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United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 1-5 Post Office Square, Suite 100 Boston, Massachusetts 02109-3912

Re: Docket No. TSCA-01-2012-0059

Attention: Wanda A. Santiago, Regional Hearing Clerk

Dear Ms. Santiago,

On behalf of Mr. Eric C. Crews of Collegiate Entrepreneurs, I am requesting an extension of 30 days, until April 12, 2013 to answer the complaint issued by EPA regarding the above referenced matter. This extension will avail Collegiate Entrepreneurs the opportunity to engage in settlement negotiations prior to proceeding with litigation.

I have been in contact with Attorney Schlang regarding this matter in which he informed me that he has no objection to extending the deadline for the Answer. I am told at the present time, the EPA and their consultants are evaluating information supplied by Collegiate Entrepreneurs.

The extension will allow both parties the ability to focus on a settlement with the resources available. It is clearly the intention of Collegiate Entrepreneurs to enter into negotiations with the agency in order to resolve this matter.

Your consideration of this matter is greatly appreciated. Should you need additional information, please feel free to contact me at 508-243-0929 or 508-830-5000 (ext. 2021).

Best regards,

Francis J. Veale, Jr. Attorney at Law

Cc: Attorney Schlang Eric C. Crews