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To: Whiting-Beale, Maria
Cc: Clarizio, Richard; Whitehead, LaDawn
Subject: Docket No. CWA-05-2013-0003 (In re Polo Development, Inc.; Aim Georgia, LLC; and Joseph Zdrilich)

Dear Ms. Whiting-Beale:

The undersigned is counsel for Polo Development, Inc., AIM Georgia, LLC, and Joseph Zdrilich. These individuals and entities are respondents in the above-captioned matter.

While U.S. EPA has formally responded to the Hon. Susan L. Biro's offer of the use of an Alternative Dispute Resolution process, I wanted to acknowledge receipt of the March 7, 2013 correspondence containing the offer. Associate Regional Counsel has declined the offer to use Alternative Dispute Resolution and has stated the basis therefore. Moreover, Richard Clarizio and I did discuss the proposal in advance of his communication to you, and I was aware of U.S. EPA's position.

In the meantime, counsel for U.S. EPA and I are working on resolving this matter comprehensively. I am awaiting information from a consultant necessary to proceed. Upon its receipt and review with my client, I will forward additional information to counsel for U.S. EPA and continue to work towards resolution.

That notwithstanding, my clients and I thank you for the March 7, 2013 offer.

Respectfully,

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