



**EXPEDITED SPCC SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT
 UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
 REGION 7, 901 North 5th Street., KANSAS CITY, KANSAS 66101**

DOCKET NO. CWA-07-2009-0098

On 5/27/2008

At: 1417 N. Barwise Street, Wichita, KS

Owned or operated by Cargill, Inc.

(Respondent), discharged 50 gallons of oil in violation of regulations promulgated at 40 C.F.R. Part 112 under Section 311(b)(3) of the Clean Water Act as noted on the attached **FINDINGS AND ALLEGED VIOLATIONS FORM**, (Form), which is hereby incorporated by reference.

This proceeding and the Expedited Settlement are under the authority vested in the Administrator of the EPA by Section 311(b)(6)(B)(i) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1321(b)(6)(B)(i), as amended by the Oil Pollution Act of 1990, and by 40 C.F.R. §§ 22.13(b). The parties enter into this Expedited Settlement in order to settle the civil violations described in the Form for a penalty of \$500.

This settlement is subject to the following terms and conditions:

Respondent consents to the assessment of the penalty stated above. Respondent certifies, subject to civil and criminal penalties for making a false submission to the United States Government, that the violations have been corrected and **Respondent has sent a certified check in the amount of \$500, payable to the "Environmental Protection Agency," via certified mail to:**

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
 P.O. Box 979077
 St. Louis, Missouri 63197-9000

and Respondent has noted on the penalty payment check Docket No. CWA-07-2009-0098 and "OSLTF-311." **The original, signed Settlement Agreement and copy of the penalty payment check must be sent via certified mail to:**

Paula Higbee
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
 Region 7, AWMD/STOP
 901 North 5th Street
 Kansas City, Kansas 66101

This Expedited Settlement resolves Respondent's liability for Federal civil penalties for the violations of the oil spill regulations described in the Form. However, the EPA does not waive any rights to take any enforcement action for any other past, present, or future violations by Respondent of the SPCC regulations or of any other federal statute or regulations. By its first signature, the EPA ratifies the Findings and Alleged Violations set forth in the Form.

Upon signing and returning this Expedited Settlement to the EPA, Respondent waives the opportunity for a hearing or appeal pursuant to Section 311 of the Act, and consents

to the EPA's approval of the Expedited Settlement without further notice.

This Expedited Settlement is binding on the parties signing below, and is effective upon the Regional Judicial Officer's signature.

APPROVED BY THE EPA:

Margaret Sell Date 8/27/09
 Chief, Storage Tanks and Oil Pollution Branch (STOP)
 Air and Waste Management Division

APPROVED BY RESPONDENT:

Name (print): ROBERT BOARDMAN
 Title (print): FACILITY SUPT
 Signature: Robert Boardman
 Date: 8/21/09

The estimated cost for correcting the violation(s) is:
\$ 500⁰⁰

IT IS SO ORDERED:

Robert Patrick Date Sept 1, 2009
 Robert L. Patrick
 Regional Judicial Officer

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 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
 AGENCY-REGION VII
 REGIONAL HEARING CLERK

FINDINGS AND ALLEGED CIVIL VIOLATIONS

1. Cargill, Inc. is a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware with a place of business located at 1417 N. Barwise Street, Wichita, Kansas. The Respondent is a person within the meaning of Section 311 (a)(7) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1321 (a)(7).
2. Respondent is the (owner/operator) of an onshore facility within the meaning of Section 311 (a)(10) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1321 (a)(10) of the Act, which is located at 1417 N. Barwise Street, Wichita, Kansas ('facility').
3. Section 311(b)(3) of the Act prohibits the discharge of oil into or upon the navigable waters of the United States or adjoining shorelines in such quantities that have been determined may be harmful to the public health or welfare or environment of the United States.
4. For purposes of Sections 311 (b)(3) and (b)(4) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1321 (b)(3) and (b)(4), discharges of oil into or upon the navigable waters of the United States in such quantities that have been determined may be harmful to the public health or welfare or environment of the United States are defined in 40 C.F.R. § 110.3 to include discharges of oil that cause a film or a sheen upon or discoloration of the surface of the water or adjoining shorelines.
5. On May 27, 2008, respondent discharged 50 gallons of oil as defined in Section 311 (a)(1) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1321(a)(1), and 40 C.F.R. § 110.1, from its facility into or upon Chisholm Creek and/or adjoining shorelines.
6. Chisholm Creek is a navigable water of the United States as defined in Section 502(7) of the Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1362(7), and 40 C.F.R. § 110.1.
7. Respondent's May 27, 2008, discharge of oil from its facility caused a sheen upon or discoloration of the surface of the Chisholm Creek and, therefore, was in a quantity that has been determined may be harmful under 40 C.F.R. § 110.3, which implements Sections 311(b)(3) and (b)(4) of the Act.
8. Respondent's May 27, 2008, discharge of oil from its facility into or upon Chisholm Creek [and][or] [adjoining shorelines] in a quantity that has been determined may be harmful under 40 C.F.R. § 110.3 violated Section 311(b)(3) of the Act. Pursuant to Section 311(b)(6)(B)(i) of the Act, and 40 C.F.R. 19.4, the respondent is liable from civil penalties of up to \$12,000 per violation, up to a maximum of \$31,500.

IN THE MATTER OF, Cargill, Inc., Respondent
Docket No. CWA-07-2009-0098

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Expedited SPCC Settlement Agreement was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees:

Copy hand delivered to
Attorney for Complainant:

Howard Bunch
Assistant Regional Counsel
Region VII
United States Environmental Protection Agency
901 N. 5th Street
Kansas City, Kansas 66101

Copy by Certified Mail Return Receipt to:

Registered Agent
Cargill, Inc.
C/o CT Corporation
515 South Kansas Avenue
Topeka, Kansas 66603

Dated: 9/1/09


Kathy Robinson
Hearing Clerk, Region 7