UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR

In the Matter of CBD AMERICAN SHAMAN, LLC Docket No. CAA-07-2022-0142 RESPONDENT'S PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

Respondent CBD American Shaman, LLC (referred to herein as "Respondent"), by and through the undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully submits the following Status Report.

1. Respondent's preference for the location of the hearing is Kansas City, Missouri.

2. Respondent consents to service of orders and decisions issued by the Office of the

Administrative Law Judge and to service of documents by other parties in this proceeding by email only during the pendency of this proceeding.

3. Respondent will accept service of documents during this proceeding at nporto@portolaw.com.

Respectfully submitted,

THE PORTO LAW FIRM

Dated: June 9, 2023

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Certificate of Service

I certify the foregoing has been submitted electronically using the OALJ E-Filing System and was further sent by email to <u>kacsur.katherine@epa.gov</u>.

U Dated: June 9, 2023 Signature