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## ORDER SCHEDULING ORAL ARGUMENT

By order dated July 20, 2007 (Order Setting Briefing Schedule), the Board ordered the parties to reserve Friday, August 10, 2007, for possible oral argument in the above-captioned matter. The Board has now determined that oral argument would be of assistance in its deliberations on this matter. The argument will take place on August 10, 2007, at 1:00 P.M. Eastern Daylight Savings Time in the Administrative Courtroom, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA East Building, Room 1152, 1201 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. The Board has allocated one hundred (100) minutes total for this oral argument, divided as follows: (1) twenty-five minutes for The North Slope Borough ("NSB"); (2) twenty-five minutes for EARTH JUSTICE; (3) twenty-five minutes for U.S. EPA Region 10; and (4) twenty-five minutes for Shell Offshore, Inc. At the outset of their arguments, both NSB and EARTH JUSTICE may reserve up to five minutes of their twenty-five-minute allocation for rebuttal. The parties shall notify the Clerk of the Board in writing by Friday, August 3, 2007, of the names of counsel who will present argument. Counsel for any of the participants who wish to participate in this oral argument via the EPA video-conferencing equipment

in the Administrative Courtroom shall contact the Clerk of the Board, at 202-233-0122, no later than Friday, August 3, 2007, to make arrangements for use of such equipment.

So ordered.

Dated: July 31, 2007

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Kathie Δ Steir

Environmental Appeals Judge

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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