In re:

PPG Industries, Ohio Inc. PPG Industries, Inc.

Permit No. RCRA OHD 004304689

RCRA Appeal No. 07-01

## ORDER GRANTING THIRD JOINT MOTION

### TO STAY THE PETITION

On December 6, 2007, the parties in the above-captioned matter, U.S. EPA Region 5 (the "Region") and PPG Industries Ohio, Inc. and PPG Industries, Inc. (collectively "PPG"), filed a third joint motion requesting to stay the proceedings in this case until February 1, 2008. On September 7, 2007, the parties filed their second motion seeking to stay the proceedings until December 7, 2007, to allow the parties to conduct settlement discussions, which the Environmental Appeals Board ("Board") granted by order dated September 10, 2007. The parties represented at the time that they had exchanged correspondence and held a face to face meeting to discuss settlement proposals, that one of the issues had been resolved, and that progress had been made with respect to the remaining issues.

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In their current motion, the parties explain that shortly

after the parties meet in September 2007, the principal technical

consultant for PPG resigned her position with the company, which

delayed PPG's ability to respond to settlement proposals. The

parties further explain that on November 29, 2007, PPG forwarded a

comprehensive settlement proposal to the Region, which the Region

is now considering. Therefore, the parties request additional time

to continue settlement discussions.

For good cause shown, the Board hereby grants the parties'

request to stay the proceedings until Friday, February 1, 2008. On

or before February 1, 2008, the parties shall submit a report

regarding the status of the settlement negotiations which shall

include a discussion of whether it is appropriate to continue the

stay, dismiss the petition, or establish a schedule for the Region

to file a response to the petition.

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: December 7, 2007 By: Churco

Anna L. Wolgas⊭

Environmental Appeals Judge

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Order Granting Third Joint Motion to Stay the Petition in the matter of PPG Industries Ohio, Inc. and PPG Industries, Inc., RCRA Appeal No. 07-01, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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