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BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

IN THE MATTER OF)
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G. S. Robins and Company) Docket No. EPCRA-07-2006-0221
St. Louis, Missouri 63102)
)
Respondent.)

**RESPONDENT G. S. ROBINS AND COMPANY'S UNOPPOSED MOTION
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER AND REQUEST HEARING**

COMES NOW Respondent G. S. Robins and Company ("Respondent"), by and through the undersigned counsel, and respectfully requests an extension of time until and including October 6, 2006, to answer and/or request a hearing in the above-referenced matter. In support of this motion, Respondent states the following:

1. On July 7, 2006, the Region 7 of the Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA"), filed the Complaint in the above-referenced action.
2. The Complaint was served on Respondent on July 10, 2006. Respondent has thirty days to answer the Complaint and/or request a hearing, placing Respondent's due date for such an answer and/or request at August 9, 2006.
3. Respondent and EPA have entered into settlement discussions regarding the Complaint, including a meeting at EPA's offices in Kansas City on August 4, 2006. These settlement discussions are still ongoing. Respondent seeks to continue settlement discussions with EPA.

4. EPA has indicated to Respondent that it does not object to an extension of sixty days for Respondent to answer the Complaint and/or request a hearing in this matter.

5. Sixty days from August 9, 2006, is Sunday, October 8, 2006.

Accordingly, Respondent respectfully requests that, in the interest of further pursuing settlement discussions with EPA, it be granted until and including Friday, October 6, 2006, to answer and/or request a hearing in this matter.

Date: August 4, 2006

Respectfully submitted,



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