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REGION 5

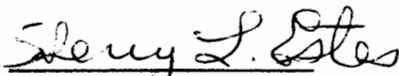
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IN THE MATTER OF: )  
) DOCKET NO. RCRA-05-2007-0015  
North American EN, Inc. )  
450 Crossen Avenue )  
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007 )  
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U.S. EPA ID No.: ILD082068214 )  
)  
Respondent )  
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**Notice of EPA's Acceptance of ADR**

Counsel, on behalf of Complainant, the Director, Land and Chemicals Division, Region 5, United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA), hereby accepts the offer of Office of Administrative Law Judges to conduct Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) in the above-entitled matter. Counsel was informed by the Region 5's Regional Hearing Clerk that on November 6, 2007, that Respondent, North American EN, Inc. has also accepted the offer to participate in ADR in an attempt to settle this matter; a notice giving Respondent's contact information was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk on that date. Counsel would like to define the type of mediation conducted and mediation schedule with the Administrative Law Judge once that individual is assigned as a neutral in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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**Certificate of Filing**

Counsel further certifies that on November 8, 2007, she filed the original of the  
Notice of EPA's Acceptance of ADR with:

Sonja Brooks-Woodard  
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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
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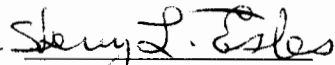
**Certificate of Service**

Counsel certifies that on November 8, 2007, she sent a copy of Notice of EPA's  
Acceptance of ADR, by telefax, to:

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