## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

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In the Matter of: Norco Corporation, Respondent.

Docket No. CAA-09-2024-0025

## **COMPLAINANT'S STATUS REPORT**

The Director of the Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Division of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Region 9 Office ("Complainant") files this Status Report consistent with this Tribunal's Notice of Hearing Order dated August 14, 2024. The Order requires Complainant to file a first Status Report as to the status of any settlement negotiations between the parties on or before September 27, 2024.

The parties spoke on a Microsoft Teams conference call, on September 19, 2024, in an attempt to settle the matter. The parties did not reach a settlement during the conference but are scheduled to meet again on September 27, 2024.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sept. 26, 2024

Date

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that an electronic copy of the foregoing **Complainant's Status Report** *In the Matter of Norco Corporation*, Docket No. CAA-09-2024-0025, was filed and served on the Presiding Officer this day through the Office of Administrative Law Judges' E-Filing System. I certify that an electronic copy of this Status Report was sent this day by e-mail to the following e-mail address for service on Respondent: A.G. Hollenstein at <u>ag@norcocorp.com</u>.

Sept. 26, 2024

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