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Re: Andrew B. Chase, a/k/a Andy Chase, Chase Services,
Inc., Chase Convenience Stores, Inc., and Chase Commercial
Land Development, Inc.,
Docket Number: RCRA-02-2011-7503
Appeal Number: RCRA (9006) 13-04

Dear Counsels:


By letter dated November 18, 2013, the Environmental Appeals Board ("Board") provided you information regarding its voluntary alternative dispute resolution ("ADR") program and requested notification by December 26, 2013, of your interest in participating in the program to resolve the above-captioned matter.

Counsel for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 2, informed the Board by letter dated November 27, 2013, that the Region declined to participate in the Board's ADR program. By letter dated December 9, 2013, counsel for the respondent indicated that Andrew B. Chase, a/k/a Andy Chase, Chase Services, Inc., Chase Convenience Stores, Inc., and Chase Commercial Land Development, Inc., "consents to avail itself of the Alternative Dispute Resolution program of the Board."

As stated in the Board's November 18, 2013 letter and the Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Information sheet provided to the parties, ADR will not take place absent approval from

all parties. Because the Region declines to participate in the program, the matter will remain on the Board's docket for resolution.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Eurika Durr".

Eurika Durr
Clerk of the Board