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

IN THE MATTER OF)

HECLA MINING COMPANY -)

LUCKY FRIDAY MINE)

NPDES Permit No. ID-000017-5)

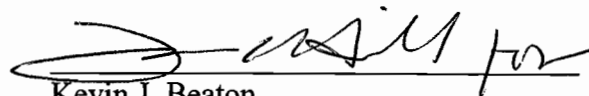
NPDES Appeal Nos. 03-10 and 06-5

NOTICE OF COUNSEL TO PRESENT
ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to the Environmental Appeals Board ("Board") May 25, 2006 Order Scheduling Oral Argument, Hecla Mining Company, Lucky Friday Unit ("Hecla"), by and through its counsel of record, hereby submit Kevin J. Beaton as counsel who will present oral argument on July 13, 2006.

Dated this 22nd day of June, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

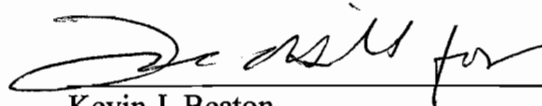
I hereby certify that on this 22nd day of June, 2006, I served a copy of the NOTICE OF COUNSEL TO PRESENT ORAL ARGUMENT via facsimile and regular mail on:

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