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Ms. Wanda I. Santiago Regional Hearing Clerk United States Environmental Protection Agency - Region 1 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100 (RHC) Boston, MA 02114-2023

RE:

In the Matter of Viking Oil

Docket No.: CWA-01-2009-0041

Dear Ms. Santiago:

Please find enclosed for filing, relative to the above-named matter, the original and one copy of the following pleading:

1. Respondent, Viking Fuel Oil Company's, Motion for Additional Extension to Time to Respond to Complainant's Complaint.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Francis S McGririn

cc: Stephen C. Schlang, Esq., U.S. EPA

Viking Fuel Oil Company

w/enclosures

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 1

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) Proceeding to Assess Class II Civil
) Penalty under Clean Water Act
Section 311 for Oil Spill Violations)
) Docket No. CWA-01-2009-0041

RESPONDENT, VIKING FUEL OIL COMPANY'S, MOTION FOR ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO COMPLAINANT'S COMPLAINT

NOW COMES the Respondent, Viking Fuel Oil Company, and respectfully requests an additional forty five (45) day extension of time to respond to the Complainant's Complaint, relative to the above-captioned matter. Previously, an extension of time was granted up to and including June 29, 2009 for the filing of responsive pleadings to the Complainant's Complaint. As grounds for this request, the Respondent states that a tentative settlement has been reached between the Respondent and Complainant and that further negotiations are ongoing regarding a payment plan for the settlement amount. Counsel for the Respondent has conferred and provided Complainant's counsel with a copy of this Motion and has been advised that the Complainant does not oppose this Motion.

WHEREFORE, the Respondent, Viking Fuel Oil Company, respectfully requests an additional forty five (45) day extension of time to respond to the Complainant's Complaint.

Respectfully submitted, By the Respondent, Viking Fuel Oil Company, By its attorney,

Francis S. McGurrin

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DATED: June 26, 2009

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Francis S. McGurrin, attorney for the Respondent, Viking Fuel Oil Company, hereby certify that on the <u>26th</u> day of June, 2009, I forwarded true copies of the Respondent's Motion for Additional Extension of Time to Respond to Complainant's Complaint, by facsimile transmission and first class mail, postage pre-paid to the following counsel of record:

Stephen C. Schlang, Esq., U.S. EPA United States Environmental Protection Agency - Region 1 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100 Boston, MA 02114-2023

Francis S. McGurrin