c)1 [40 C.F.R. § 261.3], a solid waste is a "hazardous waste" if it meets any of the criteria set forth in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(1)(c)1(ii) [40 C.F.R. § 261.3(a)(2)] and is not otherwise excluded from regulation as a hazardous waste by Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(1)(d)2 [40 C.F.R. § 261.4(b)].
- Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(1)(c)(ii)(I) and 0400-12-01-.02(3)(a) [40 C.F.R. §§ 261.3(a)(2)(i) and 261.20], solid wastes that exhibit any of the characteristics identified in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(3)(b)-(e) [40 C.F.R. §§ 261.21-24] are characteristic hazardous waste and are provided with the EPA Hazardous Waste Numbers D001 through D043.
- 16. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(3)(a) and (b) [40 C.F.R. §§ 261.20 and 261.21], a solid waste that exhibits the characteristic of ignitability is a hazardous waste and is identified with the EPA Hazardous Waste Number D001.
- 17. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(3)(a) and (e) [40 C.F.R. §§ 261.20 and 261.24], a solid waste that exhibits the characteristic of toxicity due to the concentration level of Methyl Ethyl Ketone is identified with the EPA Hazardous Waste Number associated with the toxic contaminant causing it to be hazardous. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02(3)(e) [40 C.F.R. § 261.24(b)], a solid waste that exhibits the characteristic of toxicity for Methyl Ethyl Ketone is identified with the EPA Hazardous Waste Number D035.
- 18. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10], a "generator" is defined as any person, by site, whose act or process produces hazardous waste identified or listed in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.02 [40 C.F.R. Part 261], or whose act first causes a hazardous waste to become subject to regulation.
- 19. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10], a "small quantity generator" (SQG) means a generator who generates less than 1,000 kilograms of hazardous waste in a calendar month.
- 20. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10], a "facility" includes "all contiguous land, and structures, other appurtenances, and improvements on the land, used for treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous waste."
- 21. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10], a "person" includes a corporation.
- 22. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10], an "owner" is "the person who owns a facility or part of a facility" and an "operator" is "the person responsible for the overall operation of a facility."
- 23. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10], "storage" means the holding of a hazardous waste for a temporary period, at the end of which the hazardous waste is treated, disposed of, or stored elsewhere.
- 24. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(1)(c)1 [40 C.F.R. § 262.12], a generator must not treat, store, dispose of, transport, or offer for transportation, hazardous waste without

- having received an Installation Identification Number from the Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation ("TDEC" or the "Department") or his authorized representative ("Commissioner").
- 25. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(4)(e)6 [40 C.F.R. § 262.34(d)], a SQG may accumulate hazardous waste on-site for 180 days or less without a permit or without having interim status, as required by Section 68-212-108 of the THWMA, Tenn. Code Ann. § 68-212-108 [Section 3005 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6925], provided that the generator complies with the conditions listed in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(4)(e)6(i)-(vii) [40 C.F.R. §§ 262.34(d)(1)-(5)] (hereinafter referred to as the "SQG Permit Exemption").
- Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(4)(e)6(ii) [40 C.F.R. § 262.34(d)(2)], which incorporates Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.05(9)(e) [40 C.F.R. § 265.174], and is a condition of the SQG Permit Exemption, a generator is required to, at least weekly, inspect areas where containers are stored look for leaking containers or deterioration of containers caused by corrosion or other factors.
- 27. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(4)(e)6(vii)(I), (II)I, and (III) [40 C.F.R. §§ 262.34(d)(5)(i), (ii)(A), and (iii)], which is a condition of the SQG Permit Exemption, a generator is required to: (a) designate at least one employee as the emergency coordinator; (b) post next to the telephone the name and telephone number of the emergency coordinator, the location of fire extinguishers and spill control material, and the telephone number of the fire department (unless the facility has a direct alarm); and (c) ensure that all employees are familiar with proper waste handling and emergency procedures relevant to their responsibilities during normal facility operations and emergencies.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.12(1)(b) [40 C.F.R. § 273.9], a "small quantity handler of universal waste" (SQHUW) is a universal waste handler who does not accumulate 5,000 kilograms or more of universal wastes at any time. "Universal waste" means any of the hazardous waste listed in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.12(1)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 273.1], including hazardous waste lamps.
- 29. Pursuant to Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.12(2)(d)4(i)(1) [40 C.F.R. § 273.13(d)(1)], a SQHUW must contain any lamp in containers or packages that are structurally sound, adequate to prevent breakage, and compatible with contents of the lamps. Such containers and packages must remain closed and must lack evidence of leakage, spillage or damage that could cause leakage under reasonably foreseeable conditions.

