

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

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In re:)	
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Standard Products Co.)	UIC Appeal No. 99-6
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Permit No. MI-137-1I-0001)	
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REMAND ORDER

On September 22, 1999, Tom O. Palmer, filed a Petition with the Environmental Appeals Board ("Board") seeking review of the above-referenced underground injection control ("UIC") permit. Mr. Palmer asserted in his Petition that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region V ("Region V") had failed to respond to comments he had made and issues he had raised regarding Region V's draft UIC permit. Petition at 1.

Pursuant to the Board's request, Region V filed its Response to the Petition on November 24, 1999. Region 5 requested that the Board vacate its final permit decision of August 3, 1999, and remand the matter for Region V's further consideration. Region V conceded that, upon review of the administrative record, Region V "had not fully

addressed all issues raised by Mr. Palmer in his comments at the time it took final action on the permit." Response at 2.

Because Region V has acknowledged that Mr. Palmer's comments may not have been adequately addressed, the Board hereby vacates Region V's final permit decision issued on August 3, 1999, for UIC Permit No. MI-137-1I-0001 and remands the matter to the Region so that Mr. Palmer's comments may be fully addressed.

So ordered.

Dated: 11/30/99

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

By: _____/s/_____
Ronald L. McCallum
Environmental Appeals Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Remand Order in the matter of Standard Products Co., UIC Appeal No. 99-6, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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