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Via Federal Express

August 5, 2008

Regional Hearing Clerk U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 2 290 Broadway, 16th Floor New York, NY 10007-1866

Re: In the Matter of Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation, Administrative Complaint pursuant to §14(a)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), 7 U.S.C. § 136<u>1</u>(a)(1). Docket No. FIFRA-02-2008-5120 Our File No.: 485.001

Dear Sir and/or Madam:

Regarding the above-captioned matter, enclosed please the original and two copies of the following:

- 1. Entry of Appearance on behalf of Respondents, Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation;
- 2. Motion for Extension to Time to Answer the Administrative Complaint, with proposed Order and Certification of Service.

Please file the originals of record and return time-stamped copes to me in the enclosed envelope.

Thank you for your kind assistance in this regard.

Yours truly. DAVID F. MICHELMAN

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cc: Naomi Shapiro, Esquire [w/encl.] Helen Ferrara, Administrative Law Judge [w/encl.] 361 San Francisco Street, 4th Floor San Juan, Puerto Rico 2000 AUG - 6 AN 11:09 EGIONAL HEARING CLERIC

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation,

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Proceeding Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Docket No. FIFRA-02-2008-5120

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ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Kindly enter the appearance of David F. Michelman, Esquire and N. Marlene Fleming of Michelman & Bricker, P.C., as counsel on behalf of Respondents Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation in the above-captioned action.

MICHELMAN & BRICKER, P.C.

Dated: August 5, 2008

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ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE AN ANSWER TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT

Upon review of Respondents', Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation's, Motion for Extension of Time to Answer the Administrative Complaint, and it appearing that the Motion is unopposed by Complainant, and it further appearing that the extension is duly warranted, it is therefore ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED, and Respondent has an extension of time, until October 2, 2008, to file an Answer to the Administrative Complaint filed at EPA Docket No. FIFRA-02-2008-5120.

Dated: August ____, 2008

Helen Ferrara Administrative Law Judge

IN THE MATTER OF:

Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation,

Respondents.

Proceeding Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended. Docket No. FIFRA-02-2008-5129

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER TO ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT

Respondents, Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation, by and through their attorneys, Michelman & Bricker, P.C., request a Forty-five (45) day extension of time to respond to the Administrative Complaint filed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 2 ("EPA Region 2") in this matter, and in support thereof avers the following:

1. EPA Region 2 served Respondents with an Administrative Complaint in this action on July 14, 2008.

2. Respondents and EPA Region 2 have scheduled an informal settlement conference in this matter for September 12, 2008.

3. Respondents wish to have additional time to prepare for this informal settlement conference, and to conduct settlement negotiations, if appropriate, before pursuing active litigation of this matter.

4. Assistant Regional Counsel for EPA Region 2, Naomi Shapiro, Esquire, has agreed not to oppose this request for an extension of time, requesting an extension of forty five (45) days, to October 2, 2008.

WHEREFORE, Respondents, Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation, request an extension of time to answer the Administrative Complaint to, and until, October 2, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 5, 2008

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Respondents.	
Proceeding Under the Federal : Insecticide, Fungicide and :	
Rodenticide Act, as amended.	

<u>CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE</u>

David F. Michelman, Esquire, hereby certifies that he served a true and correct copy of the foregoing Respondents', Flexabar Corporation and Flexdel Corporation, Motion for Extension of Time to answer the Administrative Complaint via United States Mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the following:

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