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BEFORE
THE REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
REGION 10
U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

In the Matter of:

EMPIRE LUMBER CO.,

Respondent.

Docket No. CAA-10-2012-0054

RESPONDENT EMPIRE LUMBER
COMPANY'S ACCEPTANCE TO
PARTICIPATE IN EPA'S ADR
PROCESS

Respondent Empire Lumber Company (Respondent), by and through its counsel, Richard Du Bey and Jennifer Sanscrainte and Short Cressman & Burgess PLLC, hereby accepts U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Office of the Administrative Law Judge's June 28, 2012 offer to participate in an Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) process to facilitate the settlement of the above referenced adjudicative case.

As requested by Chief ALJ Biro, we provide the following:

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- (2) Name of Respondent:
Empire Lumber Company, dba Kamiah Mills
P.O. Box 638
Kamiah, Idaho 83536-0638
- (3) Case Docket Number:
CAA-10-2012-0054
- (4) Represented Party:
Empire Lumber Company, dba Kamiah Mills
- (5) Participate in ADR: Yes No

DATED this 12th day of July, 2012.

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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 I, Melody Wasley, certify and declare:

3 I am over the age of 18 years, make this Declaration based upon personal
4 knowledge, and am competent to testify regarding the facts contained herein.

5 On July 12, 2012 I served true and correct copies of RESPONDENT
6 EMPIRE LUMBER COMPANY'S ACCEPTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN EPA'S
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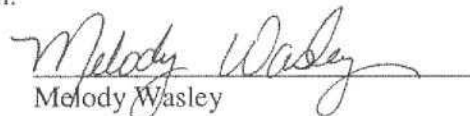
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22 I certify under penalty of perjury pursuant to the laws of the State of
23 Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

24 SIGNED on at Seattle, Washington.


Melody Wasley

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