# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK IN RE:

TRONOX INCORPORATED, et al.,

Case No. 09-10156 (ALG)

(Jointly Administered)

Debtors.

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#### <u>FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE</u> <u>CONSENT DECREE AND ENVIRONMENTAL SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT</u>

**WHEREAS,** on January 12, 2009, Tronox Incorporated and 14 of its affiliates (collectively, "Debtors")<sup>1</sup> filed petitions with the Court under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Bankruptcy Cases");

WHEREAS, on November 23, 2010, the Consent Decree and Environmental

Settlement Agreement ("Settlement Agreement") was lodged with the Court;

WHEREAS, by Order dated November 30, 2010 ("Confirmation Order"), the

Court confirmed the Debtors' Plan of Reorganization subject to approval of the

Settlement Agreement under environmental law, and approved the Settlement Agreement

pursuant to Section 9019 of the Bankruptcy Code;

WHEREAS, on January 13, 2011, the United States filed its Motion to Approve

the Settlement Agreement as fair and reasonable under environmental law;

WHEREAS, after the Settlement Agreement was lodged with the Court on

November 23, 2010, the parties to the Settlement Agreement have became aware of

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The debtors in these chapter 11 cases include: Tronox Luxembourg S.ar.L; Tronox Incorporated; Cimarron Corporation; Southwestern Refining Company, Inc.; Transworld Drilling Company; Triangle Refineries, Inc.; Triple S, Inc.; Triple S Environmental Management Corporation; Triple S Minerals Resources Corporation; Triple S Refining Corporation; Tronox LLC; Tronox Finance Corp.; Tronox Holdings, Inc.; Tronox Pigments (Savannah) Inc.; and Tronox Worldwide LLC.

corrections or clarifications needed to the Settlement Agreement that do not materially alter the substantive terms of the Settlement Agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, the parties agree that the modifications set forth herein to the Settlement Agreement constitute a written amendment of the Settlement Agreement, pursuant to Paragraph 172 of the Settlement Agreement.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, upon the consent and agreement of the parties by their attorneys and authorized officials, the Settlement Agreement is hereby amended as follows ("First Amendment"):

1. All references to the "Henderson Environmental Response Trust," "Henderson Trust Agreement," 'Henderson Trust Accounts," "Henderson Trust Administrative Account," "Henderson Trust Assets," "Henderson Trust Environmental Cost Account," "Henderson Trustee," and "Henderson Trust Parties" shall be replaced with "Nevada Environmental Response Trust," "Nevada Trust Agreement," "Nevada Trust Accounts," "Nevada Trust Administrative Account," "Nevada Trust Assets," "Nevada Trust Environmental Cost Account," "Nevada Trustee," and "Nevada Trust Parties," respectively.

2. The definition of "Savannah Trust Parties" on page 20 of the Settlement Agreement shall be amended to include the Savannah Trust.

3. The restrictions in Paragraphs 4 and 10(a) on the Multistate Trust's payment of future oversight costs related to Non-Owned Service Stations is deleted. The Multistate Trust may pay future oversight costs for Non-Owned Service Stations that are recoverable under applicable law through the procedures for payments provided for in the Settlement Agreement and the Multistate Trust Agreement.

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4. The definition of "Owned Service Stations" in Subparagraph 10(f)(xxvii) of the Settlement Agreement shall be amended to also include service stations located in Arkansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, North Dakota, Nebraska, New Mexico, South Dakota, and Virginia.

5. The definition of "Non-Owned Service Stations" in Subparagraph

10(f)(xxviii) of the Settlement Agreement shall be amended to also include service

stations located in Arkansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri,

North Dakota, Nebraska, New Mexico, Ohio, South Dakota, and Virginia.

6. The first sentence of Subparagraph 125(k) of the Settlement

Agreement is corrected as follows:

k. <u>Dubach Gas Site (Louisiana)</u>: The State of Louisiana shall receive, in addition to the distribution described in Subparagraph 117(l) above, a distribution of **0.0036%** of the Anadarko Litigation Proceeds . . . .

7. Paragraph 122 is amended to read as follows:

The Litigation Trust Agreement shall contain appropriate provisions for the distribution by the Anadarko Litigation Trust of an amount equal to the \$25,000,000.00 payment referenced in Paragraph 121 at the conclusion of the Anadarko Litigation plus or minus any agreed adjustments, including any amount constituting the payment of interest. Such payment shall be distributed to the Owned and Non-Owned Sites as set forth in Paragraphs 124 and 125.

8. The definition of "Anadarko Litigation Proceeds" on page 8 of the

Settlement Agreement is amended to read as follows:

"Anadarko Litigation Proceeds" are eighty-eight percent (88%) of the net recovery in the Anadarko Litigation, which net recovery shall be determined by subtracting from the total gross recovery in the Anadarko Litigation (1) all outstanding and anticipated payments to lead counsel of the Anadarko Litigation Trust pursuant to a separate Special Fee Arrangement; (2) all outstanding and anticipated costs and fees of the Anadarko Litigation Trust and Trustee (including but not limited to attorney's fees and Trustee fees), as set forth in the Anadarko Litigation Trust Agreement; and (3) the amount of the distribution referred to in Paragraph 122, and which shall be allocated to the Governments and the Environmental Response Trusts pursuant to the Plan of Reorganization and this Settlement Agreement.

9. Other than as expressly set forth in Paragraphs 1 to 8 above,

nothing in this First Amendment is intended to modify any other provision of the Settlement Agreement. All other provisions of the Settlement Agreement are unchanged.

10. The signatories for the parties each certify that he or she is

authorized to enter into the terms and conditions of this First Amendment and to execute and bind legally such party to this document.

11. This First Amendment may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original, and all of which shall constitute one and the same agreement.

# THE UNDERSIGNED PARTIES ENTER INTO THIS FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

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