

UNITED STATES
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of)
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1810 W. GRACE ST. LLC,) DOCKET NO. RCRA-05-2009-0019
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Respondent)

REPORT RECOMMENDING CONTINUATION
OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

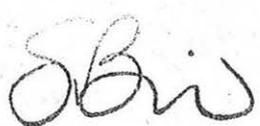
The Chief Administrative Law Judge's Order of November 16, 2009 provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates January 15, 2010. The recommendation of this Report is that the ADR process be continued for another month, to February 15, 2010.

This continuation of the ADR process is recommended because the parties' negotiations have developed the possibility of a settlement, but additional time is needed if a settlement is to be actually concluded. In a conference call on December 15, 2009 the parties requested continuation of the ADR process for another month. The parties' chances of achieving a settlement are sufficient to justify a continuation of ADR.

Accordingly, the undersigned will continue to work as a Neutral in this case and will file another report with the Chief Administrative Law Judge by February 15, 2010 unless otherwise directed by her.



Barbara A. Gunning
Administrative Law Judge
Dated: December 15, 2009



Approved: _____
Susan L. Biro
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: 12/16/09

**In the ADR Matter of 1810 W. Grace St., LLC, Respondent.
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing **Report Recommending Continuation of Alternative Dispute Resolution Process**, dated December 15, 2009, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.



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