

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 8 ZUIJ APR 24 AM 10: 26

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EPA REGION VIII HEARING CLERK

DOCKET NO.: CWA-08-2013-0012

IN THE MATTER OF:	
MATTSON CONSTRUCTION CO. 4321 Burdick Expressway	FINAL ORDER
Minot, ND 58702-1327	
Respondent	

Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. §22.13 (b) and 22.18 of EPA's Consolidated Rules of Practice, the Consent Agreement resolving this matter is hereby approved and incorporated by reference into this Final Order. The Respondent is hereby **ORDERED** to comply with all of the terms of the Consent Agreement, effective immediately upon receipt by Respondent of this Consent Agreement and Final Order.

The Parties are hereby **ORDERED** to comply with this Final Order.

SO ORDERED THIS 24 Day of , 2013

Elyana R. Sutin

Regional Judicial Officer

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In the Matter of:	) EPA REGION VIII
	) BEARING CLERK
Mattson Construction Co.	)
4321 Burdick Expressway	) EXPEDITED CONSENT AGREEMENT
Minot, ND 58702-1327	)
	) DOCKET NO.: CWA-08-2013-0012
Respondent.	)

- Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.13(b), Complainant, United States Environmental Protection
  Agency, Region 8 (EPA), and Respondent, Mattson Construction Co., by their undersigned
  representatives, hereby settle the civil cause of action arising out of violations of the Spill
  Prevention Control and Countermeasure (SPCC) Plan regulations, and agree as follows:
- 2. The Clean Water Act (the Act), as amended, 33 U.S.C. § 1321(b)(6), authorizes the Administrator of EPA to assess administrative penalties against any person who violates the oil pollution prevention (SPCC) regulations, promulgated at 40 C.F.R. Part 112 under Section 311(j) of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1321(j). This authority has been properly delegated to the undersigned EPA official.
- Respondent owns and/or operates Mattson Construction Co. (Facility) located at 4321
   Burdick Expressway, Minot, Ward County, North Dakota.
- 4. The Facility is located approximately one mile from the Souris River, a traditional navigable water. Discharges of harmful quantities of oil from the Facility could reasonably be expected to reach navigable waters of the United States or adjoining shorelines.
- The Facility has a total storage capacity of approximately 19,000 gallons of oil and is subject to the SPCC regulations.
- 6. Respondent admits its Facility is subject to the SPCC regulations.

- On July 27, 2010, an EPA inspector conducted an SPCC inspection at the Facility. At the time of the inspection, there was no SPCC Plan in place for the Facility.
- On February 1, 2013, Respondent submitted an SPCC Plan for the Facility dated
   February 1, 2013, which was compliant with the SPCC regulations.
- Respondent admits that from the date of the inspection on July 27, 2010, until
   February 1, 2013, the Facility did not have an SPCC Plan in compliance with the SPCC regulations found at 40 C.F.R. § 112.3.
- 10. Respondent admits that EPA has jurisdiction in this proceeding.
- Respondent waives its right to a hearing before any civil tribunal to contest any issue of law or fact set forth in this Agreement.
- 12. This Agreement, upon incorporation into a final order, applies to and is binding upon EPA and upon Respondent and Respondent's heirs, successors and assigns. Any change in ownership or corporate status of Respondent, including but not limited to any transfer of assets or real or personal property, shall not alter Respondent's responsibilities under this Agreement.
- 13. This Agreement contains all terms of the settlement agreed to by the parties.
- 14. Respondent consents and agrees to the assessment of a civil penalty of \$1,500.00 for violations of Section 311(j) of the Act, which shall be paid no later than thirty (30) days after the effective date of the Final Order by means of a cashier's or certified check, or by wire transfer. If paying by check, the Respondent shall submit a cashier's or certified check, payable to "Environmental Protection Agency" and bearing the notations "OSLTF 311" and the title and docket number of this case. If the Respondent sends payment by the U.S. Postal Service, the payment shall be addressed to:

U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Fines and Penalties Cincinnati Finance Center PO Box 979077 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

If the Respondent sends payment by overnight mail, the payment shall be sent to:

U.S. Bank 1005 Convention Plaza Mail Station SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101 Contact: Natalie Pearson 314-418-4087

Wire transfers shall be directed to:

Federal Reserve Bank of New York
ABA: 021030004
Account: 68010727
SWIFT address: FRNYUS33
33 Liberty Street
New York, NY 10045

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15. The Respondent shall submit copies of the check (or, in the case of a wire transfer, copies of the confirmation) to the following persons:

Tina Artemis, Regional Hearing Clerk (8RC) U.S. EPA Region 8 1595 Wynkoop Denver, CO 80202-1129

and

Cynthia Peterson
Technical Enforcement Program (8ENF-UFO)
U.S. EPA Region 8
1595 Wynkoop
Denver, CO 80202-1129

- Respondent will implement and maintain an SPCC plan for the Facility in accordance with 40 C.F.R. § 112.
- 17. Respondent further agrees and consents that if Respondent fails to pay the penalty amount as required by this Agreement once incorporated into the Final Order, this Agreement is null and void, and EPA may pursue any applicable enforcement options.
- 18. The undersigned representative of Respondent certifies that he/she is fully authorized to enter into the terms and conditions for this Agreement and to bind Respondent to the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- 19. The parties agree to submit this Consent Agreement to the Regional Judicial Officer, with a request that it be incorporated into a final order.
- 20. Each party shall bear its own costs and attorneys fees in connection with this matter.
- 21. This Consent Agreement, upon incorporation into a final order by the Regional Judicial Officer and full satisfaction by the parties, shall be a complete and full civil settlement of the specific violations described in this Agreement.

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, REGION 8, Office of Enforcement Compliance and Environmental Justice, Complainant.

By: Darcy O'Connor, Director

UIC/FIFRA/OPA Technical Enforcement Program

Office of Enforcement, Compliance and

Environmental Justice

Mattson Construction Company, Respondent.

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Title

Date:

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that the original of the attached EXPEDITED CONSENT AGREEMENT AND FINAL ORDER in the matter of MATTSON CONSTRUCTION CO.; DOCKET NO.: CWA-08-2013-0012 was filed with the Regional Hearing Clerk on April 24, 2013.

Further, the undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of the document was delivered to Brenda Morris, Enforcement Attorney, U. S. EPA – Region 8, 1595 Wynkoop Street, Denver, CO 80202-1129. True and correct copies of the aforementioned documents were placed in the United States mail certified/return receipt requested on April 24, 2013, to:

Mark D. Mattson, President Mattson Construction Co. 4321 Burdick Expressway Minot, ND 58702-1327

E-mailed to:

Kim White U. S. Environmental Protection Agency Cincinnati Finance Center 26 W. Martin Luther King Drive (MS-0002) Cincinnati, Ohio 45268

April 24, 2013

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Paralegal/Regional Hearing Clerk