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## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

#### BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

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IN THE MATTER OF				)			
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CACTUS	HILL	RANCH	COMPANY,	)	DOCKET	NO.	CWA-08-2012-0033
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RESPONDENT				)			

#### ORDER RETURNING CASE TO CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

As you previously have been notified, the November 6, 2012 Order of the Chief Administrative Law Judge designated the undersigned as a neutral in the Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") process in the above-captioned matter. The November 6, 2012 Order provides that this ADR process terminates January 7, 2013.

The parties have been engaging in settlement discussions as part of the ADR process. Due to the impending retirement of the undersigned, this case is being returned to the Chief Administrative Law Judge for reassignment to another ADR Judge. Continuation of the ADR process is recommended because the parties' negotiations are ongoing.

Administrative Law Judge

Dated: December 21, 2012

In the ADR Matter of Cactus Hill Ranch Company, Respondent Docket No. CWA-08-2012-0033

### Certificate of Service

I certify that the foregoing <u>Order Returning Case To Chief Administrative Law</u>
<u>Judge</u>, dated December 21, 2012, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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Legal Staff Assistant

Dated: December 21, 2012

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