# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION II

IN THE MATTER OF:

Caribbean Properties Investment, Inc.

and

**VPI Construction Corp.** 

Bahía Marina Resort Development

**RESPONDENTS** 

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### STATUS REPORT

COME NOW Complainant, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Respondents, Caribbean Properties Investment, Inc. and VPI Construction Corp. through the undersigned attorneys (together the "Parties"), and respectfully allege, pray and request as follows:

Pursuant to the June 29, 2010 Prehearing Order issued by the Administrative Law Judge, Honorable Barbara A. Gunning, Counsels for the Parties submit the following status report in the above captioned matter.

The Parties in this case have been actively participating in good faith negotiations, including conference calls, in order to expedite a final settlement of

this matter. Today, the Parties presented each other with arguments and settlement proposals, which the Parties are still considering.

This Motion has been filed today in order to have the Administrative Law Judge, Honorable Barbara A. Gunning, take notice of the efforts made by the Parties in trying to reach a settlement agreement dispositive of all matters asserted in the administrative complaint.

Respectfully submitted, in San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2010.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that I have this day caused to be sent the foregoing **Status Report**, dated August 5, 2010, and bearing the above-referenced docket number, in the following manner to the respective addressees below:

Original and copy by facsimile, Overnight Mail to:

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