### BEFORE THE ILLINOIS POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL	)
PROTECTION AGENCY,	)
Complainant,	) AC 2013-041
v.	) (IEPA No. 57-13-AC)
ROBERT and TIA MIXER,	)
Respondents.	

### NOTICE OF FILING

To: Amy L. Jackson Rammelkamp Bradney 232 W. State Street Jacksonville, IL 62651

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this date I filed at hearing with the Clerk of the Pollution Control Board of the State of Illinois the following instrument(s) entitled STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENTS' PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW.

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle M. Ryan

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Dated: March 14, 2017

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# STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENT'S PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

NOW COMES the Complainant, ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

AGENCY ("Illinois EPA"), by and through its attorney, Michelle M. Ryan, and the

Respondents ROBERT and TIA MIXER ("Respondents"), "), by and through their attorney

Amy L. Jackson, Rammelkamp Bradney, P.C., pursuant to Sections 31.1 and 42(b)(4-5) of the

Illinois Environmental Protection Act ("Act"), 415 ILCS 5/31.1 and 42(b)(4-5) (2014), and

Section 103.180 of the Illinois Pollution Control Board's ("Board") Rules and Regulations, 35

Ill. Adm. Code 103.180, the parties hereby enter into this STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT

AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENTS' PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW, and in support hereof, the parties respectfully state as follows:

 On February 4, 2013, Mark Weber, an Environmental Protection Specialist for the Illinois EPA's Springfield Regional Office, conducted an inspection of a facility owned and operated by the Respondents. The facility is located immediately northwest of the intersection of Illinois Route 104 and East 1600<sup>th</sup> Street east of Quincy, Adams County, Illinois, and is designated with Site Code No.0018085007.

- 2. On or about April 3, 2013, the Illinois EPA served the Respondents with Administrative Citation No. 57-13-AC, alleging therein that the Respondents had conducted activities at the facility on February 4, 2013, in a manner which resulted in the following occurrences: (1) litter, a violation of 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1) (2014).
- On or about May 8, 2013, Respondents filed a Petition for Review contesting the administrative citation.
- 4. In an effort to resolve this matter without the need for a hearing, the parties have engaged in settlement negotiations and have reached this Agreement and hereby tender it to the Board for approval, the terms and conditions of which are as follows:
  - a. Respondent admits to causing or allowing litter at the facility (in violation of 415 ILCS 5/21(p)(1)) (2014)) and agrees to pay the statutory civil penalty of \$1,500.00 for this violation pursuant to 415 ILCS 5/42(b)(4-5) (2014).
  - b. Respondents agree to pay the statutory civil penalty within 30 days of the date of the Board's order accepting this stipulation.
  - c. Respondents agree to diligently comply with, and shall cease and desist from further violation of the Act, 415 ILCS 5/1 et seq. (2014), and the Board's rules and regulations, 35 Ill. Adm. Code Subtitles A through H.
  - d. The violations observed during the February 4, 2013 inspection are not continuing at this time.
  - e. The Illinois EPA agrees not to refer the violations that are the subject of this administrative citation to the Office of the Illinois Attorney General or any other prosecuting authority for the initiation of a civil enforcement action.

f. Respondent's Petition for Review filed with the Board on or about May 8, 2013, shall be dismissed.

WHEREFORE, the parties request that the Board accept this Agreement and issue an order consistent with its terms and conditions.

ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, Complainant,

Michelle M. Ryan

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-AND-

ROBERT MIXER, Respondent,

TIA MIXER, Respondent,

-AND

DATE:

DATE:

3-6-17

DATE: 3/13/17

### PROOF OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2017, serve by e-mail delivery a true and correct copy of the following instrument(s) entitled STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND DISMISSAL OF RESPONDENTS' PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW

To: Amy L. Jackson

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and the original via electronic filing on the same date

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