## BEFORE THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

In the Matter of:	DOCKET NO. CWA-10-2025-0023
JACKSON & SON DISTRIBUTORS, INC., dba JACKSON AND SON OIL,	JOINT MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME
Seaside, Oregon,	

Respondent.

## JOINT MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW, the United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 10 ("Complainant"), by and through its undersigned counsel and pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 22.7(b), to respectfully request that this Tribunal grant an extension of time and extend the deadlines set forth in its January 28, 2025 Prehearing Order by an additional 30 days. Complainant has conferred with Respondent and Respondent has agreed to join Complainant in this Motion.

40 C.F.R. Part 22 allows this Tribunal to "grant an extension of time for filing any document: upon timely motion of a party to the proceeding, for good cause shown, and after consideration of prejudice to other partis." 40 C.F.R. § 22.7(b).

As reported in Complainant's February 21, 2025 Status Report, the parties have been engaged in settlement negotiations and have met numerous times in the interest of settlement. An extension of time will allow the parties additional time to engage in settlement negotiations, potentially saving the parties and this Tribunal valuable time and resources. Therefore, the parties believe that a 30-day extension of the deadlines set forth in the Tribunal's Prehearing Order is warranted and serves the interest of all parties. *See e.g., Borla Performance Indus.*, EPA Docket No. CAA-09-2020-0044, 2022 WL 887454, at \*3 (ALJ, March 15, 2022) (Order on Respondent's Motion to Stay the Proceeding); Ro Cher Enterprises, Inc., et al., EPA Docket No.

TSCA-05-2023-0004 (ALJ, June 10, 2024) (Order on Joint Motion for an Extension of Time).

Complainant respectfully request that the deadlines in this Tribunal's Prehearing Order be extended as follows:

April 10, 2025	Complainant's Prehearing Exchange
May 1, 2025	Respondent's Prehearing Exchange
May 15, 2025	Complainant's Rebuttal Prehearing Exchange

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing Motion for an Extension of Time, dated February 26,

2025 was served on the following parties in the manner indicated below.

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Dated: February 26, 2025