

**BEFORE THE  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20585**

In the Matter of:

**Harrington Creations, LLC**  
**d/b/a Harrington Brass Works,**  
Respondent

Case Number: 2014-SW-28011

**ORDER**

By the General Counsel, U.S. Department of Energy:

1. In this Order, I adopt the attached Compromise Agreement entered into between the U.S. Department of Energy (“DOE”) and Harrington Creations, LLC (“Respondent”). The Compromise Agreement resolves the case initiated to pursue a civil penalty for distributing in commerce in the United States faucets that failed to meet the applicable standard for water use in 10 C.F.R. § 430.32(o) and violations of the compliance certification requirements in 10 C.F.R. Part 429.
2. DOE and Respondent have negotiated the terms of the Compromise Agreement that resolves this matter. A copy of the Compromise Agreement is attached hereto and incorporated by reference.
3. After reviewing the terms of the Compromise Agreement and evaluating the facts before me, I find that the public interest would be served by adopting the Compromise Agreement.
4. Based on the information in the case file and Respondent’s admission of facts establishing violations, I find that Respondent committed Prohibited Acts by distributing in commerce faucets that were not in conformity with the applicable water conservation standard and failing to comply with 10 C.F.R. § 429.12. *See* 42 U.S.C. § 6302; 10 C.F.R. §§ 429.102(a)(1), 430.32(o).
5. Accordingly, pursuant to 10 C.F.R. § 429.120 and 42 U.S.C. § 6303, I **HEREBY ASSESS** a civil penalty of \$10,000 **AND ORDER** that the Compromise Agreement attached to this Order is adopted.

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Steven P. Croley  
General Counsel

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