# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### **BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR**

In the ADR Matter of

U.S. Department of Agriculture Agriculture Research Service Tropical Agriculture Research Station Mayaguez and Isabela, Puerto Rico Docket No. RCRA-02-1008-7505

Respondent

# ORDER GRANTING SECOND EXTENSION OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

The parties have represented that while they have reached a tentative agreement, additional time is needed to prepare the settlement documents. For good cause having been shown, the alternative dispute resolution process in this matter is extended for 45 days, or until <u>February 9, 2009</u>.

Dated this  $\frac{22m_{eff}}{2}$  day of December 2008.

Surse

Spencer T. Nissen Administrative Law Judge

So Ordered.

Susan L. Biro Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: 12/32/Washington, D.C. 108

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing **Order Granting Second Extension of Alternative Dispute Resolution Process,** dated December 22, 2008, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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Dated: December 22, 2008 Washington, D.C.