UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of)
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COLIN WENTWORTH,) DOCKET NO. TSCA-01-2011-0037
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Respondent	, ,

REPORT RECOMMENDING CONTINUATION OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

The Order of Redesignation dated January 6, 2012 provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates February 29, 2012. The recommendation of this Report is that the ADR process be continued for the final month, to March 30, 2012.

This continuation of the ADR process is recommended because the parties have reached a settlement in principle in this case. However, additional time is needed to execute a Consent Agreement and Final Order ("CAFO"). The parties' chances of achieving a settlement are sufficient to justify the requested continuation.

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 March 30, 2012 unless otherwise directed by her. The parties are commended for their success in negotiating their agreement.

Barbara A. Gunning Administrative Law Judge Dated: February 23, 2012

Approved:

Susan Z. Biro

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated:

¹ A written status report is due no later than March 30, 2012 if the executed CAFO is not submitted.