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### <u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED</u>

Mr. Wayne Davis
Water and Wastewater Manager
Lawrenceburg Utility Systems
1607 N. Locust Avenue
Lawrenceburg, Tennessee 38464

SUBJECT: Lawrenceburg Water Treatment Plant, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee

Expedited Settlement Agreement Docket No. CAA-04-2010-8016(b)

Dear Mr. Davis:

Enclosed please find an executed copy of the Expedited Settlement Agreement (ESA) that resolves the Clean Air Act (CAA) matter (Docket No. CAA-04-2010-8016(b)) involving the Lawrenceburg Utility Systems, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee. The ESA was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk, as required by 40 C.F.R. Part 22 and became effective on today's date.

As required by the ESA, within fifteen days of receipt of this letter, a cashier's check or certified check in the amount of \$2800, made out to the "Treasurer, United States of America," should be submitted to one of the following addresses:

For payment sent via U.S. Postal Service U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Fines and Penalties Cincinnati Finance Center PO Box 979077 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000; or

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Caron B. Falconer Chief, EPCRA Enforcement Section

**Enclosures** 

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY **REGION 4 EXPEDITED SETTLEMENT**

# AGREEMENT

**DOCKET NO: CAA-04-2010-8016(b)** 

This ESA is issued to:

Lawrenceburg Utility Systems 1607 N. Locust Avenue Lawrenceburg, Tennessee 38464

for violating 40 CFR § 68.65, 40 CFR § 68.67, 40 CFR § 68.69, 40 CFR § 68.71, 40 CFR § 68.79, 40 CFR § 68.190 and Section 112(r)(7) of the Clean Air Act.

This Expedited Settlement Agreement (ESA) is being entered into by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 4, the Director of the Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division (Complainant), and by the Lawrenceburg Utility Systems, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee (Respondent), pursuant to Section 113(a)(3) and (d) of the Clean Air Act (the "Act"), 42 U.S.C. § 7413(a)(3) and (d), and pursuant to 40 CFR § 22.13(b).

### **ALLEGED VIOLATIONS**

EPA alleges that the Respondent violated the Act's Chemical Accident Prevention Program when Respondent did not provide evidence that:

It has documented and compiled as part of the process safety information the following pertaining to the technology of the process as required by 40 CFR § 68.65(c)(1): (iv) safe upper and lower limits for such items as temperature, pressures, flows and compositions, and (v) an evaluation of the consequences of deviations;

It has documented and compiled as part of the process safety information the following pertaining to the process equipment as required by 40 CFR § 68.65(d)(1): (i) materials of construction, (ii) piping and instrument diagrams, (iii) electrical classification, (iv) relief system design and design basis, and (viii) safety systems (e.g., interlocks, detection or suppression systems);

It has updated and revalidated its process hazard analysis at least every five years as required by 40 CFR § 68.67(f);

It has annually certified that its operating procedures are current and accurate as required by 40 CFR§ 68.69(c);



It has provided refresher training, at least every three years, to employees involved with the covered processes to ensure that its employees understand and adhere to the current operating procedures as required by 40 CFR § 68.71(b);

It has conducted compliance evaluations, at least every three years, and based on such evaluations, certified that its accident prevention procedures and practices are adequate and are being followed as required by 40 CFR § 68.79(a); and

It has reviewed, updated and submitted its Risk Management Plan (RMPlan) to EPA at least every five years as required by 40 CFR § 68.190(b)(1). The Respondent's RMPlan was due for its five year review, update and resubmission on or before June 9, 2009. As of April 28, 2010, the Respondent had not updated and resubmitted its RMPlan.

### **SETTLEMENT**

In consideration of Respondent's size, its full compliance history, its good faith effort to comply, and other factors as justice may require, and upon consideration of the entire record the parties enter into the ESA in order to settle the violations cited above, for the total penalty amount of \$2800.

This settlement is subject to the following terms and conditions: the Respondent by signing below admits the jurisdictional allegations contained herein, neither admits nor denies the specific factual allegations contained herein, and consents to the assessment of the penalty as stated above; Respondent waives its rights to a hearing afforded by Section 113(d)(2)(A) of the Act, 42 U.S.C § 7413(d)(2)(A), and to contest the allegations contained in this ESA; and each party to this action shall bear its own costs and fees, if any.

Respondent certifies, subject to civil and criminal penalties for making a false submission to the United States Government, that the Respondent has corrected the alleged violations listed in this ESA. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty of \$2800. Please note that payment should not be made until after Respondent receives a copy of the fully executed ESA. Within fifteen (15) days after receiving a copy of the fully executed ESA, the Respondent shall send a cashier's check or certified check (payable to the "Treasurer, United States of America") in the amount of \$2800, in payment of the full penalty amount to one of the following addresses:

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Contact: Natalie Pearson @ 314-418-4087

The Respondent's name and the Docket Number of this ESA <u>must be included on the check</u>. The Docket Number is located at the top left corner of the first page of this ESA.

At the time of payment, Respondent shall send a separate copy of the check, and a written statement that payment has been made in accordance with this ESA to:

Saundi Wilson U. S. EPA Region 4 Office of Environmental Accountability 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303, and

Victor L. Weeks U. S. EPA Region 4 EPCRA Enforcement Section 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Upon Respondent's correction of alleged violations and payment of the penalty, EPA will take no further civil action against Respondent for the alleged violations of the Act referenced in this ESA. EPA does not waive any other enforcement action for any other violations of the Act or any other statute.

FOR COMPLAINANT:

**Acting Director** 

Air, Pesticides & Toxics Management Division

Region 4

I hereby ratify the ESA and incorporate it herein by reference. It is so ORDERED.

Regional Judicial Officer

Susan B. Schub Date: June 9, 2010

Date: 5/13/2010

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true and correct copy of the foregoing Expedited Settlement Agreement, in the matter of Lawrenceburg Utility Systems, Lawrenceburg, Tennessee, CAA-04-2010-8016(b), on the parties listed below in the manner indicated:

Caron B. Falconer U. S. EPA - Region 4 Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, GA 30303 (Via EPA's internal mail)

Ellen Rouch
U. S. EPA - Region 4
Office of Environmental Accountability
61 Forsyth Street
Atlanta, GA 30303

(Via EPA's internal mail)

Mr. Wayne Davis Water and Wastewater Manger Lawrenceburg Utility Systems 1607 N. Locust Avenue Lawrenceburg, Tennessee 38464 (Via Certified Mail -Return Receipt Requested)

Date: 6-9-10

Patricia A. Bullock, Regional Hearing Clerk Unites States Environmental Protection Agency Region 4

Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center 61 Forsyth Street Atlanta, Georgia 30303 404-562-9511

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