

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION VII
901 NORTH 5TH STREET
KANSAS CITY, KANSAS 66101

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BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

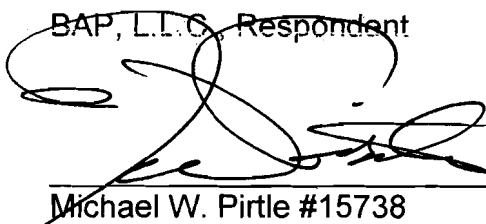
IN THE MATTER OF) Docket No. FIFRA-07-2006-0252
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BAP, L.L.C.)
(Formerly: Baltzell Agri-Products, Inc.))
6930 F Street)
Omaha, Nebraska 68117) APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL AND
And) REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
Wellmark International) TO ANSWER
1501 E. Woodfield Road,)
Suite 200 West)
Schaumburg, Illinois 60173)
Respondents)

COMES NOW Michael W. Pirtle and Joseph E. Leahy, attorneys with the law firm of Gross & Welch in Omaha, Nebraska and hereby enter their appearance as attorneys of record for Respondent BAP, L.L.C. and hereby request an extension of thirty (30) days to respond to the Complaint filed herein. In support thereof, the undersigned show that the afternoon of September 13, 2006 they talked by telephone with Rupert G. Thomas, Assistant Regional Counsel for EPA-Region VII and he indicated he had no objection to an extension of thirty (30) days being granted and that we had his authority to represent to the Regional Hearing Clerk that he was not opposed to said extension.

DATED this 13th day of September, 2006

BAP, L.L.C. Respondent

By:


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true and accurate copy of the above and foregoing document was served upon all counsel of record by facsimile transmission and by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, this 13th day of September, 2006, addressed as follows:

Mr. Rupert G. Thomas
Assistant Regional Counsel for EPA-Region VII
901 N. 5th Street
Kansas City, KS 66101

Fax No. 913-551-9282

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Nicole J. Alden", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and extends slightly below the line.