## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION I

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IN THE MATTER OF:

Finicky Pet Food, Inc. 68 Blackmer Street New Bedford, MA 02744

Respondent.

EPA Docket Nos. CAA-01-2018-0019 EPCRA-01-2018-0020

## SECOND AND FINAL ORDER TO EXTEND SEP COMPLETION

The Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO) for the above-referenced matter requires, among other things, that Respondent, Finicky Pet Food, Inc., complete a Supplemental Environmental Project (SEP) to provide emergency response gear to local emergency responders at a total cost of \$99,000. The gear was to be provided in three installments within twelve months of the issuance of the Final Order. CAFO Para. 80, p. 31.

The Final Order for this matter was issued by the undersigned and filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk on or about September 20, 2018. Accordingly, the final SEP installment was due on or about September 20, 2019. Because the Respondent was experiencing financial difficulties, the parties proposed a one-year extension of this deadline. As a result, the undersigned issued an Order on October 2, 2019 that extended the deadline for completion of the SEP until September 20, 2020.

Because it is continuing to experience financial difficulties, Respondent was unable to complete the final SEP installment within the twelve-month extension period. In lieu of the assessment of stipulated penalties which would worsen Respondent's financial difficulties, the parties have jointly proposed an additional one-year extension of time to allow Respondent to complete the final installment. The parties have agreed and understand that this is the final extension of the SEP deadline that will be requested or granted by the undersigned.

For good cause shown, the deadline for the final SEP installment is extended for an additional twelve months, i.e., until September 20, 2021. See CAFO Para. 109, p. 43. The final SEP installment must be completed by this date.

## SO ORDERED THIS 4th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2020

LeAnn Jensen Regional Judicial Officer