### IV. EPA ALLEGATIONS AND DETERMINATIONS

- 30. Respondent is a "person" as defined in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10].
- 31. Respondent is the "owner" and "operator" of a "facility" located at 210 Shipp Avenue, Chattanooga, Tennessee, as those terms are defined in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10].

- 32. Respondent is a "generator" of "hazardous waste" as those terms are defined in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.01(2)(a) and 0400-12-01-.02(1)(c) [40 C.F.R. §§ 260.10 and 261.3].
- 33. On at least one occasion in late 2009 or early 2010, Respondent was a "SQG" of hazardous waste as that term is defined in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-.01-(2)(a) [40 C.F.R. § 260.10].
- 34. Respondent is a "SQHUW" as that term is defined in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.12(1)(b) [40 C.F.R. § 273.9].
- 35. Respondent generates various types of hazardous waste when products containing hazardous materials are damaged during shipment and no longer considered product.
- 36. On November 18, 2010, the EPA and TDEC conducted a compliance evaluation inspection (CEI) at Respondent's Facility. The findings of the CEI were documented in a Report mailed to Respondent, dated December 8, 2010.
- 37. At the time of the CEI, the EPA and TDEC reviewed Respondent's hazardous waste records and observed Hazardous Waste Manifest number 003117276FLE, which showed that on May 26, 2010, the Facility had offered for transportation 140 gallons (approximately 509 kilograms) of waste flammable liquids, Methyl Ethyl Ketone and oil based paint (hazardous waste codes D001 and D035). According to facility personnel, this waste was generated at one time from one event.
- 38. At the time of the CEI, the EPA and TDEC observed that Facility had generated more than 100 kilograms of hazardous waste on at least one occasion in late 2009 or early 2010, and had offered hazardous waste for transportation from its Facility on May 26, 2010.
- 39. At the time of the CEI, Respondent had not yet requested, nor received, an Installation Identification Number from the TDEC Commissioner, even though the Facility was a SQG of hazardous waste on at least one occasion in late 2009 or early 2010.
- 40. In or about December 6, 2010, Respondent requested an Installation Identification Number from TDEC.
- 41. The EPA therefore alleges that Respondent violated Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(1)(c)1 [40 C.F.R. § 262.12] by failing to request and receive an Installation Identification Number from the Commissioner prior to storing at, and/or offering hazardous waste for transport from its Facility as a SQG.
- 42. During the CEI, the EPA and TDEC observed that Respondent had not conducted adequate weekly inspections of the hazardous waste containers stored in the Facility's less than 180-day Hazardous Waste Accumulation Area during the time period in which Respondent was a SQG.
- 43. The EPA therefore alleges Respondent violated Section 68-212-108 of the THWMA, Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. § 68-212-108 [Section 3005 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6925], by storing hazardous waste without a permit or interim status, because Respondent failed to meet a

- condition of the SQG Permit Exemption set forth in Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(4)(e)6(ii) [40 C.F.R. § 262.34(d)(2)], by not complying with the inspection requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.05(9)(e) [C.F.R. § 265.174].
- 44. During the CEI, TDEC and EPA observed that the Respondent had failed to identify an emergency coordinator and therefore had not posted next to the telephone the name and telephone number of the emergency coordinator. The EPA and TDEC also observed that Respondent had not had not demonstrated that it had ensured that all employees were familiar with proper waste handling and emergency procedures relevant to their responsibilities during normal Facility operations and emergencies during the time period in which Respondent was a SQG.
- 45. The EPA therefore alleges Respondent violated Section 68-212-108 of the THWMA, Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. § 68-212-108 [Section 3005 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6925], by storing hazardous waste without a permit or interim status, because Respondent failed to meet a condition of the SQG Permit Exemption by not complying with the preparedness requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.03(4)(e)6(vii)(I), (II)I, and (III) [40 C.F.R. §§ 262.34(d)(5)(i), (ii)(A), and (iii)].
- 46. During the CEI, TDEC and EPA observed that the Respondent had failed to close one box of universal waste lamps located in the less than 180-day Hazardous Waste Accumulation Area.
- 47. The EPA therefore alleges that Respondent violated Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 0400-12-01-.12(2)(d)4(i)(I) [40 C.F.R. § 273.13(d)(1)] by failing to manage spent lamps in closed containers or packages that are structurally sound and adequate to prevent breakage, and compatible with contents of the lamps under reasonably foreseeable conditions.

