

**JOINT MOTION - EXHIBIT A**

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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In re:	)	
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FEDERAL-MOGUL GLOBAL, INC.,	)	Jointly Administered
<u>et al.</u> ,	)	Case No. 01-10578 (RTL)
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Debtors.	)	Chapter 11
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SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

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WHEREAS Federal-Mogul Corporation and certain of its subsidiaries filed with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware (the "Court") voluntary petitions for relief under title 11 of the United States Code (the "Bankruptcy Code") on October 1, 2001 (the "Petition Date") (the "Chapter 11 Cases") which are jointly administered as Case No. 01-10578 (RTL);

WHEREAS the United States contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by the United States in the course of responding to releases and threats of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for the Liquidated Sites as set forth herein and natural resource damages relating to such sites;

WHEREAS the State of Georgia contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by the State in the course of responding to the releases and threat of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for a specific site as set forth herein and natural resource damages relating to the site;

WHEREAS the State of Indiana contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by the State in the course of responding to releases and threats of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for

certain sites as set forth herein and natural resource damages relating to such sites;

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Kentucky contends that certain Debtors are liable for completing their obligations under the July 12, 1991 Agreed Order as set forth herein, and in complying with the Commonwealth's environmental laws for a specific Debtor-Owned Site as set forth herein;

WHEREAS, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by the Commonwealth in the course of responding to the releases and threat of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for a specific site as set forth herein and natural resource damages relating to such site;

WHEREAS, the City of Battle Creek, State of Michigan contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by the City of Battle Creek in the course of responding to the releases and threat of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for a certain site set forth herein and natural resource damages relating to that site;

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, Lucas County, State of Ohio contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by Lucas County in the course of responding to the releases and threats of releases

of hazardous substances into the environment for a specific Liquidated Site as set forth herein and natural resources damages relating to such site;

WHEREAS, Paikes Enterprises, Inc., contends that certain Debtors are liable for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by Paikes in the course of responding to the releases and threat of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for a specific site as set forth herein and natural resource damages relating to that site;

WHEREAS, certain potentially responsible PRP Groups have filed proofs of claim, identified in Attachment D hereto, and contend that certain Debtors are liable to them under contract, contribution on or other binding obligations for Response Costs incurred and to be incurred by the PRP Groups in the course of responding to the releases and threats of releases of hazardous substances into the environment for specified sites as set forth herein and natural resources damages relating to such sites;

WHEREAS the Debtors dispute the United States', the States', the City's, the County's, Paikes', and the PRP Groups' contentions;

WHEREAS the Debtors seek, to the maximum extent permitted by law, to obtain protection, through the resolution of environmental liabilities for the Liquidated Sites from and



against all Claims that have been or may in the future be asserted for Response Costs or natural resource damages and to provide a framework for the resolution of environmental liabilities for Additional Sites as set forth herein;

WHEREAS, the Debtors seek to reaffirm their continuing legal obligations and responsibilities regarding Debtor-Owned Sites, which are sites they will own and operate on or after the confirmation of the Plan of Reorganization;

WHEREAS the Debtors, the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, and the PRPs Groups wish to resolve their differences with respect to the Liquidated Sites, provide a framework for addressing Additional Sites, and deal with other issues relating to environmental matters as provided herein;

WHEREAS in consideration of, and in exchange for, the promises and covenants herein, including, without limitation, the covenants not to sue set forth in Paragraphs 18, 20, and 24 and, subject to the provisions of Paragraphs 28-30, intending to be legally bound hereby, the Debtors, the United States, the State, the City, the County, Paikes, and the PRPs Groups hereby agree to the terms and provisions of this Settlement Agreement subject to the public comment process provided herein and Court approval;

WHEREAS settlement of the matters governed by this Settlement Agreement is in the public interest and is an appropriate means of resolving these matters;

NOW, THEREFORE, without the admission of liability or any adjudication on any issue of fact or law, and upon the consent and agreement of the parties to this Settlement Agreement by their attorneys and authorized officials, it is hereby agreed as follows:

#### **DEFINITIONS**

1. In this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

A. "Additional Sites" means all sites, including, without limitation, all facilities, as that term is defined in CERCLA, other than the Liquidated Sites and the Debtor-Owned Sites for which Claims might be asserted against any Debtor. An "Additional Site" shall be construed to include (i) for those sites now or hereafter included on the NPL, all areas of a site as defined by EPA for purposes of the NPL, including any later expansion of such site as may be determined by EPA, and any affected natural resources, and (ii) for those sites not included on the NPL, all areas affected or potentially affected by the release or threatened release of hazardous substances, and affected natural resources, as a direct or indirect result

of the operations or activities occurring on that site which gave rise to the release or threatened release. The Additional Sites include, but are not limited to, those sites identified on Attachment A. Among the Additional Sites is the Hellertown Manufacturing Company Superfund Site ("Hellertown Site") in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, which is an Additional Site only as to Future Response Costs. With respect to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the term Additional Site is limited to only the Hellertown Site, and only as to Future Response Costs. Also among the Additional Sites is the Fultz Landfill Site in Byesville, Guersney County, Ohio, which is an Additional Site only for the United States.

B. "Allowed Claim" shall mean either Allowed Secured Claims or Allowed Unsecured Claims or both.

C. "Allowed Unsecured Claim" shall have the meaning set forth in the Plan of Reorganization.

D. "Allowed Secured Claim" shall mean an allowed secured Claim of the United States, on behalf of the EPA, arising from its rights of setoff against tax refunds owing to Federal-Mogul Corporation or Federal-Mogul Ignition Company, as such Claims are further enumerated in the Stipulation attached hereto as Attachment F and incorporated herein. The procedure for effecting this setoff is set forth in the Stipulation

contained in Attachment F, which will be filed contemporaneously with the motion to approve this Settlement Agreement.

E. "CERCLA" refers to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9601 et seq., as now in effect or hereafter amended.

F. "Claims" has the meaning provided in Section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

G. "City" shall mean the City of Battle Creek, State of Michigan, and its agencies, departments and instrumentalities.

H. "County" or "Lucas County" shall mean the Board of County Commissioners, Lucas County, State of Ohio, and its agencies, departments and instrumentalities.

I. "Debtors" shall mean Federal-Mogul Corporation and certain of its United States subsidiaries listed on Attachment B hereto that filed voluntary petitions for relief on October 1, 2001, as debtors, debtors-in-possession or in a new or reorganized form as a result of the Chapter 11 Cases.

J. "Debtor-Owned Sites" means any properties or sites owned by any of the Debtors at or at any time after the confirmation of the Plan of Reorganization.

K. "EPA" means the United States Environmental Protection Agency or any legal successor thereto.

L. "Effective Date" means the date of the entry of the order of the Court which provides final approval of this Settlement Agreement.

