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December 13, 2011

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Honorable Susan L. Biro Chief Administrative Law Judge Office of Administrative Law Judges U. S. EPA, Mail Code 1900L Arial Rios Building 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20460

> Re: GOWAN CONSTRUCTION, INC., and NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DOCKET NO.: CWA-08-2011-0039

Dear Judge Biro:

Pursuant to §22.21(a) of the Consolidated Rules of Practice, 40 CFR Part 22, the abovecaptioned matter is hereby referred to you for assignment to an Administrative Law Judge. In accordance therewith, a copy of the entire Docket file is located on the Regional Hearing Clerk Docket System.

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If you require any additional information, please feel free to contact me at 303-312-6765.

Sincerely,

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