#### V. TERMS OF AGREEMENT

Based on the foregoing Preliminary Statements, Allegations and Determinations, the parties agree to the following:

- 48. For the purposes of this CA/FO, Respondent admits the jurisdictional allegations set out in the above paragraphs pursuant to Section 3008 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6928.
- 49. Respondent neither admits nor denies the factual allegations and determinations set out in this CA/FO.
- 50. For the purposes of this CA/FO, Respondent waives any right to contest the allegations and its right to appeal the CA/FO.
- 51. Respondent waives its right to challenge the validity of this CA/FO and the settlement of the matters addressed in this CA/FO based on any issue related to the Paperwork Reduction Act, 44 U.S.C. §§ 3501 *et seq*.
- 52. Respondent waives any right it may have pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.8 to be present during any discussions with, or to be served with and reply to, any memorandum or communication

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- addressed to EPA officials where the purpose of such discussion, memorandum, or communication is to persuade such official to accept and issue this CA/FO.
- 53. The parties agree that the settlement of this matter is in the public interest and that this CA/FO is consistent with the applicable requirements of RCRA.
- 54. Respondent states that it has corrected the alleged violations cited in Paragraphs 30 through 47 of this CAFO.
- 55. Compliance with this CA/FO constitutes a full and complete settlement by EPA of all claims for civil liability and penalties, pursuant to Sections 3008(a) and (g) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 6928(a) and (g), for all violations of RCRA specifically alleged herein.
- 56. Each party will pay its own costs and attorneys' fces.

#### VI. PAYMENT OF CIVIL PENALTY

- 57. Respondent consents to the payment of a civil penalty in the amount of FORTY TWO THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$42,700.00), which is to be paid within thirty (30) calendar days of the effective date of this CA/FO.
- 58. Payment shall be made by cashier's check, certified check, by electronic funds transfer (EFT), or by Automated Clearing House (ACH) (also known as REX or remittance express). If paying by check, the check shall be payable to: **Treasurer, United States of America**, and the Facility name and docket number for this matter shall be referenced on the face of the check. If Respondent sends payment by the U.S. Postal Service, the payment shall be addressed to:

United States Environmental Protection Agency Fines and Penalties
Cincinnati Finance Center
P.O. Box 979077
St. Louis, Missouri 63197-9000

If Respondent sends payment by non-U.S. Postal express mail delivery, the payment shall be sent to:

U.S. Bank Government Lockbox 979077 U.S. EPA Fines & Penalties 1005 Convention Plaza SL-MO-C2-GL St. Louis, Missouri 63101 (314) 425-1818

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# If paying by EFT, Respondent shall transfer the payment to:

Federal Reserve Bank of New York

ABA: 021030004

Account Number: 68010727 SWIFT address: FRNYUS33

33 Liberty Street

New York, New York 10045

Field Tag 4200 of the Fedwire message should read: "D 68010727 Environmental Protection Agency"

If paying by ACH, Respondent shall remit payment to:

US Treasury REX / Cashlink ACH Receiver

ABA: 051036706

Account Number: 310006, Environmental Protection Agency

CTX Format Transaction Code 22 – checking Physical location of US Treasury facility:

5700 Rivertech Court

Riverdale, Maryland 20737

REX (Remittance Express): 1-866-234-5681

59. Respondent shall submit a copy of the payment to the following individuals:

Patricia A. Bullock Regional Hearing Clerk U.S. EPA, Region 4 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8960

#### And to:

Larry Lamberth, Chief
Hazardous Waste Enforcement and Compliance Section
Enforcement and Compliance Branch
Resource Conservation and Restoration Division
U.S. EPA, Region 4
61 Forsyth Street, SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8909

60. If Respondent fails to remit the civil penalty as agreed to herein, the EPA is required to assess interest and penalties on debts owed to the United States and a charge to cover the costs of processing and handling the delinquent claim. Interest, at the statutory judgment rate provided for in 31 U.S.C. § 3717, will therefore begin to accrue on the civil penalty if not paid within thirty (30) calendar days after the effective date of this Consent Agreement or, if paying in installments, not paid in accordance with the installment schedule provided above. Pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 3717, Respondent must pay the following amounts on any amount overdue:

- a. <u>Interest</u>. Any unpaid portion of a civil penalty or stipulated penalty must bear interest at the rate established by the Secretary of the Treasury pursuant to 31 U.S.C. § 3717(a)(1). Interest will therefore begin to accrue on a civil penalty or stipulated penalty if it is not paid by the last date required. Interest will be assessed at the rate of the United States Treasury tax and loan rate in accordance with 40 C.F.R. § 102.13(c).
- b. Monthly Handling Charge. Respondent must pay a late payment handling charge of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) on any late payment, with an additional charge of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for each subsequent thirty (30) calendar-day period over which an unpaid balance remains.
- c. Non-Payment Penalty. On any portion of a civil penalty or a stipulated penalty more than ninety (90) calendar days past due, Respondent must pay a non-payment penalty of six percent (6%) per annum, which will accrue from the date the penalty payment became due and is not paid. This non-payment is in addition to charges which accrue or may accrue under subparagraphs (a) and (b).
- 61. Penalties paid pursuant to this CA/FO are not deductible for federal purposes under 26 U.S.C. § 162(f).

