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AGENCY-REGION 7
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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 7
901 NORTH FIFTH STREET
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS 66101

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

IN THE MATTER OF)

)
) CONSENT AGREEMENT
) AND FINAL ORDER
)

RITTER FEEDYARDS, LLC.)

Respondent.)

Proceedings under Section 309(g) of the)

) Docket No. CWA 07-2012-0018
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Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1319(g))
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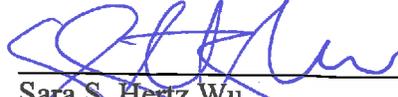
NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF PUBLIC COMMENT PROCESS

COMES NOW, Complainant, the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7 and hereby states and avers as follows:

1. On May 23, 2012, the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7 received one comment on the proposed Consent Agreement and Final Order for the above-captioned matter.
2. The comment was received during the 30 day public comment period.
3. In accordance with 40 C.F.R. Part 22.45(c)(4), a copy of the proposed Consent Agreement and Final Order was sent to the party who submitted the public comment by certified mail return receipt requested. The copy was sent on June 26, 2012.
4. The return receipt was signed by the commenter on June 28, 2012.
5. The 30 day time period provided in 40 C.F.R. Part 22.45 (c)(4) has expired and no petition was received.
6. No additional comments were received on the petition.
7. Therefore, the United States Environmental Protection Agency respectfully requests that the Consent Agreement and Final Order for this matter be entered.

Date: 8/14/12

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the date noted below I hand delivered the original and one true copy of this Consent Agreement and Final Order to the Regional Hearing Clerk, United States Environmental Protection Agency, 901 North Fifth Street, Kansas City, Kansas 66101.

I further certify that on the date noted below I sent a copy of the foregoing by first class certified mail, return receipt requested, to:

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8/14/12
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