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August 12, 2014

VIA E-MAIL ONLY

Glenda Davidson
Docket Clerk
Department of Environmental Protection
400 Market Street
Rachel Carson State Office Building
16th Floor
Harrisburg, PA 17101

RE: Hilcorp Energy Company
MMS No. 2013-SLAP-000528
Docket No. 2013-01

Dear Ms. Davidson:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter is the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Environmental Protection's letter to Hearing Officer Bangs in support of the Property Owners' Motion for Enlargement of Time.

Please call me if you have any questions concerning this matter. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Elizabeth A. Nolan".

Elizabeth A. Nolan
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Enclosures

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Michael L. Bangs, Esquire
Hearing Officer
Bangs Law Office, LLC
429 South 18th Street
Camp Hill, PA 17011

RE: Hilcorp Energy Company
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Dear Hearing Officer Bangs:

In your letter dated August 11, 2014, you stated that you would enter an Order today setting the hearing dates in the above-captioned matter for September 30th and October 1st, 2014 unless the parties have agreed on an alternative dates. Later on August 11, 2014, Martin and Suzanne Matteo, husband and wife, Robert and Carole Valentine, husband and wife, and Steve Emery (hereinafter collectively the "Property Owners") filed a Motion for Enlargement of Time requesting three days to reach a consensus with opposing counsel as to mutually agreement hearing dates.

The Department joins in the Property Owners' Motion for Enlargement of Time. By way of further support for said Motion, the Department's expert, Dr. Andrew Kleit, is unavailable on September 30 and October 1, 2014.

The Department has solicited available dates from its witnesses and is awaiting replies. The Department also contacted opposing counsel this morning to schedule a conference call to discuss available dates for the hearing.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter, and please contact me if you have any questions.

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