M. "Excess Insurance Sites" means the following sites:

- The Casmalia Resources Superfund Site in Casmalia, Santa Barbara County, California;
- The Hellertown Site in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania; and
- The King Road Landfill Superfund Site in Sylvania Township, Lucas County, Ohio

N. "Future Response Costs" means those costs incurred by the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, or the PRP Groups on or after the Petition Date.

O. "Liquidated Sites" means the following.

(i) For the United States, these twelve sites:

- The Casmalia Resources Superfund Site in Casmalia, Santa Barbara County, California;
- The Commercial Oil Superfund Service Site in Oregon Ohio;
- The Douglasville Disposal Superfund Site in Douglasville, Berks County, Pennsylvania;

- The Hellertown Site in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, but only for Past Response Costs and not for Future Response Costs;
- The Ionia City Landfill Superfund Site in Ionia, Ionia County, Michigan;
- The King Road Landfill Superfund Site in Sylvania Township, Lucas County, Ohio;
- The Malone Service Company - Swan Lake Plant - Superfund Site in Texas City, Galveston County, Texas;
- The PCB Treatment Inc. Superfund Site in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri;
- The Reclamation Oil Company Site in Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan;
- The Spectron, Inc. Superfund Site in Elkton, Cecil County, Maryland;
- The Stickney/XX Chem/Tyler Sites in Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio; and
- The Third Site Superfund Site in Zionsville, Boone County, Indiana.

(ii) For the State of Georgia, the M&J Solvents Site, Fulton County, Georgia.

(iii) For the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the Hellertown Site in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, but only as to Past Response Costs and not for Future Response Costs.

(iv) For Lucas County, Ohio, the King Road Landfill Superfund Site, Sylvania Township, Lucas County, Ohio.

(v) For Paikes Enterprises, Inc., the Hellertown Site in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania, but only as to Past Response Costs and not for Future Response Costs.

(vi) For the Fultz Landfill PRP Group, the Fultz Landfill Site in Byesville, Guernsey County, Ohio.

(vii) For the Stickney/Tyler Administrative Group, the Stickney/XX Chem/Tyler Sites, in Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio.

(viii) For the Third Site Trust Fund Trustees, the Third Site Superfund Site, in Zionsville, Boone County, Indiana.

(ix) A "Liquidated Site" delineated above shall be construed to include (a) for those sites now or hereafter included on the NPL, all areas of a site as defined by EPA for purposes of the NPL, including any later expansion of such site as may be determined by EPA, and any affected natural resources, or (b) for those sites not included on the NPL, all areas affected or potentially affected by the release or threatened release of hazardous substances, and affected natural resources,

as a direct or indirect result of the operations or activities occurring on or in the vicinity of that site which gave rise to the release or threatened release.

P. "NPL" means the National Priorities List, 40 C.F.R. Part 300.

Q. "Paikes" refers to Paikes Enterprises, Inc., a New Jersey Corporation which owns the Hellertown Site in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania.

R. "Past Response Costs" means those Response Costs incurred by the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, or the PRP Groups prior to the Petition Date.

S. "Plan of Reorganization" or "Plan" means any plan of reorganization (the most recent version of which is the Third Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization) that is confirmed and becomes effective in the chapter 11 cases of the Debtors.

T. "Prepetition" refers to the time period prior to the filing of the petition by the Debtors at approximately 8:00 a.m. on October 1, 2001. "Postpetition" refers to the time period following the filing of the petition by the Debtors on October 1, 2001.

U. "PRP Group" and "Third Party Plaintiffs' Group" shall mean the following:



- The Parties to the Commercial Oil Services Site Participation Agreement and/or the Commercial Oil Services Site Group Settlement Agreement (In the Matter of: Commercial Oil Services Site, OH, Docket No. V-W-94-C-213, 1993) (The "Commercial Oil Services Site Group").
- The Parties to the Fultz Landfill Site Participation Agreement (August 1, 1997) and/or the Fultz Landfill Consent Decree (United States v. Armco et al, Docket No. C2-95-698, 1991), for the Fultz Landfill Site in Byesville, Guernsey County, Ohio.
- The Parties to the Settlement Agreement and Participation Agreement for the Stickney and Tyler Sites and/or the Administrative Order by Consent (In the Matter of: Stickney Avenue Landfill and Tyler Street Landfill, Docket No. V-W-97-C-433, 1998).
- The Parties to the Third Site Trust Fund Agreement and/or the Administrative Order by Consent (In the Matter of: Third Site Superfund Site, Zionsville, IN, November 2002).

V. "RCRA" refers to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 6901 et seq., as now in effect or hereafter amended and similar State statutes.

W. "Response" shall have the same meaning as defined in § 101(25) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9601(25) and similar state statutes.

X. "Response Costs" shall be all costs and expenses to carry out a Response; and with regard to Paikes, costs and expenses incurred Prepetition that certain Debtors may be liable to Paikes for under the May 31, 1988 Agreement between Paikes and Champion Spark Plug Company (a predecessor to Federal-Mogul Ignition Company) regarding the Hellertown Site, and costs and expenses incurred Postpetition that certain Debtors may be liable to Paikes for under a Modification Agreement between Paikes and Federal-Mogul Ignition Company regarding the Hellertown Site.

Y. "State(s)" means the State of Georgia, the State of Indiana, the Commonwealth of Kentucky and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and all of their agencies, departments and instrumentalities individually or collectively.

Z. "United States" means the United States of America, including EPA, DOI, NOAA, and all of the United States' agencies, departments and instrumentalities.

AA. "Work Consent Decrees" means the following judicial Consent Decrees and Administrative Orders, as amended:

- The September 28, 1993 Administrative Order by Consent Pursuant to CERCLA, issued by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region V, In the Matter of Commercial Oil Services Site, OH, Docket No. V-W-94-C-213 (the Commercial Oil Service, OH Site);
- The Consent Decree entered by the United States District Court for the Western District of Michigan on or about May 3, 2002 in United States v. A.O. Smith, et al., Civ. No. 1:02 CV 0168 (the Ionia, MI Site);
- The Consent Decree entered by the United States District Court for the Central District of California on or about February 27, 2002 in United States v. Abex Aerospace; Division, et al., Civ. No. 00-12471 (the Omega, CA Site); and
- The July 12, 1991 Agreed Administrative Order, DWM 89089 issued by the Kentucky National Resource and Environmental Protection Cabinet regarding the Debtors Scottsville Kentucky facility (the Scottsville, KY Site).

#### **JURISDICTION**

2. The Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157, 1331, and 1334, and 42 U.S.C. §§ 9607 and 9613(b).

#### **PARTIES BOUND; SUCCESSION AND ASSIGNMENT**

3. This Settlement Agreement applies to, is binding upon, and shall inure to the benefit of the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, the PRP Groups, and the Debtors, and the Debtors' legal successors and assigns, and any trustee appointed in the Bankruptcy Cases.

