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7	UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY		
8	ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD		
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11	In the Matter of:	) Appeal Neg NDDES 12.04	
12		) Appeal Nos. NPDES 12-04	
13	Alyeska Pipeline Service Company, Valdez Marine Terminal	<ul> <li>) EPA REGION 10'S</li> <li>) SECOND MOTION FOR EXTENSION</li> </ul>	
14	NPDES Permit No. AK-002324-8	)	
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16	The United States Environmental Pro	ntection Agency Region 10 ("Region") respectfully	
17	The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10 ("Region") respectfully requests an additional extension of time in which to file its response brief to Appeal No. 12-04.		
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19	The Region requests an additional four (4) weeks to respond to the Petition for Review filed by		
20	the Alyeska Pipeline Service Company ("Alyeska"), in the above-captioned matter. The extension would move the date by which the Region must respond to the Petition from Februar		
21	22, 2013 to March 22, 2013. As grounds for the motion, the Region states as follows:		
	22, 2015 to match 22, 2015. The grounds for	the monon, the region states as ronows.	

 On November 29, 2012, Alyeska filed with the Environmental Appeals Board ("EAB") a Petition for Review of NPDES Permit No. AK-002324-8 issued to Alyeska's Valdez Marine Terminal ("Permit"). This Petition for Review was

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1		assigned Appeal No. NPDE	ES 12-04. On December 5, 2012, the EAB sent the
2		Region a letter which estable	lished a response date to the Alyeska's Petition for
3		Review of January 25, 2013	3.
4	2.	On December 12, 2012, the	Region notified Alyeska of the permit conditions that
5		are stayed by the Petition for	or Review. Since the contested provisions are stayed,
6		an extension will not cause	hardship or prejudice to any party.
7	3.	On December 20, 2012, the Region filed with the EAB a Motion for Extension.	
8	4.	On January 8, 2013, the EAB granted the Region's Motion for Extension.	
9		Currently, the Region's resp	ponse brief is due on February 22, 2013.
10	5.	EPA and Alyeska are currently in settlement discussions on this matter.	
11		Additional time is needed to	o conclude settlement discussions and coordinate with
12		EPA Headquarter offices.	
13	6.	On February 14, 2013, cour	nsel for Alyeska indicated that Alyeska does not object
14		to this motion. There are no	o other parties to the proceedings.
15	7.	As such, to allow for time f	for the parties to continue settlement negotiations, the
16		Region requests that the EA	AB grant an additional four (4) week extension on the
17		response brief to March 22,	2013.
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19	DATED: Fet	oruary 14, 2013	Respectfully Submitted
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1	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE		
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3	I certify that the foregoing "EPA Region 10's Second Motion for Extension" was sent to the following persons, in the manner specified, on the date below:		
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18	/s/		
19	Courtney Weber Assistant Regional Counsel		
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