



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

In re Massachusetts Port Authority
NPDES Permit No. MA0000787
NPDES Appeal No. 23-03

FOURTH ORDER EXTENDING STAY OF PROCEEDINGS
TO ALLOW PARTIES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE BOARD'S
ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAM

The Massachusetts Port Authority ("Massport") petitioned the Environmental Appeals Board to review certain conditions of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit no. MA0000787, which the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 1 issued to Massport. EPA Region 1 and Massport agreed to participate in the Board's Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") program. The Board issued an order staying all proceedings to allow for the ADR process to proceed and subsequently extended the stay through May 15, 2024.

The settlement judge has notified the panel that a further extension of the stay in this proceeding beyond the expiration of the current stay on May 15, 2024 is warranted because further discussions among the parties would be beneficial. Accordingly, all proceedings in this matter are stayed until Tuesday, June 25, 2024.

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: May 9, 2024

By: Mary Kay Lynch
Mary Kay Lynch
Environmental Appeals Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that copies of the foregoing *Fourth Order Extending Stay of Proceedings to Allow Parties to Participate in the Board's Alternative Dispute Resolution Program* in the matter of Massachusetts Port Authority, NPDES Appeal No. 23-03, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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