4. **Reserved.**

#### **ALLOWANCE OF LIQUIDATED SITES CLAIMS**

5. (A) In settlement and satisfaction of the United States', the States', the County's, Paikes', and the PRP Groups' CERCLA Claims, any other similar state Claims, or as applied to Paikes, applicable contractual Claims with respect to the Liquidated Sites, the Debtors consent to Allowed Claims in the amounts set forth below. The specified Debtors, against which such Claims are applicable and which consent to such Allowed Claims, are set forth in Attachment E. The United States, the States, the County, Paikes, and the PRP Groups shall receive no distributions from the Debtors in the Chapter 11 Cases with respect to the Debtors' liabilities and obligations under CERCLA, any other similar state law or under any applicable contract for the Liquidated Sites other than as set forth in this Settlement Agreement.

(i) With respect to the Casmalia Resources Superfund Site in Casmalia, Santa Barbara County, California: the United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$51,201.00.

(ii) With respect to the Commercial Oil Superfund Service Site, Oregon, Ohio: the United States on behalf of the EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero; and the Commercial Oil Services Site Group shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(iii) With respect to the Douglasville Disposal Superfund site located in Douglasville, Berk County, Pennsylvania: the United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(iv) With respect to the Fultz Landfill Site in Byesville, Guernsey County, Ohio: the Fultz Landfill PRP Group shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$262,533.00.

(v) With respect to the Hellertown Site located in Hellertown, Northampton County, Pennsylvania: the United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Secured Claim of \$100,000.00 and an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$1,400,000.00, in settlement of EPA's Claims for Past Response Costs and without prejudice to any Claims for Future Response Costs under the Treatment of Additional Sites provisions below; the Commonwealth

of Pennsylvania shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$16,151.00 in settlement of the Commonwealth's Claim for Past Response Costs and without prejudice to any Claims for Future Response Costs under the Treatment of Additional Sites provisions below; and Paikes shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$286,000.00 in settlement of Paikes' Claim for Past Response Costs and without prejudice to any Claims for Future Response Costs under the Treatment of Additional Sites provisions below, provided however, that Paikes' Allowed Unsecured Claim, as well as all rights provided to or ceded by Paikes under this Agreement, including any Claims for Future Response Costs, are conditioned upon and shall not take effect unless and until a certain Debtor and Paikes agree to the terms of a Modification Agreement between Paikes and Federal-Mogul Ignition Company regarding Federal-Mogul Ignition's Postpetition obligations to Paikes with respect to the Hellertown Site.

(vi) With respect to the Ionia Landfill Site located in Ionia, Ionia County, Michigan: the United States on behalf of the EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(vii) With respect to the King Road Landfill Superfund Site in Sylvania Township, Lucas County, Ohio: the County shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$200,000.00; and the United

States on behalf of the EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(viii) With respect to the Malone Service Company - Swan Lake Plant - Superfund Site in Texas City, Galveston County, Texas: the United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Secured Claim of \$ 66,569.21.

(ix) With respect to the M&J Solvents Company Site located in Atlanta, Fulton County, Georgia: the State of Georgia shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$5,367.05, representing the Debtors' volumetric shares (.074296% with respect to Federal-Mogul Corporation and 0.0056% with respect to Federal-Mogul Powertrain, Inc.) of the total Past Response Costs (\$793,000.00) and total estimated Future Response Costs (\$5,924,559.00), in settlement of its claims.

(x) With respect to the PCB Treatment Inc. Superfund Site in Kansas City, Jackson County, MO: the United States on behalf of the EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(xi) With respect to the Reclamation Oil Company Site in Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan: the United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Secured Claim of \$44,697.05.

(xii) With respect to the Spectron, Inc. Superfund Site in Elkton, Cecil County, Maryland: the United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Secured Claim of \$1,814.20.

(xiii) With respect to the Stickney/XX Chem/Tyler Sites in Toledo, Lucas County, Ohio: the Stickney/Tyler Administrative Group shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$315,000.00; and the United States on behalf of the EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(xiv) With respect to the Third Site Superfund Site in Zionsville, Boone County, Indiana: the Third Site Trust Fund Trustees shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$68,426.77; and the United States on behalf of the EPA shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero.

(B) Summary Of Total Allowed Claims Under Paragraph

5: The United States on behalf of EPA shall have an Allowed Secured Claim of \$213,080.46 and an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$1,451,201.00. The State of Georgia shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$5,367.05. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$16,151.00. Lucas County shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$200,000.00. Paikes shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$286,000.00. The Commercial Oil Service Group shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$zero. The Fultz Landfill PRP Group shall have an



Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$262,533.00. The Stickney/Tyler Administrative Group shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$315,000.00. The Third Site Trust Fund Trustees shall have an Allowed Unsecured Claim of \$68,426.77. The total of all Allowed Claims under Paragraph 5 is thus \$213,080.46 for Allowed Secured Claims and \$2,604,678.82 for Allowed Unsecured Claims.

(C) In consideration of the Debtors agreeing to the amount and allowance of the Allowed Unsecured Claims listed in Paragraph 5(A) above, each PRP Group hereby acknowledges and agrees (i) that the amount of its Allowed Unsecured Claim listed in Paragraph 5(A) accurately reflects any and all liabilities and obligations of any Debtor to that PRP Group regarding the respective sites which were the subject of such PRP Group's Claim and which are also listed in Paragraph 5(A); (ii) that the treatment of its Allowed Unsecured Claim described in Paragraph 12 below will satisfy any and all liabilities and obligations of any Debtor to that PRP Group regarding the respective sites which were the subject of such PRP Group's Claim and which are also listed in Paragraph 5(A); and (iii) that any and all liabilities and obligations of any Debtor to that PRP Group regarding the respective sites which were the subject of such PRP Group's Claim and which are also listed in Paragraph 5(A) shall be discharged pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.1 of

the Plan of Reorganization and in accordance with 11 U.S.C. § 1141(d)(1) upon confirmation of the Plan of Reorganization.

6. With respect to the Liquidated Sites:

(A) With respect to the Allowed Claims set forth in Paragraph 5 for EPA, only the amount of cash received by EPA (and net cash received by EPA on account of any non-cash distributions) from the Debtors under this Settlement Agreement for the Allowed Claim for a particular site, and not the total amount of the Allowed Claim, shall be credited by EPA to its account for a particular site, which credit shall reduce the liability of non-settling potentially responsible parties for the particular site by the amount of the credit.

(B) With respect to the Allowed Unsecured Claims set forth in Paragraph 5 for the States and the County, only the amount of cash received by an individual State or the County (and net cash received by the State on account of any non-cash distributions), from the Debtors under this Settlement Agreement for the Allowed Unsecured Claim for a particular site, and not the total amount of the allowed claim, shall be credited by the State or the County to its account for a particular site, which credit shall reduce the liability of non-settling potentially responsible parties for such site by the amount of the credit.

