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**Via Facsimile and U.S. Mail**

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Re: Alyeska Pipeline Service Company, Valdez Marine Terminal  
Appeal No. NPDES 12-04

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed please find the original Status Report, in the above-referenced matter, which was sent via facsimile on July 15, 2013. If you have any questions, please call me at (206) 553-1477.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Courtney J. Weber".

Courtney J. Weber  
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Enclosure

cc: Svcd Brandt-Erichsen (via electronic mail)

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In the Matter of:	)	Appeal No. NPDES 12-04
Alyeska Pipeline Service Company,	)	<b>STATUS REPORT</b>
Valdez Marine Terminal	)	
NPDES Permit No. AK-002324-8	)	

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 10 (Region), after consultation with Alyeska Pipeline Service Company (Alyeska), respectfully submits this Status Report pursuant to the Environmental Appeals Board's (EAB) March 22, 2013 Order Granting Motion for Stay of Proceedings (Order). In its Order, the EAB stayed the above-captioned matter until August 20, 2013. The EAB further directed the Region to "apprise the [EAB] of its progress in completing the terms of the settlement" in consultation with Alyeska.

On July 10, 2013, the Region issued for public notice and comment a proposed modification of Alyeska's National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit No. AK-002324-8 (Permit). The proposed modification reflects the settlement reached with Alyeska. The public comment period on the proposed modification ends on August 9, 2013. Assuming the Region does not receive a significant amount of comments that would warrant a

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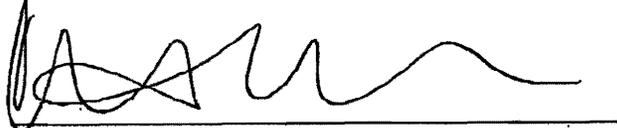
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1 reconsideration of the proposed modification, the Region anticipates that it will be able to  
2 complete the action by August 20, 2013.

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Respectfully Submitted,



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