UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY



BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

IN THE MATTER OF

TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

DOCKET NO. CWA-01-2009-0093

RESPONDENT

## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

The file before me reflects that Respondent has failed to file either its prehearing exchange or a statement of election only to conduct cross-examination of Complainant's witnesses as its manner of defense on or before March 26, 2010, as required by the Administrative Law Judge's Prehearing Order dated October 7, 2009, as amended November 25, 2009, and that Respondent has not filed a motion for an extension of the filing deadline. Complainant timely filed its prehearing exchange.

Under Section 22.17(a) of the Consolidated Rules of Practice Governing the Administrative Assessment of Civil Penalties and the Revocation/Termination or Suspension of Permits, 40 C.F.R. § 22.17(a), a party may be found to be in default upon failure to comply with a prehearing order of the Administrative Law Judge. Therefore, Respondent is ordered to show cause, if any, on or before **April 30**, **2010**, why Respondent failed to meet the March 26, 2010 filing deadline and why a default order should not be entered for failing to meet this deadline.

Barbara A. Gunning Administrative Law Judge

Dated: April 14, 2010 Washington, DC In the Matter of *Town of North Providence, Department of Public Works,* Respondent. Docket No. CWA-01-2009-0093

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the foregoing **Order to Show Cause**, dated April 14, 2010, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.

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