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March 15, 2005

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Respondent's Response to Motion of CSO Partnership for Leave to Participate in Case

and to File Non-Party Brief Permit Number: DC 0021199

Consolidated Appeals 05-01 and 05-02

Dear Ms. Dunt:

Re:

Enclosed please find one original and five copies of the above referenced document, which I am also serving on counsel for Petitioners and counsel for Movant in this matter.

Please contact me at 215-814-2776 if you have any questions.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Enclosure

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) and 05-02)

EPA RESPONSE TO MOTION OF CSO PARTNERSHIP TO PARTICIPATE IN CASE AND FILE NON- PARTY BRIEF

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region III (Region or BPA),
Respondent in the above-referenced consolidated appeals, hereby files its Response to the
Motion pursuant to 40 C.F.R. §22.11(b) of the CSO Partnership for leave to file a third-party
brief in this matter.¹

Respondent takes no position as to the motion. Respondent does note, however, that, notwithstanding its representation that it is the "leading organization dedicated to CSO issues in

¹Counsel for Respondent did not receive a copy of the CSO Partnership Motion until March 3, 2005.

the country," Motion at p. 3, the CSO Partnership did not file comments on the draft permit in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that Respondent's Response to Motion by the CSO Partnership for Leave to Participate in Case and File a Non-Party Brief in this consolidated Appeals Nos 05-01 and 05-02, was served on this date as set forth below:

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