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November 25, 1992

Mr. Paul F. Claerbout
Plant Manager
Wheelabrator North Broward Inc.
2600 N.W. 48th Street
Pompano Beach, Florida 33703

RE: North Broward Resource Recovery Facility,
PA 86-22

Dear Mr. Claerbout:

On November 4, 1992, you requested that the emergency modification granted on September 1, 1992, for the North Broward Facility be extended for 90 days. In order to provide an environmentally acceptable alternative to the disposal of Hurricane Andrew damage refuse, the Department proposes to extend the emergency modification until January 14, 1993.

If you should desire an additional extension, or if you should desire to make the increase in capacity permanent, you should file for a modification of the conditions pursuant to Section 403.516, F.S., and Section 17-17.211, F.A.C.

Sincerely,

Hamilton S. Owen

Hamilton S. Owen, P.E.
Administrator, Siting
Coordination Office

cc: Greg Worley, EPA
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STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

In Re:)
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North Broward Resource Recovery Facility))
Power Plant Certification)
Emergency Modification)
No. PA 86-22)
Broward County, Florida)
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EMERGENCY ORDER MODIFYING CONDITIONS
OF CERTIFICATION

Under section 120.59(3) of the Florida Statutes, the State of Florida Department of Environmental Regulation (the Department) enters the following Emergency Final Order, including findings of fact and conclusions of law, in response to the devastation wrought by Hurricane Andrew in South Florida:

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Based upon the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth in DER Emergency Final Order Number 92-1476, which is incorporated herein by reference, the Department concludes that the emergency situation will be alleviated if the North Broward Resource Recovery Facility receives temporary authorization to expand the loading rate of their boilers to burn debris from the hurricane.

2. Pursuant to Section 403.516(1), F.S., the Secretary of the Department is authorized to modify Conditions of Certification.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

The Department hereby modifies the Condition of Certification XIV.A.1.c. for the North Broward Resource Recovery Facility as follows:

Condition XIV.A.1.c.

During hurricane emergency operating conditions from September 1, 1992, to November 30, 1992, the incinerator boilers shall not be loaded in excess of 71,917 ~~their-rated nameplate-capacity-of-67,200~~ pounds of MSW per hour or 323.73 ~~302.5~~ x 10⁶ Btu per hour each. The temperature of the flue gas exiting the combustion chamber of the incinerator shall be equal to or greater than 1800 degrees F.

This modification shall take effect on the date this Order is rendered, and shall remain in effect until November 30, 1992, unless otherwise ordered by the Department.

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

Any party to this Order has the right to seek judicial review of this Order pursuant to Section 120.68, Florida Statutes by filing a Notice of Appeal pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure, with the clerk of the Department in the Office of the General Counsel, 2600 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-2400; and by filing a copy of the Notice of Appeal accompanied by the appropriate filing fees with the appropriate district court of appeal. The Notice of Appeal must be filed within 30 days from the date of the Final Order is filed with the clerk of the Department.


DONE AND ORDERED this 1 day of September 1992, in Tallahassee, Florida

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT
OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

FILING AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

FILED, on this date, pursuant to S120.52 Florida Statutes, with the designated Department Clerk, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.

Mary L. Wilson 9-1-92
Clerk Date


DANA D. MINERVA
ASSISTANT SECRETARY