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Mr. David B. Struhs, Secretary
c/o Office of General Council
Florida Department of Environmental Regulation
2600 Blair Stone Road
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400

RE: Request for Extension to File for Administrative Hearing
Wheelabrator South Broward, Inc. FDEP File No. PSD-FL-105(B)
Wheelabrator North Broward, Inc. FDEP File No. PSD-FL-112(B)

Dear Secretary Struhs:

On May 24, 1999, Wheelabrator South Broward Inc. and Wheelabrator North Broward, Inc. (Wheelabrator) received the Department's Notice of Intent to amend Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permits for the facilities. The amendments were for pollution control projects to meet the new source performance standards (NSPS) codified in 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 60 Subpart Cb. These NSPS apply to municipal waste combustors (MWCs) constructed on or before December 19, 1995. The permits also involve the installation of metal recovery equipment and clarification of the input material to the MWCs. Pursuant to the Intent to Issue, Wheelabrator has until June 7, 1999 to file a petition for administrative proceedings regarding the permits.

On behalf of Wheelabrator, requests for extensions to file petitions for administrative proceedings are attached. The extensions will allow discussions of the draft permits with the Bureau of Air Regulation with the intent to clarify several conditions that are important to the operation of these resource recovery facilities.

Sincerely,

GOLDER ASSOCIATES INC.

Kennard F. Kosky, P.E.
Principal

- cc: Rick Mulhorn, Wheelabrator
- William Roberts, Wheelabrator
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- Chuck Faller, Wheelabrator
- Timothy Porter, Wheelabrator
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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL TIME IN WHICH TO FILE
A PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING
UNDER SECTIONS 120.569 and 120.57, FLORIDA STATUTES

Applicant: Wheelabrator South Broward, Inc.

DEP File No.: PSD-FL-105(B)

Intent to Issue Permit Amendment for 40 CFR Part 60 Subpart Cb

The undersigned has read Sections 120.569 and 120.57, Florida Statutes (F.S.), and fully understands the applicant's rights under those sections.

With regard to the above referenced draft permit, the applicant hereby requests an extension of time in which to file a petition for an administrative hearing. The applicant has received the draft permit from the Florida Department of Environmental Regulation (FDEP) Bureau of Air Regulation, but needs additional time in which to review the specific and general permit conditions. Based on our review of the draft permit, a request to revise certain conditions will be made to the Bureau of Air Regulation. The draft permit contains additional specific conditions involving changes in various requirements and performance testing which must be discussed and clarified with the Department. To allow for this process, and protect the right of the applicant to file for an administrative hearing if so desired, this request for additional time is being made. This extension request has been discussed with the permitting engineer for Bureau of Air Regulation, Ms. Teresa Heron and she does not object to the granting the extension. Granting the request will still allow rights to parties an opportunity to discuss the pertinent permit provisions and to achieve a mutually acceptable resolution of points in need of clarification or correction, without the initiation of formal administrative proceedings. This request is made freely and voluntarily by the applicant, is in its self-interest, and is made without any pressure or coercion by anyone employed by the State of Florida Department of Environmental Protection.

This request for extension of time shall expire on July 31, 1999.

The undersigned is authorized to make this request on behalf of the applicant.

Kennard F. Kosky, 6/2/99
Signature/Date

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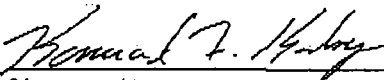
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