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Mr. Mark Hammond
Executive Director
Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County
7501 North Jog Road
West Palm Beach, Florida 33412

Re: Palm Beach Renewable Energy Facility No. 2
Draft Permit No. 0990234-028-AC/PSD-FL-413B
Revisions to Previously Issued AC/PSD Permits

Dear Mr. Hammond:

Enclosed is a draft air construction permit revision for the new Palm Beach Renewable Energy Facility No. 2 at the existing Palm Beach Renewable Energy Park, which is located in Palm Beach County at 7501 North Jog Road in West Palm Beach, Florida.

The permit package includes the following documents:

- The Written Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit provides important information regarding: the Permitting Authority's intent to issue air permit for the proposed project; the requirements for publishing a Public Notice of the Permitting Authority's intent to issue air permit; the procedures for submitting comments on the draft air construction permit revision; the process for filing a petition for an administrative hearing; and, the availability of mediation.
- The Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit is the actual notice that you must have published in the legal advertisement section of a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected by this project. The Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit must be published as soon as possible and the proof of publication must be provided to the Department within seven days of the date of publication.
- The Technical Evaluation & Preliminary Determination, which explains the project in detail.
- The draft air construction permit revision.

Please submit any written comments you wish to have considered concerning the permitting authority's proposed action to Mr. Syed Arif, P.E., Environmental Administrator, Permitting Section, at the above letterhead address. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Scott M. Sheplak, P.E., by telephone at 850/717-9074 or by email at scott.sheplak@dep.state.fl.us.

Sincerely,

for Jeffery F. Koerner, Program Administrator
Office of Permitting and Compliance
Division of Air Resource Management

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WRITTEN NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AIR PERMIT

In the Matter of an
Application for Permit by:

Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County
7501 North Jog Road
West Palm Beach, FL 33412

Authorized Representative:
Mark Hammond, Executive Director

Draft Permit No. 0990234-028-AC/PSD-FL-413B
Facility ID No. 0990234
Palm Beach Renewable Energy Facility No. 2

Revisions to Previously Issued AC/PSD Permits
Palm Beach County, Florida

Facility Location: The Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach County is constructing the new Palm Beach Renewable Energy Facility No. 2 at the existing Palm Beach Renewable Energy Park, which is located in Palm Beach County at 7501 North Jog Road in West Palm Beach, Florida.

Project: The applicant applied on May 23, 2013, to the Department for a minor source air construction permit revision. The minor source air construction permit is for revisions to the previously issued air construction (AC)/Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permits, Permit Nos. 0990234-017-AC/PSD-FL-413 & 0990234-023-AC/PSD-FL-413A (Project). The project is for the authorization of: (a) a reduction in the maximum heat input rate for the natural gas burner system; (b) an increase in the size of the diesel fire pump engines; (c) a different type of air pollution control system for the facility's ash handling building; and, (d) the installation of an auxiliary cooling tower. The project also authorizes changes to the mercury (Hg) monitoring and testing requirements for the municipal waste combustors (MWCs).

Details of the project are provided in the application and the enclosed Technical Evaluation & Preliminary Determination.

Permitting Authority: Applications for air construction permits are subject to review in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-4, 62-210 and 62-212 of the F.A.C. The proposed project is not exempt from air permitting requirements. The Office of Permitting and Compliance is the Permitting Authority responsible for making a permit determination for this project. The Permitting Authority's physical address is: 2600 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida. The Permitting Authority's mailing address is: 2600 Blair Stone Road, Mail Station #5505, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400. The Permitting Authority's phone number is 850-717-9000.

Project File: A complete project file is available for public inspection during the normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except legal holidays), at the address indicated above for the Permitting Authority. The complete project file includes the draft air construction permit revision, the Technical Evaluation & Preliminary Determination, the application, and the information submitted by the applicant, exclusive of confidential records under Section 403.111, F.S. Interested persons may view the draft air construction permit revision by visiting the following web site: http://www.dep.state.fl.us/air/emission/apds/default.asp and entering the permit number shown above. Interested persons may contact the Permitting Authority's project review engineer for additional information at the address or phone number listed above.

Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit: The Permitting Authority gives notice of its intent to issue a draft air construction permit revision for the project described above. The applicant has provided reasonable assurance that operation of the existing equipment will not adversely impact air quality and that the project will comply with all appropriate provisions of Chapters 62-4, 62-204, 62-210, 62-212, 62-296 and 62-297, F.A.C. The Permitting Authority will issue a final permit in accordance with the conditions of the draft air construction permit unless a response received in accordance with the following procedures results in a different decision or a significant change of terms or conditions.

Public Notice: Pursuant to Section 403.815, F.S. and Rules 62-110.106 and 62-210.350, F.A.C., you (the applicant) are required to publish at your own expense the enclosed Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit

(Public Notice). The Public Notice shall be published one time only as soon as possible in the legal advertisement section of a newspaper of general circulation in the area affected by this project. The newspaper used must meet the requirements of Sections 50.011 and 50.031, F.S. in the county where the activity is to take place. If you are uncertain that a newspaper meets these requirements, please contact the Permitting Authority at the above address or phone number. Pursuant to Rule 62-110.106(5) and (9), F.A.C., the applicant shall provide proof of publication to the Permitting Authority at the above address within 7 days of publication. Failure to publish the notice and provide proof of publication may result in the denial of the permit pursuant to Rule 62-110.106(11), F.A.C.

Comments: The Permitting Authority will accept written comments concerning the draft air construction permit for a period of 14 days from the date of publication of the Public Notice. Written comments must be received by the Permitting Authority by close of business (5:00 p.m.) on or before the end of this 14-day period. If written comments received result in a significant change to the draft air construction permit modification, the Permitting Authority shall revise the draft air construction permit and require, if applicable, another Public Notice. All comments filed will be made available for public inspection.

Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. Petitions filed by the applicant or any of the parties listed below must be filed within 14 days of receipt of this Written Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permits. Petitions filed by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section 120.60(3), F.S., must be filed within 14 days of publication of the attached Public Notice or within 14 days of receipt of this Written Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permits, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action may file a petition within 14 days of receipt of that notice, regardless of the date of publication. A petitioner shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above, at the time of filing. A petition for administrative hearing must contain the information set forth below and must be filed (received) with the Agency Clerk in the Office of General Counsel of the Department of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station #35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, Agency.Clerk@dep.state.fl.us, before the deadline. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will be only at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.

A petition that disputes the material facts on which the Permitting Authority's action is based must contain the following information: (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known; (b) The name, address, any email address, telephone number, and any facsimile number of the petitioner; the name, address, any email address, telephone number, and any facsimile number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding; and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial interests will be affected by the agency determination; (c) A statement of when and how each petitioner received notice of the agency action or proposed decision; (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact. If there are none, the petition must so indicate; (e) A concise statement of the ultimate facts alleged, including the specific facts the petitioner contends warrant reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action; (f) A statement of the specific rules or statutes the petitioner contends require reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action including an explanation of how the alleged facts relate to the specific rules or statutes; and, (g) A statement of the relief sought by the petitioner, stating precisely the action the petitioner wishes the agency to take with respect to the agency's proposed action. A petition that does not dispute the material facts upon which the Permitting Authority's action is based shall state that no such facts are in dispute and otherwise shall contain the same information as set forth above, as required by Rule 28-106.301, F.A.C.

Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the Permitting Authority's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this Written

Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permits. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Permitting Authority on the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

Mediation: Mediation is not available in this proceeding.

Executed in Tallahassee, Florida

for Jeffery F. Koerner, Program Administrator
Office of Permitting and Compliance
Division of Air Resource Management

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned duly designated deputy agency clerk hereby certifies that this Written Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit package (including the Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit, the Technical Evaluation & Preliminary Determination and the Draft Permit with Appendices) was sent by electronic mail, or a link to these documents made available electronically on a publicly accessible server, with received receipt requested before the close of business on the date indicated below to the following persons.

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Clerk Stamp

FILING AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILED, on this date, pursuant to Section 120.52(7), Florida Statutes, with the designated agency clerk, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.