(C) The Claims allowed in Paragraph 5 are in full settlement of, and the payments provided for under Paragraphs 16 and 17, will be deemed allocated toward all past, present and future Claims (except with respect to the United States, Pennsylvania and Paikes, for future Claims for Future Response Costs relating to the Hellertown Site and, with respect to only the United States, for future Claims for Future Response Costs relating to the Fultz Landfill Site) with respect to all Past and Future Response Costs and natural resource damages for the Liquidated Sites, whether to address matters known or unknown, for which a Claim of any kind or nature has been or could be asserted against the Debtors pursuant to Sections 106 or 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 or 9607, or Section 7003 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6973, or any other similar state law, or with respect to Paikes under any applicable contract, by the United States, the States, the County, Paikes, the PRP Groups or by the potentially responsible parties or potentially responsible party groups which have incurred or may incur such costs.

(D) To the extent that at any time after October 1, 2001 the Debtors recover insurance proceeds on account of any of the Excess Insurance Sites in excess of the Debtors' costs of pursuing such insurance proceeds, then the Debtors may retain 50% of such excess insurance proceeds regarding Excess Insurance

Sites and the Debtors shall pay the remaining 50% of such excess insurance proceeds on account of the Excess Insurance Sites to the United States, the States and the County on a pro rata basis in accordance with the allocation set forth in Attachment C. The Debtors agree to allocate in writing any insurance proceeds that cover both Excess Insurance Sites and other covered liabilities on a fair and equitable basis based upon all of the facts and circumstances, including but not limited to any defenses asserted by insurers, and with deference to any allocation by a court or in an approved settlement document. In determining the Debtors' cost of pursuing insurance proceeds for the Excess Insurance Sites, the Debtors shall use the same percentage allocation of costs as is used in the Debtors' allocation of recovery of insurance proceeds attributed to Excess Insurance Sites as compared to other covered liabilities. To the extent that excess insurance proceeds are allocable to sites other than the Excess Insurance Sites, no payment need be made to the United States, the States or the County from the excess insurance proceeds allocable to sites other than Excess Insurance Sites. The United States, the States or the County reserve the right to petition the Court for an adjustment of Debtors' allocation based upon all of the facts and circumstances. The payments required to be made under this

subparagraph shall be in addition to the payments required to be made under Paragraphs 5 and 12. However, under no circumstances may the payments required to be made under this subparagraph, when combined with the consideration received for the Excess Insurance Sites under Paragraphs 5 and 12, exceed the amount of the Allowed Unsecured Claims for the Excess Insurance Sites under Paragraph 5 of this Settlement Agreement. In the event that the excess insurance proceeds sharing requirements of this subparagraph would otherwise result in such an exceedance, the Debtors shall retain the additional amount of excess insurance proceeds necessary to avoid such an exceedance. With respect to any payments received by the United States, the States and the County under this subparagraph, the United States, the States and the County shall credit site accounts for particular Excess Insurance Sites only in accordance with Debtors' allocation for the particular Excess Insurance Sites (unless adjusted by the Court), which credit shall reduce the liability of non-settling potentially responsible parties for the particular site by the amount of the credit.

#### **WORK CONSENT DECREES**

7. (A) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Settlement Agreement, including, but not limited to, Paragraphs 5 and 6 (Liquidated Sites), Paragraphs 9-11 (Additional Sites),

and Paragraph 18, the Debtors that are parties to the Work Consent Decrees shall comply with all obligations of the Debtors under the Work Consent Decrees and the Debtors' obligations under the Work Consent Decrees shall not be impaired in any way by the Chapter 11 Cases, confirmation of a Plan of Reorganization, or this Settlement Agreement except as provided for in Paragraph 7(B) below.

(B) Debtors' obligation under the September 1993 Administrative Order by Consent Pursuant to CERCLA, issued by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region V, In the Matter of: Commercial Oil Services Site, OH, Docket No. V-W-94-C-213, shall be satisfied by the payment of funds not to exceed those costs properly assessed and tendered to the Debtors Prepetition, and an additional \$66,000.00 in actual costs properly assessed and tendered to the Debtors Postpetition. Once Debtors have paid the Commercial Oil Services Site Group or EPA such amounts, then the Administrative Order shall no longer be considered a Work Consent Decree under this Agreement.

(C) The existence of a Work Consent Decree as defined in this Agreement shall not alter the status of a site as defined within this Settlement Agreement, either as a Liquidated Site, Additional Site, or Debtor-Owned Site, except with respect to the obligations under the Work Consent Decree. The parties

reserve the right to assert any and all defenses and rights available to them under such Work Consent Decrees. Once a Debtor has completed its obligations under any particular Work Consent Decree, the status under this Agreement of the site subject to such Order in question shall determine the rights and obligations of the parties.

#### **NON-DISCHARGEABILITY AND RESERVATION OF RIGHTS**

8. (A) The following Claims of or obligations to the United States, the States, the City, and Paikes shall not be discharged under Section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code by the confirmation of a Plan of Reorganization nor shall such Claims or obligations be impaired or affected in any way by the Chapter 11 Cases or confirmation of a Plan of Reorganization:

(i) With respect to any Debtor-Owned Sites:

(a) Claims against the Debtors by the United States or the States under Section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9607, or equivalent State statutes, for recovery of Response Costs incurred Postpetition with respect to Response action taken at a Debtor-Owned Site, including such Response action taken to address hazardous substances that have migrated from a Debtor-Owned Site to a proximate location;

(b) Actions against the Debtors by the United States or the States under CERCLA or RCRA or equivalent state

statutes seeking to compel the performance of a removal action, remedial action, corrective action, closure or any other cleanup action, or financial assurance therefore, at a Debtor-Owned Site, including actions to address hazardous substances that have migrated to a proximate location from a Debtor-Owned Site;

(c) Claims against the Debtors by the United States or the States under Section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9607, for recovery of natural resource damages arising as a result of Postpetition releases or ongoing releases of hazardous substances at or which migrate or leach from a Debtor-Owned Site; or

(d) Claims against the Debtors by the United States or the States for recovery of civil penalties for violations of law resulting from Postpetition conduct of the Debtors at Debtor-Owned Sites. As used in this Paragraph 8, "Postpetition conduct" shall not include a failure to satisfy or comply with any Prepetition liability or obligations, or to pay a claim (including, without limitation, a penalty claim) except as required by or resulting from the terms of the Plan of Reorganization, Paragraph 7 or any other provision of this Settlement Agreement, or a final order of the Court confirming a Plan of Reorganization.



(ii) With respect to any Additional Site, Claims against the Debtors by the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes under Sections 106 and 107(a)(1)-(4) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 and 9607(a)(1)-(4), or under similar state law, arising as a result of the Debtors' Postpetition conduct, which would give rise to liability under the foregoing.

