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Mr. Rufus Jackson, Plant Manager
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Re: DEP File No. 1030011-011-AC
PEF P.L. Bartow Power Plant
Biofuel Test Burn on Steam Unit 1

Dear Mr. Jackson:

On April 3, 2008, you submitted an application (revised November 10, 2008) for an air construction permit to burn liquid biofuel in Steam Unit 1 and existing combustion turbines (CT) at the facility identified above. By agreement with PEF, the Department is presently processing the part of the request related to Steam Unit 1 so that the testing can be accomplished prior to its scheduled permanent shut down in early 2009.

Enclosed are the following documents:

- Written Notice of Intent to Issue Draft Air Construction Permit;
- Public Notice of Intent to Issue Draft Air Construction Permit;
- Technical Evaluation and Preliminary Determination; and
- Draft Air Construction Permit.

The Public Notice of Intent to Issue Draft Air Construction 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.

If you have any questions, please contact David Read at 850-414-7268.

Sincerely,

Trina L Vielhauer

Trina Vielhauer, Chief
Bureau of Air Regulation

Enclosures

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