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In the Matter of:

Docket No. CAA-01-2008-0105 LARING CLERK

Bilray Demolition Company, Inc. 73 Mill Street Johnston, Rhode Island 02919

Proceeding under Section 113 of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. # 7413

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

I, Fred J. Volpe, Esquire, do enter my appearance on the respondent, Bilray Demolition Company, Inc.

> Bilray Demolition Company, Inc., By its Attorney,

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Answer and Request for Hearing has been sent to the following persons by Federal Express on the date noted below:

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ANSWER

Now Comes Bilray Demolition Company, Inc., by and through counsel, and for its answer states as follows:

I. STATEMENT OF AUTHORITY

- 1. Bilray Demolition Company, Inc. (Bilray) leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
 - 2. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.

II. STATUTORY AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

- 3. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
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III. GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

11. Admitted.

- 12. Admitted. 13. Admitted. 14. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof. 15. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof. 16. Admitted.
- 17. Denied.
- 18. Admitted.
- 19. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
- 20. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
- 21. Admitted.

IV. VIOLATIONS

COUNT 1: FAILURE TO THOROUGHLY INSPECT FOR ASBESTOS

- 22. Admitted.
- 23. Denied.
- 24. Denied.

COUNT 2: FAILURE TO NOTIFY OF DEMOLITION

- 25. Admitted.
- 26. Denied.
- 27. Denied.

COUNT 3: FAILURE TO ADEQUATELY WET ASBESTOS DURING THE STRIPPING OPERATION

28. Admitted.

- 29. Denied.
- 30. Denied.

COUNT 4: FAILURE TO KEEP ASBESTOS ADEQUATELY WET UNTIL COLLECTED AND CONTAINED FOR DISPOSAL

- 31. Admitted.
- 32. Denied.
- 33. Denied.

COUNT 5: FAILURE TO PROPERTY DISPOSE OF ASBESTOS WASTE

- 34. Admitted.
- 35. Denied.
- 36. Denied.

V. PROPOSED CIVIL PENALTY

- 37. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
- 38. Bilray denies that EPA, pursuant to its debt collection and improvement act of 1996, regulations promulgated thereunder at 40 C.F.R. Part 19, the Clean Air Act Stationary Source Civil Penalty Policy and the Asbestos Demolition and Renovation Civil Penalty Policy, should impose a civil penalty.
- 39. Bilray requests an adjustment for economic impact of the penalty on respondent's business.
 - 40. Bilray leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
 - 41. Denied.
- 42. Paragraph 42 does not require a response; notwithstanding, Bilray Demolition leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.
- 43. Paragraph 43 does not require a response; notwithstanding, Bilray Demolition leaves EPA to its specific proof thereof.