P.E. CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

PERMITTEE

Green Circle Bio Energy Inc.
2500 Green Circle Parkway
Cottondale, Florida 32431

Project No. 0630058-010-AC
Cottondale Wood Pellet Plant
Title V Source Air Construction Permit
Pellet Production Increase
Jackson County, Florida

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Green Circle Bio Energy Inc.'s Cottondale Wood Pellet Plant is a wood fuel pellet plant, where logs are debarked and milled into chips. The chips are dried, ground and screened to a more consistent size. The ground wood is compressed to make wood pellets to be used as fuel. The finished pellets are loaded into railcars for shipment to customers. This facility is regulated by Rule 62-296.410(2) and (3), F.A.C., and emission limits imposed in the initial construction permits.

This project is to increase wood pellet production from 554,304 tons per year to 610,000 tons per year; remove aspiration systems on the hammer mill and pelletizing infeed conveyors for Pelletizing Lines 1, 2 and 3; redefine several compliance demonstration measures; and, remove the never-constructed Green Wood Chip Grinding System (EU 009) from the permit.

The Department's full review of the project and rationale for issuing the draft permit is provided in the Technical Evaluation and Preliminary Determination.

I HEREBY CERTIFY *that the air pollution control engineering features described in the above referenced application and subject to the proposed permit conditions provide reasonable assurance of compliance with applicable provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes, and Florida Administrative Code Chapters 62-4 and 62-204 through 62-297. However, I have not evaluated and I do not certify any other aspects of the proposal (including, but not limited to, the electrical, mechanical, structural, hydrological, geological, and meteorological features).*

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/March 7, 2012/

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