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In the Matter of J. F. White Contracting Company

January 11, 2017 OADR Docket No. 2016-018 Deerfield

FINAL DECISION

I have reviewed the Motion to Approve Settlement Agreement and the Settlement Agreement by Administrative Consent Order ("ACO"), which was signed on November 14, 2016, by Michael Gorski, Regional Director for the Department's Western Regional Office, and signed by Albert Perez Baucells, Executive Vice President of J.F. White Contracting Company ("White"), on November 17, 2016. The ACO is the parties' proposed resolution of White's appeal of the Unilateral Administrative Order ("UAO") (UAO-WE-16-6W002).

The Department issues this Final Decision adopting and incorporating the ACO. An important and material term in this particular settlement is the Department's reservation of rights to bring a separate enforcement action for a Civil Administrative Penalty ("penalty") pursuant to G.L. c. 21A, § 16, and the Administrative Penalty Regulations at 310 CMR 5.00, if further investigation and the circumstances warrant a penalty. ACO, ¶ 17.

White is ordered to comply with all terms of the ACO. Under the terms of 310 CMR 1.01(8)(c), the appeal of the UAO is dismissed with the parties waiving whatever rights they may

have to further administrative review before the Department as well as any appeal to court with respect to the UAO.

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