

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

IN THE MATTER OF)
SERVICE SUPPLY OF VICTORIA,) DOCKET NO. CAA-06-2009-3374) CAA-06-2009-3375
RESPONDENT)

ORDER TO POSTPONE PREHEARING EXCHANGE

On October 13, 2009, the parties and the undersigned held a conference call. The parties made representations that they have an agreement in principle: For good cause shown, the Prehearing Exchange is postponed.

Complainant is directed to file a Status Report by November 2, 2009, if both matters are not fully resolved by the execution of the Consent Agreement and Final Order by that time.

Barbara A. Gunning

Administrative Law Judge

Dated: October 14, 2009 Washington, DC

In the Matter of Service Supply of Victoria, Respondent. Docket No. CAA-06-2009-3374 & CAA-06-2009-3375

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing **Order to Postpone Prehearing Exchange**, dated October 14, 2009, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of:)
99 CENTS ONLY STORES,) Docket No. FIFRA-9-2008-0027
Respondent.	

ORDER ON MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND MOTION TO CONFORM TRANSCRIPT TO PROCEEDINGS

The hearing in this matter was held on June 23-24, 2009, and thereafter, an Order Regarding Post-Hearing Briefs was issued, requiring the parties to file initial post-hearing briefs on or before October 9, 2009, and to file reply briefs on or before October 26, 2009.

On October 7, 2009, Complainant filed an Unopposed Motion to Extend Filing Deadlines for Post-Hearing Briefs and Replies to extend the due dates by one week, on the basis that he has been attempting to arrange necessary medical treatment for his mother. Complainant requests an extension of time until October 16 for initial briefs and until October 23 for reply briefs, and states that Respondent does not oppose the Motion. However, because the reply briefs were set to be due on October 26, it appears that the October 23 date is an error. The Motion will be taken as requesting a one week extension, until November 2, for reply briefs.

For good cause, the request for extension of time is **GRANTED**. The parties' initial briefs shall be filed on or before **October 16, 2009**, and reply briefs shall be filed on or before **November 2, 2009**.

On September 23, 2009, Complainant filed a Motion for Leave to File Motion to Conform Transcript to Proceedings (Motion for Leave), and an attached Motion to Conform Transcript to Proceedings (Motion to Conform). The Motion for Leave acknowledges that the Rules of Practice which govern this proceeding, 40 C.F.R. Part 22 (Rules), provide at 40 C.F.R. § 22.25 that "Any party may file a motion to conform the transcript to the actual testimony within 30 days after receipt of the transcript" and that Complainant received the transcript on August 10, 2009. Thus, the Rules required Complainant to file the Motion on or before September 9, 2009. The Motion for Leave states that Complainant's counsel was unable to review the transcript until after this time due to scheduled vacation and case deadlines, did not anticipate the unusual number of transcription errors, and additional time was necessary to identify them. Respondent urges that its Motion to Conform be granted to give effect to the testimony. Complainant states that it provided Respondent's counsel with proposed corrections

to the transcript errors, but has not received a response.

No response has been filed by Respondent, and the 15 day period for filing a response, provided by 40 C.F.R. § 22.16(b), has elapsed. No prejudice is apparent from the delay in filing the Motion to Conform.

Accordingly, Complainant's Motion for Leave to File Motion to Conform Transcript to Proceedings and Motion to Conform Transcript to Proceedings are **GRANTED**. The transcript shall be deemed to appear as shown in Complainant's Motion to Conform Transcript to Proceedings.

Susan L. Biro

Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: October 9, 2009 Washington, D.C.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that the foregoing Order On Motion For Extension Of Time And Motion To Conform Transcript to Proceedings, dated October 9, 2009, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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Dated: October 13, 2009

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