

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

In the Matter of:

**Simkar Corporation,**  
Respondent

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Case Number: 2012-SE-5408

**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 Simkar Corporation (“Respondent”). The Compromise Agreement resolves the case initiated to pursue a civil penalty for distributing in commerce in the United States metal halide lamp fixtures that failed to meet the applicable standard for energy consumption. *See* 10 C.F.R. § 431.326.
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 metal halide lamp fixtures that were not in conformity with the applicable energy conservation standard. *See* 42 U.S.C. §§ 6295(hh), 6302.
5. Accordingly, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 6303, I **HEREBY ASSESS** a civil penalty of \$28,193 **AND ORDER** that the Compromise Agreement attached to this Order is adopted.

  
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Gregory H. Woods  
General Counsel

December 20, 2012  
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Date