UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter	of)
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My Van Nguyen	and) DOCKET NO. TSCA-01-2013-0051
Xem Thi Le)
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	Respondent)

REPORT RECOMMENDING HOLDING CASE IN ABEYANCE BEFORE INSTITUTION OF LITIGATION PROCEEDINGS

The Report of June 27, 2014, provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates July 28, 2014. The parties have reached a settlement in principle regarding a penalty amount and are currently working to include a Supplemental Environmental Project as a component of the settlement. As such, the parties have not reached a final agreement. The parties are encouraged to continue expeditiously their negotiations to try to conclude a final settlement agreement.

As the parties have expended a great deal of effort and time in discussing settlement, the undersigned recommends that the case be held in abeyance for a limited period of time to afford the parties an opportunity to conclude their settlement negotiations and finalize the Consent Agreement and Final Order. The undersigned expresses her appreciation to the parties for the courtesy and candor with which they participated in the ADR process.

M. Lisa Buschmann
Administrative Law Judge

Dated: August 1, 2014

Approved:

Susan L. Biro

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated:

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Certificate of Service

I certify that the foregoing **Report Recommending Holding Case In Abeyance Before Institution Of Litigation Proceedings**, dated August 1, 2014, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

Maria Whiting-Beale Staff Assistant

Dated: August 1, 2014

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