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IN THE MATTER OF:	:
Mr. James Ganoe HC 64 Box 3300 (Romney, West Virginia 26757 Mr. Thomas Ganoe 26 Oates Avenue Winchester, VA 22601	<ul> <li>U.S. EPA Docket No. TSCA-03-2012-0226</li> <li>STATUS REPORT</li> <li>Proceeding under Sections 409 and 16(a)</li> <li>of the Toxic Substances Control Act</li> <li>15 U.S.C. §§ 2689 and 2615(a)</li> </ul>
RESPONDENTS	
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TARGET HOUSING	:

## **STATUS REPORT**

Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.07(b) of the Consolidated Rules of Practice and in response to the Order of Chief Administrative Law Susan L. Biro in her INITIAL PREFERRING ORDER, dated March 20m 2013, Complainant, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), respectfully submits this STATUS REPORT regarding the settlement status of the above captioned case.

1. Complainant and Respondent have had multiple settlement discussions and had been participating in the Administrative Law Judge's Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") Program until the time period expired.

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2. As a result of the settlement efforts the parties have reached an agreement and signed a Consent Agreement.

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 The signed Consent Agreement has been given to the Regional Judicial Officer for her review and approval as well as the issuance of the Final Order settling this matter.

Once the Regional Judicial Officer has issued the Final Order the sentiment documents will be filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk. True and Correct copies of the settlement documents will then be transmitted to Respondent.

Respectfully submitted,

Rodney Travis Carter

Senior Assistant Regional Counsel

April 16, 2013 Date

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### <u>CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE</u>

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I hereby certify that the original and one copy of the foregoing SIPACES DEFOINT, CLERK

Docket No.TSCA-03-2012-0226, has been filed with the EPA Region III Regional Hearing

Clerk and that I caused copies to be sent via first class, inter-office or express mail, return receipt

requested to:

## Honorable Susan L. Biro (1900L)

Chief Administrative Law Judge U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Ariel Rios Building 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20460

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