UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
REGION 5
77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD
CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

AUG 28 2017

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

By Certified U.S. Mail; Return Receipt Requested
Certified No. 7015 1520 0002 4890 2026

Ms. Tita Lagrimas
Executive Vice President of Regulatory Affairs
Tradebe Treatment and Recycling, LLC
1433 East 83rd Avenue, Suite 200
Merrillville, Indiana 46410

Re: Tradebe Treatment and Recycling, LLC
Request for Time Extension in Substantiation of Confidential Business Information Claims

Dear Ms. Lagrimas:

On June 28, 2017, United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 5 issued a written "Request for Substantiation of Confidential Business Information Claims" to Tradebe Treatment and Recycling, LCC, requesting substantiation of the trade secret and confidential business information ("CBI") claims that you have made for information and documents submitted to EPA since October 18, 2016. This includes the CBI claims you made on EPA's letter to you dated December 15, 2016 and titled "Request for Information, Tradebe Treatment and Recycling, LLC, East Chicago, Indiana, IND 000 646 943." In communications with EPA staff on June 29, 2017, July 14, 2017, and July 18, 2017, as well as during a meeting between Tradebe and EPA representatives on July 19, 2017, you have made requests for an extension of time to submit your substantiation comments, which you believe is necessary due to the volume and the level of detail of the information and documents involved. In these circumstances, EPA by this letter is approving an extension as follows:

Within 30 days of your receipt of this letter, please submit your substantiation comments with respect to your CBI claims on the information you submitted to EPA on October 18, 2016.

Within 60 days of your receipt of this letter, please submit your substantiation comments with respect to your CBI claims on EPA's letter of December 15, 2016, and on the information you submitted to EPA on March 20, 2017.

Within 105 days of your receipt of this letter, please submit your substantiation comments with respect to your CBI claims on information shared with EPA through e-mails from October 18, 2016, or earlier, if applicable, to the present.

If you wish to claim any information that you provide in your response to this letter to itself be confidential, you must mark the response "CONFIDENTIAL" or with a similar designation, and must bracket all text in the response that you so claim. Information so designated will be disclosed by the EPA only to the extent allowed by, and by means of the procedures set forth in, 40 C.F.R. Part 2, Subpart B. If you fail to claim the information provided in your response as confidential, it may be made available to the public without further notice to you.

All other requirements and notices contained in the June 28, 2017 "Request for Substantiation of Confidential Business Information Claims" are still in effect.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please call Michael Valentino of my staff at (312) 886-4582.

Sincerely,

Michael Cunningham, Chief
Compliance Section 1
RCRA Branch