# VII. PARTIES BOUND

- 62. This CA/FO shall be binding on the EPA and on Respondent and its successors and assigns. Respondent shall cause its officers, directors, employees, agents, and all persons, including independent contractors, contractors, and consultants acting under or for Respondent, to comply with the provisions hereof in connection with any activity subject to this CA/FO.
- 63. No change in ownership, partnership, corporate or legal status relating to the Facility will in any way alter Respondent's obligations and responsibilities under this CA/FO.
- 64. Each undersigned representative of the parties to this CAFO certifies that she or he is fully authorized by the party represented to enter into the terms and conditions of this CAFO and to execute and legally bind that party to it.

#### VIII. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS

- 65. Notwithstanding any other provision of this CA/FO, an enforcement action may be brought pursuant to Section 7003 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6973, or other statutory authority, should the EPA find that the handling, storage, treatment, transportation, or disposal of solid waste or hazardous waste at Respondent's Facility may present an imminent and substantial endangerment to human health or the environment.
- 66. Complainant reserves the right to take enforcement action against Respondent for any future violations of RCRA and the implementing regulations and to enforce the terms and conditions of this CA/FO.

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67. Except as expressly provided herein, nothing in this CA/FO shall constitute or be construed as a release from any civil or criminal claim, cause of action, or demand in law or equity for any liability Respondent may have arising out of, or relating in any way to, the storage, transportation, release, or disposal of any hazardous constituents, hazardous substances, hazardous wastes, pollutants, or contaminants found at, taken to, or taken from Respondent's Facility.

# IX. OTHER APPLICABLE LAWS

68. All actions required to be taken pursuant to this CA/FO shall be undertaken in accordance with the requirements of all applicable local, state, and Federal laws and regulations. Respondent shall obtain or cause its representatives to obtain all permits and approvals necessary under such laws and regulations.

# X. SERVICE OF DOCUMENTS

69. A copy of any documents that Respondent files in this action shall be sent to the following attorney who represents the EPA in this matter and who is authorized to receive service for the EPA in this proceeding:

Teresa Mann Associate Regional Counsel Office of RCRA, OPA and UST Legal Support U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8960 (404) 562-9572

70. A copy of any documents that Complainant files in this action shall be sent to the following individual who represents Respondent in this matter and who is authorized to receive service for Respondent in this proceeding:

Samuel Boxerman Sidley Austin LLP 1501 K. Street, NW Washington, DC 20005 (202) 736-8000

#### XI. SEVERABILITY

71. It is the intent of the parties that the provisions of this CA/FO are severable. If any provision or authority of this CA/FO or the application of this CA/FO to any party or circumstances is held by any judicial or administrative authority to be invalid or unenforceable, the application of such provisions to other parties or circumstances and the remainder of the CA/FO shall remain in force and shall not be affected thereby.

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# XII. EFFECTIVE DATE

72.	The effective date of this CA/FO shall be the date on which the CA/FO is filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk.

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# **AGREED AND CONSENTED TO:**

Con-Way Freight, Inc.

By: Ton W. Clark

Senior Vice President of Operations

Con-way Freight, Inc.

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Dated: **9/24/**5

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for Dated: 9/28/15

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Enforcement and Compliance Branch

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# **FINAL ORDER**

The foregoing Consent Agreement is hereby approved, ratified and incorporated by reference into this Final Order in accordance with the *Consolidated Rules of Practice Governing the Administrative Assessment of Civil Penalties and the Revocation/Termination or Suspension of Permits*, 40 C.F.R. Part 22. The Respondent is hereby ORDERED to comply with all of the terms of the foregoing Consent Agreement effective immediately upon filing of this Consent Agreement and Final Order with the Regional Hearing Clerk. This Order disposes of this matter pursuant to 40 C.F.R. §§ 22.18 and 22.31.

BEING AGREED, IT IS SO ORDERED this Of September, 2015.

BY:

Tanya Floyd

Regional Judicial Officer

EPA Region 4

# CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day filed the original and a true and correct copy of the foregoing Consent Agreement and the attached Final Order (CA/FO), in the Matter of Con-Way Freight, Inc., Docket Number: RCRA-04-2015-4007(b), and have served the parties listed below in the manner indicated:

Teresa Mann Associate Regional Counsel Office of RCRA, OPA and UST Legal Support U.S. EPA, Region 4 61 Forsyth Street, SW

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