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Before Administrative Judges:

Alan S. Rosenthal, Presiding Officer  
Dr. Richard F. Cole, Special Assistant

**RAS 1855**

In the Matter of

CABOT PERFORMANCE MATERIALS  
(Reading, Pennsylvania)

Docket No. 40-9027-MLA

ASLBP No. 99-757-01-MLA

June 29, 2000

ORDER

(Granting Extension of Time to File  
Answer to Hearing Request)

The Licensee, Cabot Performance Materials, has orally moved without objection for yet another extension -- from June 30, 2000 to September 28, 2000 -- of the time within which to file its answer to the hearing request filed by the City of Reading and the Redevelopment Authority of that City in this source material license proceeding.

On the basis of the representations contained in the Licensee's last motion (see my May 30, 2000 order (unpublished)), it had been my expectation that the matter would be settled by now. In a telephone conference today, in which counsel for the Licensee and the Redevelopment Authority participated, Judge Cole and I were given, however, adequate reasons why a newly discovered question involving title to a portion of the property necessitates the sought additional extension. Accordingly, the time for the filing of the Licensee's answer is further extended to and including September 28, 2000.

It is so ORDERED.

BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER\*

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Alan S. Rosenthal  
ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE

Rockville, Maryland

June 29, 2000

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\* Copies of this memorandum and order were sent this date by Internet e-mail transmission to counsel for the Licensee, the Petitioners, and the NRC Staff.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing PRESIDING OFFICER'S ORDER (GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANSWER TO HEARING REQUEST) have been served upon the following persons by U.S. mail, first class, or through NRC internal distribution.

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Dated at Rockville, Maryland,  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June 2000