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

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In re: Buckley Air Force Base)
Municipal Separate Storm)
Sewer System)
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) Appeal No. NPDES 13-07
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NPDES Permit Number:)
CO-R042003)
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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 8 ("EPA" or the "Region") respectfully requests that the Environmental Appeals Board ("EAB" or "Board") grant a fourth extension to the stay of proceedings in the above-captioned matter. The current stay will expire on Friday, November 28, 2014. EPA seeks an additional seven (7) days, until December 5, 2014, to complete finalization of the modification to the Buckley Air Force Base MS4 permit that the Region public noticed on August 20, 2014.

EPA requests this extension in order to complete final coordination on this permit modification, and to prepare the permit document for final signature. Because of the timing of the stay relative to the Thanksgiving holiday, and because many of the principles with whom coordination is required are scheduled to be out of the office over the next few days, EPA needs additional time to complete these tasks.

Counsel for the Region contacted the Petitioner on November 26, 2014, to inform them of the Region's intent to seek an extension of time until December 5, 2014. EPA was unable to reach Air Force counsel, so Petitioner has not had an opportunity to consider this request.

For the reasons set forth above, EPA respectfully requests the EAB grant the Region's Motion for Extension of Stay of Proceedings until December 5, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

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