(B) The United States, the States, or the City, may pursue enforcement actions or proceedings under applicable law, and Paikes may pursue any claims available to it under CERCLA or contract law, with respect to the Claims and obligations of the Debtors to the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes under Paragraph 8(A) in the manner, as appropriate, and by the administrative or judicial tribunals, in which the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes could have pursued such actions or proceedings if the Chapter 11 Cases had never been commenced. The Debtors reserve the right to assert any and all defenses and counterclaims available to them under applicable law with respect to any Claims and obligations of the Debtors to the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes under Paragraph 8(A) that are asserted by the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes except for any alleged defense of discharge of liabilities provided under the Bankruptcy Code, as embodied in any plan of reorganization or order of confirmation.

The United States, the States, the City, or Paikes reserve all of their rights with respect to any defenses or counterclaims asserted by the Debtors under this subparagraph B.

(C) With respect to any Liquidated Site, the parties to this Settlement Agreement reserve all rights and defenses they may have with respect to Postpetition conduct of the Debtors occurring after the date of lodging of this Settlement Agreement which would give rise to liability under 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 and 9607(a)(1)-(4), or similar state laws. Nothing in this Settlement Agreement shall affect or limit such rights and defenses.

#### **TREATMENT OF ADDITIONAL SITES**

9. (A) With respect to all Additional Sites, all liabilities and obligations of the Debtors to the United States, the States, the City, and Paikes under Sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 and 9607, any equivalent or similar State statute, or laws, and with respect to Paikes, also the May 31, 1988 Agreement between Paikes and Champion Spark Plug Company (the predecessor to Federal-Mogul Ignition Company) regarding the Hellertown Site, arising from Prepetition acts, omissions or conduct of the Debtors or their predecessors, including without limitation the Prepetition generation, transportation, disposal or release of hazardous wastes or

materials or the Prepetition ownership or operation of hazardous waste facilities, shall be discharged under Section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code by the confirmation of a Plan of Reorganization, and the United States, the States, the City, and Paikes shall receive no distributions in the Chapter 11 Cases with respect to such liabilities and obligations, but the applicable reorganized Debtors shall be required to pay the United States, the States, the City, Paikes, or such other party as they may designate, such amounts as are provided for in this Paragraph and Paragraph 10. Such liabilities and obligations shall be treated and liquidated as unsecured claims and paid on the terms specified herein.

(B) If and when the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes undertakes Response activities in the ordinary course with respect to any Additional Site, or in the case of Paikes, incurs any "Postpetition Costs", as that term is defined in a Modification Agreement between Paikes and Federal-Mogul Ignition Company regarding the Hellertown Site, the United States, the States, the City, or Paikes may seek a determination of the liability, if any, of the Debtors and may seek to obtain and liquidate a judgment of liability of the Debtors or enter into a settlement with the Debtors with regard to any of the Additional Sites in the manner and before the administrative or

judicial tribunal in which the United States' claims, the States' claims, the City's claims, or Paikes' claims would have been resolved or adjudicated if the Chapter 11 Cases had never been commenced. However, the United States and the States shall not issue or cause to be issued any unilateral order or seek any injunction against the Debtors under Section 106 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9606, or Section 7003 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6973, or any other similar state law, arising from the Prepetition acts, omissions or conduct of the Debtors or their predecessors with respect to any Additional Sites.

(C) The United States and the Debtors (and the States, the City or Paikes, and the Debtors, as applicable) will attempt to settle each liability or obligation asserted by the United States (or by the States, the City, or Paikes, as applicable) against the Debtors relating to an Additional Site on a basis that is fair and equitable under the circumstances, including consideration of (i) settlement proposals made to other PRPs who are similar to the Debtors in the nature of their involvement with the site, (ii) the fact of the Debtors' bankruptcy, and (iii) the circumstances of this Agreement; but nothing in this sentence shall create an obligation of the United States or the State that is subject to judicial review. The Plan of Reorganization shall provide for: (i) the

liquidation of claims relating to any Additional Sites in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, notwithstanding that any such liquidation shall occur following confirmation of the Plan of Reorganization and any order discharging the Debtors from their Prepetition liabilities, and (ii) the prompt payment of any claims relating to any Additional Sites that have been liquidated and resolved or adjudicated with finality, in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

(D) In any action or proceeding with respect to an Additional Site, the Debtors and the United States, the States, the City, and Paikes reserve any and all rights, claims, and defenses they would have been entitled to assert had the claim been liquidated in the ordinary course or during the course of the Chapter 11 Cases, including, without limitation, any argument that joint and several liability should or should not be imposed upon the Debtors. Nothing herein shall be construed to limit the parties' rights to assert any and all rights, claims and defenses they may have in actions or proceedings involving other parties with respect to Additional Sites.

10. In the event any Claim is liquidated pursuant to Paragraph 9 by settlement or judgment to a determined amount (the "Determined Amount"), the applicable Debtor(s) with which such settlement is made or against which such judgment is

entered will satisfy such Claim within 30 days after the date on which the settlement or judgment is final and effective (the "Settlement/Judgment Date") by providing the holder of the Claim the "Distribution Amount." The Distribution Amount shall be the value of the consideration which would have been distributed under the Plan of Reorganization to the holder of such Claim if the Determined Amount had been an Allowed General Unsecured Claim in such amount under the Plan of Reorganization. Except as provided in Paragraph 11, the Distribution Amount shall be paid in the same form (e.g., cash, notes, etc.) as was distributed under the Plan of Reorganization. If the Plan of Reorganization provides for installment payments and any installments have not yet been paid to other creditors as of the Settlement/Judgment Date, the Distribution Amount will be paid in the same manner as to other creditors for installments not yet paid.

11. In the event that the Plan of Reorganization provides that Allowed Unsecured Claims will receive consideration other than cash, Debtors may, in their sole discretion, provide the non-cash portion of the Distribution Amount to the United States (or the State, the City, or Paikes, if applicable) in cash that has an aggregate value as of the Settlement/Judgment Date that is equivalent to the Distribution Amount. For purposes of

determining the value of the consideration paid to the holders of Allowed Unsecured Claims at the time of distribution(s), notes shall have a value equal to their face value and equity securities shall have a value equal to the weighted average of the reported regular way sales prices of all transactions for the security on the New York Stock Exchange on the date(s) of distribution (or the first date thereafter on which the security trades), or if the security is not listed or admitted to trade on such exchange, on the principal national securities exchange on which the security is listed or admitted to trading or, if not listed or admitted to trading on any national securities exchange, the weighted average of the reported bid prices for the security on all transactions on the National Association of Securities Dealers Automated Quotations National Market System or, if the security is not listed or admitted to trading on any national securities exchange or quoted on such National Market System, the weighted average of the reported sales prices for such security on all transactions in the over-the-counter market in the United States as furnished by any New York Stock Exchange member firm selected by the Debtors and the United States (or the State if applicable) for that purpose. For purposes of determining the number of shares of securities that have the value of the Distribution Amount on the Settlement/Judgment

Date, the fair market value per share of securities on the Settlement/Judgment Date shall be determined as set forth in the immediately preceding sentence. The terms of Paragraphs 9 and 10 and this Paragraph 11 of this Settlement Agreement shall apply to, be binding on, and inure to the benefit of any successor or assign of the Debtors to the extent that and only to the extent that the alleged liability of the successor or assign for an Additional Site is based solely on its status as and in its capacity of a successor or assign of the Debtors.

