

3. Since filing its complaint and, as a result of the rules that went into effect on September 30, 2010, Powertech has been forced due to economic circumstances including certain unforeseen and unexpected events caused by or associated with the tragic nuclear incident at Fukushima Daiichi to focus its efforts and allocate its funds in pursuing a license for and in effecting the operations of its in situ uranium project in South Dakota known as Dewey Burdock.

4. Following this period of transition, Powertech is now prepared to cause the record in this matter to be filed with the clerk of the court. Due to the extensive administrative proceedings that predated this court action, Powertech wishes to advise the court that the administrative record is voluminous. That being the case, Powertech anticipates an adequate time period of four to six weeks may be necessary for the preparation and filing of the record and assures the court that it is now in the position of being able to complete this process.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Powertech (USA) Inc., respectfully requests that the Court not dismiss this case without prejudice and grant Powertech additional time to cause the certified record to be filed with the clerk of the court.

Dated this 16th day of December 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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