

September 5, 2013

Honorable Susan L. Biro Chief, Administrative Law Judge (1900) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Ariel Rios Building 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20460

Re: In the Matter of Metzgermeister & Research Corp. Docket No. CWA-02-2013-3453

Dear Judge Biro:

Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. 22.21(a) of the Consolidated Rules of Practice, I am transmitting a copy of the Complaint and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in the above captioned matter along with Respondent's Answer and Request for Hearing. Please assign an Administrative Law Judge to serve as Presiding Officer.

Sincerely. Karen Maples

Regional Hearing Clerk

Enclosure

cc: Respondent(s)

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