#### **TREATMENT OF ALLOWED CLAIMS**

12. All Allowed Unsecured Claims under or pursuant to the terms of this Settlement Agreement, including without limitation any such Claims allowed under Paragraph 5 and any such Claims as may eventually be allowed pursuant to Paragraphs 9-11 for Additional Sites, regardless of the holder of such Claims: (A) will receive the same treatment under the Plan of Reorganization, without discrimination, as other Allowed Unsecured Claims with all attendant rights provided by the Bankruptcy Code and other applicable law; and (B) will not be entitled to any priority in distribution (although the provisions of Paragraph 6(D) shall apply in the event of excess insurance proceeds). In no event shall the Unsecured Claims allowed or to be allowed pursuant to this Settlement Agreement



be subordinated to any other Allowed Unsecured Claims pursuant to any provision of the Bankruptcy Code or other applicable law that authorizes or provides for subordination of allowed Claims, including without limitation Sections 105, 510 and 726(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code.

13. The parties acknowledge and agree that the Claims allowed in this Settlement Agreement are not nor shall they be construed as forfeitures, fines or penalties (or payments in lieu thereof), and nothing herein is intended, or shall be construed, as an admission by Debtors of any facts or any violation of law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Debtors do agree to comply with all terms of this Settlement Agreement upon the Effective Date.

14. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Settlement Agreement, and except as provided under applicable law, there shall be no restrictions on the ability and right of the United States on behalf of EPA, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, or the PRP Groups to transfer or sell all or a portion of any securities distributed to them pursuant to the Plan of Reorganization; to sell their right to all or a portion of any distributions under the Plan to one or more third parties; or to transfer or sell to one or more third parties all or a portion

of any Allowed Unsecured Claims pursuant to this Settlement Agreement.

15. The United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, and the PRP Groups shall be deemed to have filed a proof of claim for matters addressed in this Settlement Agreement, which proof of claim shall be deemed satisfied in full in accordance with the terms of this Settlement Agreement. Any and all Claims for matters addressed in this Settlement Agreement with respect to Liquidated Sites, whether filed or not, and including but not limited to those identified claims set forth in the Proofs of Claims identified in Attachment D, shall be deemed satisfied in their entirety by the treatment and reservation provided for in this Settlement Agreement and shall be discharged pursuant to the provisions of Section 9.1 of the Plan of Reorganization and in accordance with 11 U.S.C. §1141(d) (1) upon completion of the Plan of Reorganization.

#### **DISTRIBUTION INSTRUCTIONS**

16. (A) Cash distributions for the Liquidated Sites to the United States on behalf of EPA shall be made by FedWire Electronic Funds Transfer ("EFT" or wire transfer) to the U.S. Department of Justice account in accordance with current electronic funds transfer procedures; except for those cash distributions on account of the allowed claims described in

Paragraph 5(A)(i) for the Casmalia Resources Superfund Site, which shall be made by wire transfer to the Corporate Trust Clearing Account, Bnf Account No. 0001038377, care of Marco X. Morales, Wells Fargo Bank in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and at the time of payment, written notice shall be submitted to the Casmalia Case Team, USEPA, Region IX. Payment shall be made in accordance with instructions provided to the Debtors by the Financial Litigation Unit of the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Delaware and shall reference the Bankruptcy Case Number 01-10578 and DOJ File Number 90-11-2-770/2. The Debtors shall transmit written confirmation of such payments to the Department of Justice and EPA at the addresses specified in Paragraph 27. In the event that the United States sells or transfers its Claims, payment will be made to a transferee only at such time as the Debtors receive written instructions from the United States directing that payments be made to a transferee and instructions as to where such payments should be directed, and, prior to the closing of the Chapter 11 Cases, after an evidence of claim transfer shall have been filed with the Court.

(B) Other distributions with respect to the allowed Claims of the United States for the Liquidated Sites pursuant to this Settlement Agreement shall be made as follows. Non-cash

Distributions to the United States on behalf of EPA shall be made to:

U.S. EPA -- Superfund  
P.O. Box 371003M  
Pittsburgh, PA 15251

Copies of all distributions and related correspondence to the United States shall be sent to:

Thomas L. Sansonetti  
Assistant Attorney General  
Environment & Natural Resources Division  
U.S. Department of Justice  
10th & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.  
Washington, DC 20530  
Ref. DOJ File No. 90-11-2-770/2

Helena Healy  
Attorney-Advisor  
Office of Enforcement and Compliance  
Assurance  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
401 M Street, S.W. - Mail Code 2272A  
Washington, DC 20460

The United States must notify the Debtors in writing of any modifications to the foregoing addresses. In the event that the United States sells or transfers its Claims, distributions will be made to a transferee only at such time as the Debtors receive written instructions from the United States directing that payments be made to a transferee and instructions as to where such payments should be made, and, prior to the closing of the

Chapter 11 Cases, after an evidence of claim transfer shall have been filed with the Court.

(C) The total amounts to be paid by the Debtors to the United States pursuant to Paragraph 16(A) above shall be deposited into site-specific Special Accounts for each of the respective sites within the EPA Hazardous Substance Superfund to be retained and used to conduct or finance response actions at or in connection with the sites, or to be transferred by EPA to the Hazardous Substance Superfund, or be deposited into the EPA Hazardous Substance Superfund in the first instance.

17. (A) Distributions to the State of Georgia shall be sent to:

Carol A. Couch, PhD, Director  
Georgia Environmental Protection Division  
Two Martin Luther King Dr.  
Suite 1152, East Tower  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

(B) Distribution to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall be sent to:

Joseph Brogna  
Program Manager, Environmental Cleanup Program  
Department of Environmental Protection  
2 Public Square  
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790

(C) Distributions to the State of Indiana shall be  
sent to:

Brian Solowski, Esq.  
Office of the Attorney General  
Indiana Government Center South  
Fifth Floor  
402 West Washington Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46204-2770

(D) Distribution to the City of Battle Creek shall be  
sent to:

Charles Kohs  
Environmental Services Administrator  
City of Battle Creek  
150 South Kendall Street  
Battle Creek, Michigan 49015

(E) Distribution to Lucas County shall be sent to:

Julia R. Bates, Esq., Prosecutor  
Lance Keiffer, Esq., Assistant Prosecutor  
Office of the Prosecuting Attorney  
Lucas County Courthouse  
700 Adams Street, Suite 250  
Toledo, Ohio 43624

(F) Distributions to Paikes shall be sent to:

Bonnie Allyn Barnett, Esq.  
Drinker Biddle & Reath  
One Logan Square  
18<sup>th</sup> & Cherry Streets  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

(G) Distributions to the PRP Groups, Third Party Plaintiffs' Groups, or any other parties shall be made in accordance with instructions provided by those parties.

