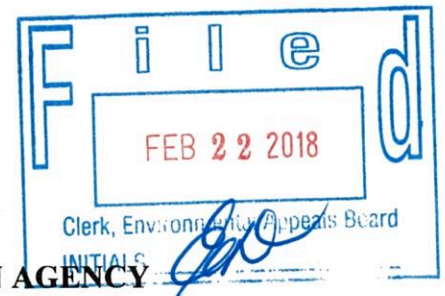


**ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD  
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D.C.**



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In re: )

Veolia ES Technical Solutions, L.L.C. )

Permit No. V-IL-1716300103-2014-10 )  
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CAA Appeal No. 17-02

**ORDER GRANTING EPA's MOTION FOR A FURTHER STAY**

On January 18, 2018, the Environmental Appeals Board ("Board") issued an order continuing the stay of proceedings in this case until February 28, 2018, to provide EPA with time to consider comments received on the parties' contingent settlement agreement during the public comment period that closed on December 15, 2017, and to determine whether to withdraw or withhold its consent to the agreement. The order directed the parties to file any motion for a further stay by no later than February 21, 2018.

On February 21, EPA filed a motion for a further stay of proceedings to March 22, 2018. EPA represents that it expects this extension "will be enough time for [EPA] to determine whether to withdraw or withhold consent to the contingent settlement agreement."

Based on EPA's representations in its February 21 motion, the Board concludes that this case should continue to be stayed until March 22, 2018. In light of the passage of time since the close of the public comment period, however, the Board directs the parties to submit a further status report by March 12, 2018. In the March 12 status report, EPA shall advise the Board whether EPA anticipates being able to make a decision regarding the settlement agreement, and if appropriate, file motion seeking voluntary remand and dismissal of this Petition by the date the

stay expires. At that point, the Board will re-assess whether the stay continues to be appropriate.

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: FEB 22 2018

By: Mary Beth Ward  
Mary Beth Ward  
Environmental Appeals Judge

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