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Mr. Ed Svec
Bureau of Air Regulation
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
2600 Blair Stone Rd.
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400

Dear Mr. Svec:

0170004-006-AC

Re: Crystal River Coal Briquettes - Proof of Publication

I have enclosed the proof of publication of the Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Construction Permit Modification for the coal briquettes project at Florida Power Corporation's Crystal River Units 1 and 2.

Please contact me at (727) 826-4334 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

J. Michael Kennedy, Q.E.P.
Manager, Air Programs

Proof Of Publication

from the
CITRUS COUNTY CHRONICLE
Crystal River, Citrus County, Florida
PUBLISHED DAILY

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF CITRUS

Before the undersigned authority personally
appeared FELICIA H. SATCHELL

of the Citrus County Chronicle, a newspaper
published daily at Crystal River, in Citrus County,
Florida, that the attached copy of advertisement
being a public notice in the matter of the

FILE NO. 0170004-006-AC

Court, was published in said newspaper in the issues
of

JUNE 3, 1999

Affiant further says that the Citrus County Chronicle
is a newspaper published at Crystal River in said
Citrus County, Florida, and that the said newspaper
has heretofore been continuously published in Citrus
County, Florida, each week and has been entered
as second class mail matter at the post office in
Inverness in said Citrus County, Florida, for a period
of one year next preceding the first publication of
the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant
further says that he/she has neither paid nor
promised any person, firm or corporation any
discount, rebate, commission or refund for the
purpose of securing this advertisement for
publication in the said newspaper.

Felicia H. Satchell
The forgoing instrument was acknowledged before
me this 3th day of JUNE 19 99

by FELICIA H. SATCHELL
who is personally known to me and who did take
an oath.

Jennette A. Schmidt
Notary Public
Jennette A. Schmidt
Notary Public, State of Florida
Commission No. CC 669909
My Commission Exp. 08/16/2001
1-800-3-NOTARY - Fla. Notary Service & Bonding Co.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
OF INTENT TO ISSUE
AIR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT
STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION
DEIR F11A No. 0170004-006-AC
Florida Power Corporation
Crystal River Plant
Citrus County

The Department of Environmental Regulation (Department) gives notice of its intent to issue an air construction permit to Florida Power Corporation, for the Crystal River Plant located west of U.S. Highway 19, north of Crystal River, south of the Cross State Barge Canal, Citrus County. The permit is to allow the construction of a coal/briquette fuel mixture in Crystal River Units 1, 2, 4 and 5. The applicant's mailing address is: Florida Power Corporation, 3201 34th Street South, St. Petersburg, Florida 33711. A Best Available Control Technology (BACT) determination was not required pursuant to Rule 62-212.400, F.A.C. and 40 CFR 52.21, Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD).

The briquettes are produced from coal fines at the mines currently supplying coal to Crystal River Units 1, 2, 4 and 5. The coal fines are combined under heat and pressure with a small amount of oil to form the briquettes. The oil acts as a binding agent. The heat and pressure removes moisture and produces the briquettes. The briquettes will be blended with some of the regular coal supplied to Florida Power Corporation. The sulfur content of the coal/briquette fuel mixture, percent by weight and averaged on an annual basis, will not exceed the average sulfur content of the coal combusted in each unit averaged for the past three years. Sulfur content of the mixture shall not exceed 1.05 %, percent by weight and annual average, for Crystal River Units 1 and 2 and 0.8 %, percent by weight and annual average, for Crystal River Units 4 and 5. The combustion of the fuel mixture will result in no actual increases of sulfur dioxide.

This project is not subject to review under Section 403.506 FS (Power Plant Siting Act), because it provides for no expansion in steam generating capacity.

Any air quality impact analysis was not conducted. Emissions from the facility will not consume PSD increment and will not significantly contribute to or cause a violation of any state or federal ambient air quality standards. The Department will issue the final permit with the attached conditions unless a response received in accordance with the following procedures results in a different decision or significant change of terms or conditions.

The Department will accept written comments concerning the proposed permit issuance action for a period of 14 (fourteen) days from the date of publication of this Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Construction Permit. Written comments should be provided to the Department's Bureau of Air Regulation at: 2600 Blair Stone Road, Mail Station # 5505, Tallahassee, FL 32399-2400. Any written comments filed shall be made available for public inspection. If written comments received result in a significant change in the proposed agency action, the Department shall revise the proposed permit and require, if applicable, another Public Notice.

The Department will issue the permit with the attached conditions unless a timely petition for an administrative hearing is filed pursuant to sections 120.569 and 120.57 FS, before the deadline for filing a petition. The procedures for petitioning for a hearing are set forth below.

Mediation is not available in this proceeding.

A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative proceeding (hearing) under sections 120.569 and 120.57 of the Florida Statutes. The petition must contain the information set forth below and must be filed (received) in the Office of General Counsel of the Department at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station # 55, Tallahassee, Florida, fourteen days of receipt of this notice of intent. Petitions filed by any person other than those entitled to written notice section 120.50 (3) of the Florida Statutes must be filed within fourteen days of receipt of this notice of intent, whichever occurs first. Under section 120.50 (3), however, any person who asked the Department for notice of agency action may file a petition within fourteen 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 the time of filing. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period constitutes a waiver of that person's right to request and administrative determination (hearing) under sections 120.569 and 120.57 FS, or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention will only be at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205 of the Florida Administrative Code.

A petition that disputes the material facts on which the Department'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, and telephone number of the petitioner, the name, address, and telephone 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 how and when petitioner received notice of the agency action or proposed action; (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact. If there are none, the petition must so indicate; (A) 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; 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 Department's action is based shall state that no such facts are in dispute and otherwise shall contain the information as set forth above, as required by Rule 28-106.301.

Because the administrative hearing process is designed to formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the Department's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this notice. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Department on the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

A complete project file is available for public inspection during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays at:

Dept. of Environmental Protection Bureau of Air Regulation Suite 4, 1111 S. Magnolia Drive Tallahassee, Florida 32301 Telephone: 850/488-0114 Fax: 850/922-6979	Dept. of Environmental Protection Southwest District 3804 Coconut Palm Drive Tampa, Florida 33619-8218 Telephone: 813/744-6100
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The complete project file includes the application, technical evaluations, Draft permit, and the information submitted by the responsible official, exclusive of confidential records under Section 111.1, F.S. Interested persons may contact the Administrator, New Source Review Section, or the Department's reviewing engineer for this project, Edward J. Svec, at 1111 South Magnolia Drive, Suite 4, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, or call 850/488-0114, for additional information.

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INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

Date: 07-Jun-1999 04:54pm
From: J-Michael.Kennedy
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To: svec_e (svec_e@dep.state.fl.us)

Subject: Coal Briquettes

Ed,

I have reviewed the coal briquettes draft permit and had a couple of minor comments, plus one question.

Condition 3. Sulfur Limitation

Could we add the word "shipments" after the word "mixture" to ensure that it's clear that we're talking about the shipments we receive (as opposed to the separate regular coal shipments)? It is written that way in the Technical Evaluation, so reflecting it in the permit would be consistent.

In the table, Emissions Unit No. 3 is actually FFSG, Unit 5. Unit 3 is the nuclear unit.

The question: The folks in fuel supply have asked if we could write the sulfur limit in terms of lb/mmBtu for the coal/briquette shipments rather than %sulfur. They said that some of the coal we get is high in Btu content, and the lb/mmBtu approach would provide some flexibility without increasing the emission rate. What do you think?

I don't have the proof of publication yet, but should have it very soon, and I'll send it to you then.

Thanks.

Mike Kennedy
(727) 826-4334

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