## BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL FILED

In the Matter of the Appeal of NOV & Order Issued to Shane R. Taylor Property Owner Former VP&S Equipment

Jim Ruby, Executive Secretary Docket No. 09-5212 Environmental Quality Council

## **DEQ'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE OF ORAL ARGUMENTS**

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Respondent, Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) hereby submits this motion for a continuance of the oral arguments scheduled for May 13, 2010 on the below stated grounds.

DEQ has recently been in contact with the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regarding the Valley Post and Sawmill site. EPA has verbally committed to remediating and disposing of the tanks associated with this appeal. EPA has stated that this undertaking could occur as soon as May 10, 2010. If EPA conducts its remedial activities on the tanks, DEQ will have no basis to pursue the underlying Notice of Violation and Order # 4521-09 further and the case can be dismissed. Counsel for Respondent has spoken with Mr. Taylor regarding this motion and Mr. Taylor does not oppose a continuance.

DATED this 21<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2010.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

This certifies that true and correct copies of the foregoing <u>DEQ'S UNOPPOSED</u> <u>MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE OF ORAL ARGUMENTS</u> was served this <u>27</u><sup>\*</sup> day of April, 2010 by United States mail, first class postage prepaid addressed as follows:

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