**COVENANT NOT TO SUE AND RESERVATION OF RIGHTS**

18. In consideration of all of the foregoing, including, without limitation, the payments and/or distributions that will be made and the Claims allowed pursuant to the terms of this Settlement Agreement, and except as specifically provided in Paragraphs 21 through 23 (below), the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, and the PRP Groups covenant not to sue or file a civil judicial action or to take any administrative or other action against the Debtors pursuant to Sections 106 or 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606 or 9607, Section 7003 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. § 6973, any equivalent or similar state statute or state common law or with respect to Paikes, also the May 31, 1988 Agreement between Paikes and Champion Spark Plug Company (predecessor to Federal-Mogul Ignition Company) regarding the Hellertown Site, that would raise an obligation or liability of the Debtors regarding Response Costs or actions, with respect to each of the Liquidated Sites. The United States likewise covenants not to sue or file a civil judicial action or take any administrative action seeking the recovery of Past Response Costs, based upon

the same statutory or common law theories as set forth immediately above, against the Hellertown Manufacturing Company or Champion Spark Plug Company (predecessor to Federal-Mogul Ignition Company) or any successor thereto, solely by virtue of ownership or operation of the Hellertown Site, within the meaning of 42 U.S.C. §§ 9601(20) and 9607(a)(2), between December 29, 1950 and January 2, 1998. These covenants not to sue shall take effect on the Effective Date.

19. This Settlement Agreement in no way impairs the scope and effect of the Debtors' discharge under Section 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code as to any third parties or as to any Claims that are not addressed by this Settlement Agreement.

20. Without in any way limiting the covenant not to sue (and the reservations thereto) set forth in Paragraph 18 and notwithstanding any other provision of this Settlement Agreement, the covenant not to sue provided by the parties in Paragraph 18 shall also apply to the Debtors' successors and assigns including but not limited to any subsequent purchasers from Debtors of assets or stock, officers, directors, employees and trustees, but only to the extent that the alleged liability of the successor or assign, officer, director, employee, or trustee of any Debtor is based solely on its status as and in



its capacity as a successor or assign, officer, director, employee, or trustee of any Debtor.

21. The covenants not to sue contained in Paragraphs 18 and 20 of this Settlement Agreement extend only to the Debtors and the persons described in Paragraphs 18 and 20 above and do not extend to any other person. Nothing in this Agreement is intended as a covenant not to sue or a release from liability for any person or entity other than the Debtors, the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, the PRP Groups, and the persons described in Paragraph 20. The United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, the PRP Groups and the Debtors expressly reserve all claims, demands and causes of action either judicial or administrative, past, present or future, in law or equity, which the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, the PRP Groups or the Debtors may have against all other persons, firms, corporations, or entities, for any matter arising at or relating in any manner to the sites or claims addressed herein. The United States and the PRP Groups expressly reserve all claims, demands and causes of action either judicial or administrative, past, present or future, in law or in equity which they may have against one another, relating to the Commercial Oil Services Site, the Third Site, the Stickney-Tyler Site, and the Fultz Landfill, except

those resolved in any consent decrees or agreements relating to those sites. The United States and Paikes expressly reserve all claims, demands and causes of action either judicial or administrative, past, present or future, in law or in equity which they may have against one another, relating to the Hellertown Site, except those resolved in any consent decrees or agreements relating to that site.

22. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the covenants not to sue contained in this Settlement Agreement shall not apply to nor affect any action based on (i) a failure to meet a requirement of this Settlement Agreement; (ii) criminal liability; or (iii) matters reserved in Paragraph 8(A) through (C) above.

23. Nothing in this Settlement Agreement shall be deemed to limit the authority of the United States, the States or the County to take Response action under Section 104 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9604, or any other applicable law or regulation, or to alter the applicable legal principles governing judicial review of any action taken by the United States, the States, or the County pursuant to that authority. Nothing in this Settlement Agreement shall be deemed to limit the information gathering authority of the United States or the States under Sections 104 and 122 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9604 and 9622, or any other

applicable federal or state law or regulation, or to excuse the Debtors from any disclosure or notification requirements imposed by CERCLA, RCRA, or any other applicable federal or state law or regulation.

24. The Debtors hereby covenant not to sue and agree not to assert or pursue any claims or causes of action against the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, or the PRP Groups with respect to the Liquidated Sites including, but not limited to, any direct or indirect claim for reimbursement from the Hazardous Substances Superfund (established pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. § 9507) through Sections 106(b)(2), 111, 112, 113 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9606(b)(2), 9611, 9612, 9613, or any other provision of law; any claim against the United States or the State, including any department, agency or instrumentality of the United States or the State, under Sections 107 or 113 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. §§ 9607 or 9613 related to the Liquidated Sites, or any claims arising out of Response activities at the Liquidated Sites. Nothing in this Settlement Agreement shall be deemed to constitute preauthorization of a claim within the meaning of Section 111 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9611, 40 C.F.R. Part 300.700(d).

### **CONTRIBUTION PROTECTION**

25. With regard to all existing or future third-party Claims against the Debtors with respect to the Liquidated Sites, including claims for contribution, the parties hereto agree that the Debtors are entitled to such protection from actions or Claims as is provided by Section 113(f)(2) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9613(f)(2) and State law.

26. The Debtors each agree that with respect to any suit for contribution brought against any of them after the Effective Date for matters related to this Settlement Agreement, they will notify the United States, the States, the City, the County, Paikes, or the PRP Groups within fifteen business days of service of the complaint upon it. In addition, in connection with such suit, the Debtors shall notify the United States within fifteen business days of service or receipt of any Motion for Summary Judgment and within fifteen business days of receipt of any order from a court setting a case for trial (provided, however, that the failure to notify the United States pursuant to this Paragraph shall not in any way affect the protections afforded under Paragraphs 18 through 25).

### **NOTICES AND SUBMISSIONS**

27. Whenever, under the terms of this Settlement Agreement, written notice is required to be given, or a report

or other document is required to be sent by one party to another, it shall be directed to the individuals at the addresses specified below via U.S. certified mail, return receipt requested, or some other equally verifiable means, unless those individuals or their successors give notice of a change of address to the other parties in writing. All notices and submissions shall be considered effective upon receipt, unless otherwise provided. Except as otherwise provided in this Settlement Agreement, written notice as specified herein shall constitute complete satisfaction of any written notice requirement in the Settlement Agreement with respect to the United States, the State, the City, the County, Paikes, the PRP Groups, and the Debtors, respectively.

