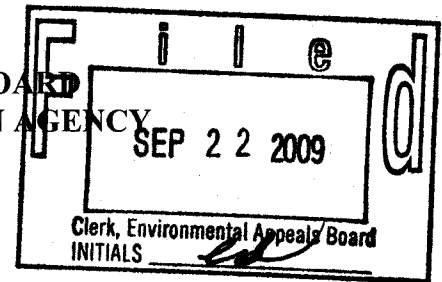


BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD  
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D.C.



In re: )  
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Town of Wayland )  
Wastewater Management )  
 )  
Permit No. MA0039853 )  
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NPDES Appeal Nos. 08-26 & 08-27

**ORDER EXTENDING STAY OF PROCEEDINGS**

On September 15, 2009, Region 1 of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (“Region”) responded to the Environmental Appeals Board’s (“Board”) August 31, 2009, Order to Show Cause Why Petitions Should Not Be Dismissed in the above-captioned matter.<sup>1</sup> The Region set forth arguments for a continued stay of proceedings based on both the specifics of the four-party settlement negotiations between the Region, Thomas Arnold (NPDES Appeal No. 08-26), the Department of the Interior (NPDES Appeal No. 08-27) (“DOI”), and intervener the Town of Wayland Wastewater Management District Commission (“Town”), and on previous Board precedent addressing permit modifications.

In light of the Region’s clarification of such issues as the disagreement amongst itself and the petitioners regarding which issues in the respective petitions were properly preserved, and which permit provisions were properly contested, the Board will stay the proceedings until October 15, 2009. The parties are ordered to submit another status report no later than October 15, 2009, detailing the status of the final permit modification, and shall include a

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<sup>1</sup> On September 2, 2009, the Board received a filing providing the views of the Department of the Interior.

discussion of their progress and, if necessary, scheduling recommendations.

So ordered.

**ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD**

Dated: Sept. 22, 2009

By: Charles J. Sheehan  
Charles J. Sheehan  
Environmental Appeals Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Order Extending Stay of Proceedings in the matter of Wayland Wastewater Management, NPDES Appeal Nos. 08-26 & 08-27, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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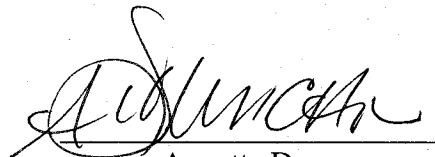
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