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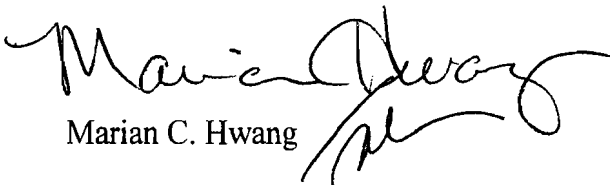
Re: In the Matter of Black & Decker (U.S.) Inc.  
Docket No.: RCRA -02-2011-7104

Dear Ms. Ferrara,

On behalf of Black & Decker (U.S.) Inc., I am writing to request a 60-day extension or until October 17, 2011, by which to respond to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Complaint in the above-referenced matter. I have conferred with EPA's counsel, Ms. Jeannie Yu, who consents to this extension. This extension is needed to gather and provide to EPA requested information and to confer and meet with EPA for settlement negotiations.

Should you have any questions with regard to this request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

  
Marian C. Hwang

cc: Jeannie M. Yu, Esquire (via email)  
Karen Maples, Regional Hearing Clerk  
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