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NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION and THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NEW JERSEY SPILL COMPENSATION FUND,

**Plaintiffs** 

v.

OCCIDENTAL CHEMICAL CORPORATION, TIERRA SOLUTIONS, INC., MAXUS ENERGY CORPORATION, REPSOL YPF, S.A., YPF, S.A., YPF HOLDINGS, INC. and CLH HOLDINGS, INC.,

Defendants.

MAXUS ENERGY CORPORATION and TIERRA : SOLUTIONS, : INC., :

Third-Party Plaintiffs,

VS.

3M COMPANY, et al.,

Third-Party Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION: ESSEX COUNTY

DOCKET NO. L-9868-05

CIVIL ACTION

CMO V SUPPLEMENT TO THIRD-PARTY INITIAL DISCLOSURE BY BEROL CORPORATION

Comes now Third-Party Defendant Berol Corporation ("Respondent" or "Berol") and for this supplement to its Initial Disclosure, in accordance with Case Management Orders V and XII, provides the following specific information:

## Reservations

Berol reasserts the reservations stated in its Initial Disclosure, filed with this Court on

January 28, 2010.

## Supplement to Initial Disclosure

a. The name, address and telephone number, as may be known of each individual likely to have discoverable information, along with the subjects of that information, that relates to any alleged discharge or release of pollutants, contaminants and/or hazardous substances ("Pollutants") into the Newark Bay Complex (as these terms are defined in the Second Amended Complaint and the Third-Party Complaints) from the site(s) and/or properties with which the disclosing party is associated in the Third-Party Complaint ("Alleged Discharges");

## Response:

As Berol responded in its January 20, 2010, Initial Disclosure, Berol has denied liability arising out of any "Alleged Discharges." Notwithstanding and without altering Berol's Answer and Affirmative Defenses, Berol is supplementing its response to section (a) of its Initial Disclosure by providing additional information regarding Berol's list of individuals who, upon information and belief, may have knowledge about the ownership, operations or environmental conditions of the "Faber-Castell Site," as defined by Third-Party Plaintiffs in Paragraph 1264 of the Third-Party Complaint. To the extent Berol has been able to locate a last known address and telephone number for the individuals listed below, they have been provided. All employees of Berol Corporation, or its parent company Newell Rubbermaid Inc., who are listed below, should be contacted only through Berol Corporation's attorneys of record for this matter (Docket No. L-9868-05). Berol cautions that it has gleaned these names from documents regarding the Faber-Castell Site and does not know whether each of these individuals is still alive. Moreover, Berol is surmising the subjects about which each individual may have discoverable information based on preliminary information currently available to Berol.

## Berol supplements its Initial Disclosure as follows:

Name/Address/Phone	Subject
Robert Sonnabend 21733 Woodfield Trl Strongsville, OH 44149	General information about plant operations, including environmental issues
Mark G. Morris 42 Colman Dr Port Townsend, WA 98368	ISRA investigation and general information about plant operations, including environmental issues

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Martin Leison	ISRA investigation and remediation
218 Aldene Rd	
Roselle, NJ 07203	
James Bergman	General information about plant
	operations, including environmental
	issues
Kevin Herrighty and various other	ISRA investigation, remediation and
current or former employees of Killam	related sampling; Underground
Associates (now known as Hatch Mott	storage tank removal and associated
MacDonald)	sampling
Hatch Mott McDonald	
27 Bleeker Street	
P.O. Box 1008	
Milburn, NJ 07041	
(973) 379-3400	,
(7/3) 3/7-3400	
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Various current or former employees of	Certain allegations in Paragraphs
the Passaic Valley Sewage Commission	1272 through 1273, 1275 through 1277
600 Wilson Avenue	of the Third-Party Complaint
Newark, NJ 07105-4885	
(973) 344-1800	
Current or former employees or	ISRA investigation, underground
contractors of the New Jersey	storage tank removal and historical
Department of Environmental	regulatory permitting.
Protection	
401 E. State Street	
Trenton, NJ 08625-0402	
Current or former employees or	Chemicals used on property and
contractors of the Environmental	environmental compliance issues
Protection Agency Region 2	100
290 Broadway	
New York, NY 10007-1866	
Phone: (212) 637-3000	
Fax: (212) 637-3526	
Pax. (414) 03/-3320	

In addition to the names provided above, Berol is in receipt of alleged "nexus" documents from Third-Party Plaintiffs. To the extent these documents are viewed by Third-Party Plaintiffs as potential evidence of an "Alleged Discharge" at the Faber-Castell Site into the Newark Bay Complex, Berol responds that any of the individuals named within the "nexus" documents may have discoverable information. Berol may identify additional individuals in the course of discovery and as its investigation continues.

Berol's supplement to its Initial Disclosure is made without prejudice to its right to change or supplement its responses, its right to assert privileges or objections with respect to any

subsequent requests for discovery, or its right to introduce at trial additional evidence and documents as warranted by the development of the facts underlying this litigation.

Dated: July <u>27</u>, 2010

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I, GERALD R. SALERNO, hereby certify as follows:

1. I am a member of the law firm of Aronsohn Weiner & Salerno, PC, attorneys for Third Party Defendant, Berol Corporation ("Berol"), in connection with the above-captioned matter.

2. On July 29, 2010, I caused Berol's CMO V Supplement to Third Party Initial Disclosure to be served electronically on all parties that have consented to service by posting on www.sfile.com/njdepvocc. The following counsel of record were served on that same date via regular mail.

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I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Dated: July 29, 2010

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