As to the United States:

Assistant Attorney General  
Environment & Natural Resources Division  
U.S. Department of Justice  
Washington, D.C. 20530  
Ref. DOJ File No. 90-11-2-770/2

Helena Healy, Esq.  
Attorney-Advisor  
Office of Enforcement and Compliance  
Assurance  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
401 M Street, S.W. - Mail Code 2272A  
Washington, DC 20460

As to the State of Georgia:

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Georgia Environmental Protection Division  
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Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Tad Gardocki, Esq.  
Georgia Environmental Protection Division  
Two Martin Luther King Dr.  
Suite 1462, East Tower  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

As to the State of Indiana:

Brian Salwowski, Esq.  
Office of the Attorney General  
Indiana Government Center South, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor.  
402 West Washington Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46204-2770

Janice Lengel, Esq.  
Indiana Department of Environmental Management  
P.O. Box 6015  
100 North Senate Ave., N1307  
Indianapolis, IN 46206-6015

As to the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

Manager, Enforcement Branch  
Kentucky Division of Waste Management  
14 Reilly Road  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

As to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:

Joseph Brogna  
Program Manager, Environmental Cleanup Program  
Department of Environmental Protection  
2 Public Square  
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18711-0790

As to the City of Battle Creek, Michigan:

Charles Kohs, P.E.  
Environmental Services Administrator  
City of Battle Creek  
150 South Kendall Street  
Battle Creek, Michigan 49015

As to Lucas County, Ohio:

Julia R. Bates, Esq., Prosecutor  
Lance M. Keiffer, Esq., Assistant Prosecutor  
Office of the Prosecuting Attorney  
Lucas County Courthouse  
700 Adams Street, Suite 250  
Toledo, OH 43624

As to Paikes:

Bonnie Allyn Barnett, Esq.  
Drinker Biddle & Reath  
One Logan Square  
18<sup>th</sup> & Cherry Streets  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

As to the Commercial Services Site Group:

Douglas G. Haynam, Esq.  
Schumaker, Loop & Kendrick  
1000 Jackson Street  
Toledo, OH 43624

As to the Third Site Fund Trustees:

Lisa Lebowitz, Esq.  
N.W. Bernstein & Associates LLC  
767 Third Avenue- 32<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
New York, New York 10017

As to the Stickney/Tyler Administrative Group:

Jane E. Montgomery, Esq.  
Joshua R. More, Esq.  
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6600 Sears Tower  
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As to the Fultz Landfill PRP Group:

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77002-2778

As to the Debtors:

Roger Strelow, Esq.  
Director, EHS/Associate General Counsel  
Federal-Mogul Corporation  
26555 Northwestern Highway  
Southfield, Michigan 48034

**CONDITIONAL APPROVAL, LODGING AND OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

28. This Settlement Agreement is subject to approval of the Court under Bankruptcy Rule 9019 and the provisions of CERCLA regarding public participation and opportunity to comment regarding CERCLA settlements, 42 U.S.C. § 9622(d)(2). To meet these requirements, the parties agree to the following procedures. The Debtors and the United States shall promptly file a joint motion seeking the Court's conditional approval of



this Settlement Agreement under Bankruptcy Rule 9019. The joint motion will seek approval by the Court of this Settlement Agreement conditioned only on the United States complying with the provisions of Section 122 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. § 9622, regarding public notice and comment through the procedure provided for in Paragraph 29.

29. Upon the filing of this Settlement Agreement with this Court, the United States will make this Settlement Agreement available for public notice and comment through publication in the Federal Register. After the conclusion of the public comment period, if no public comments are received the United States shall promptly file a "Notice of No Public Comment and Requesting the Court's Final Approval of the Settlement Agreement". If public comments are received, the United States will file with the Court any comments received, as well as the United States' responses to the comments, and at that time, if appropriate, the United States will request the Court's final approval of the Settlement Agreement. The United States and no other party reserves the right to withdraw or withhold its consent if the comments regarding the Settlement Agreement disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the Settlement Agreement is not in the public interest.

30. If for any reason (i) the Settlement Agreement is withdrawn by the United States as provided in Paragraph 29 or (ii) the Settlement Agreement is not approved with finality by the Court, or (iii) the Chapter 11 Cases are dismissed or converted to cases under Chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code before the effective date of a Plan of Reorganization: (a) this Settlement Agreement shall be null and void and the parties shall not be bound hereunder or under any documents executed in connection herewith; (b) the parties shall have no liability to one another arising out of or in connection with this Settlement Agreement or under any documents executed in connection herewith; (c) the parties shall be provided an opportunity to file a proof of claim by a deadline to be established by the Court; (d) this Settlement Agreement and any documents prepared in connection herewith shall have no residual or probative effect or value and it shall be as if they had never been executed; and (e) this Settlement Agreement, any statements made in connection with settlement discussions, and any documents prepared in connection herewith may not be used as evidence in any litigation between the parties.

31. The Debtors shall not take any action in the Chapter 11 Cases that is inconsistent with the terms and provisions of this Settlement Agreement. The United States, on behalf of EPA,

the States, the City, the County, Paikes, and the PRP Groups will not oppose any term or provision of a Plan of Reorganization filed by the Debtors that is addressed by this Settlement Agreement. The parties reserve all other rights and defenses they may have with respect to any Plan of Reorganization filed by the Debtors.

#### **AMENDMENTS/INTEGRATION AND COUNTERPARTS**

32. This Settlement Agreement and any other documents to be executed in connection herewith shall constitute the sole and complete agreement of the parties hereto with respect to the matters addressed herein. This Settlement Agreement may not be amended except by a writing signed by all parties to this Settlement Agreement.

33. This Settlement Agreement may be executed in counterparts each of which shall constitute an original and all of which shall constitute one and the same agreement.

#### **RETENTION OF JURISDICTION**

34. Except as provided in Paragraphs 7-11 regarding proceedings in other administrative or judicial tribunals, the Court (or, upon withdrawal of the Court's reference, the U.S. District Court of the District of Delaware) shall retain jurisdiction over the subject matter of this Settlement Agreement and the parties hereto for the duration of the

performance of the terms and provisions of this Settlement Agreement for the purpose of enabling any of the parties to apply to the Court at any time for such further order, direction and relief as may be necessary or appropriate for the construction or interpretation of this Settlement Agreement or to effectuate or enforce compliance with its terms.

THE UNDERSIGNED PARTIES ENTER INTO THIS SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA:

Date: 10.5.04

By:

Tom Sansonetti

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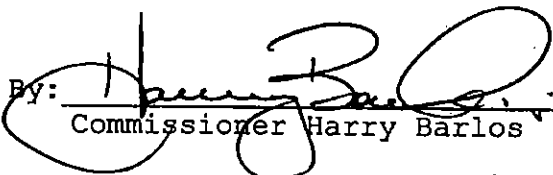
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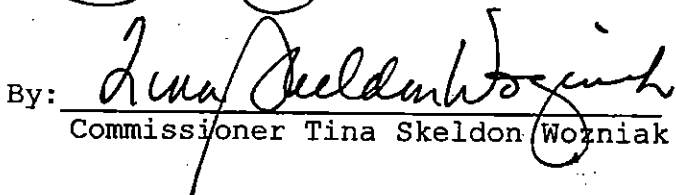
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