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Joanne.Spalding@sierraclub.org

Sent:

Thursday, December 28, 2006 2:43 PM

To:

Gibson, Victoria

Subject:

Re: Reponse Letter to Notification Request from the Sierra Club

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Thank you for your letter. Happy New Year.

Joanne Spalding
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----- "Gibson, Victoria" < Victoria. Gibson@dep.state.fl.us > wrote: -----

To: <kristin.henry@sierraclub.org>, <joanne.spalding@sierraclub.org>, "Hałpin, Mike" <Mike.Halpin@dep.state.fl.us>, "Goorland, Scott" <Scott.Goorland@dep.state.fl.us>, "Robinette. Rebecca" <Rebecca.Robinette@dep.state.fl.us>

From: "Gibson, Victoria" < Victoria. Gibson@dep.state.fl.us>

Date: 12/22/2006 10:53AM

cc: "Vielhauer, Trina" < Trina. Vielhauer@dep.state.fl.us>, "Koerner, Jeff"

<Jeff.Koerner@dep.state.fl.us>, "Gibson, Victoria" <Victoria.Gibson@dep.state.fl.us>

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Vielhauer, Trina

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Rebecca Robinette Sr. Ass't. General Counsel Florida Department of Environmental Protection 3900 Commonwealth Blvd., MS 35 Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000 (850) 245-2278 Fax. 245-2302 Rebecca.Robinette@dep.state.fl.us

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December 22, 2006

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Ms. Kristin Henry Sierra Club 85 Second Street, 2nd Floor San Francisco, California 94105 <u>kristin.henry@sierraclub.org</u>

RE: Notification Request

Dear Ms. Henry:

We are in receipt of your letter dated December 19, 2006 regarding notifications of all future actions taken regarding power plants in Florida. We appreciate Sierra Club's interest in power plant permitting activities in Florida. We will add the Sierra Club (c/o Ms. Henry and Ms. Spalding) to our mailing list for our recently received application for the Florida Power & Light Glades Power Park and the pending Seminole Electric Cooperative Palatka Generating Station project. However, our statutes do not require nor our tracking systems allow us to track notification requests for as yet unsubmitted PSD applications or Site Certification projects. Upon issuance of any Department action, the applicant will publish notice in a newspaper of general circulation. Please contact our Office of General Counsel if you have questions regarding the petition or official comment period requirements.

The Department will be posting documents related to power plant Site Certification at the following websites:

Main Website for Siting Coordination Office:

http://www.dep.state.fl.us/siting/default.htm

Web Site for Power Plant Siting Overview:

http://www.dep.state.fl.us/siting/Programs/Power Plant Siting Overview.htm

Web Site for Power Plant Applications in Process:

http://www.dep.state.fl.us/siting/Highlights/applications in process.htm

In addition, the Department's Division of Air Resource Management will be posting documents related to power plant PSD projects at the following websites:

Main Website for Division of Air Resource Management:

http://www.dep.state.fl.us/Air/default.htm

Web Site for New Source Review PSD Construction Permits:

http://www.dep.state.fl.us/Air/permitting/construction.htm

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You may also email or telephone Mr. Koerner, Mr. Halpin or myself to inquire about the status of power plant applications. Upon identification of a specific pending project the Sierra Club is interested in, please email us your request to be notified of further actions on that pending project.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Koerner or me at 850/488-0114 and Mr. Halpin at 850/245-8002. In addition, you may contact Ms. Robinette or Mr. Goorland in our Office of General Counsel at 850/245-2242.

Sincerely,

Trina L. Vielhauer, Chief Bureau of Air Regulation

TLV/jk

Ms. Joanne Spalding, Sierra Club* joanne.spalding@sierraclub.org cc:

Mr. Michael Halpin, DEP Siting Coordination Office* mike.halpin@dep.state.fl.us
Mr. Scott Goorland, DEP Office of General Counsel* scott.goorland@dep.state.fl.us

Ms. Rebecca Robinette, DEP Office of General Counsel* rebecca.robinette@dep.state.fl.us

(*) All of the above cc's were sent an electronic copy with received receipt requested.



December 19, 2006

Via Electronic Mail: mike.halpin@dep.state.fl.us

jeff.koerner@dep.state.fl.us trina.vielhauer@dep.state.fl.us

Trina Vielhauer Mike Halpin Jeff Koerner Florida Department of Environmental Protection Bureau of Air Regulation 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS #5505 Tallahassee, FL 32399-2400

RE: Notification of all future actions taken regarding power plants in Florida

Dear Ms. Vielhauer, Mr. Halpin and Mr. Koerner,

I am writing on behalf of the Sierra Club to request that the Club be notified of all future proposed or final actions by the Florida Department of Environmental Protection related to any power plant in Florida. The phrase "all future proposed or final actions" includes, but is not limited to, all future notifications regarding initiation of certification processes, proposed draft air permits, such as "Written Notices of Intent to Issue Air Permit," final air permits, comments submitted to the agency regarding proposed power plants, and Florida Department of Environmental Protection's response to such comments. The phrase "any power plant in Florida" includes any proposed new coal-fired power plants and expansion of existing coal-fired power plants. In addition to this general notification request, the Club specifically requests notification of all future Florida Department of Environmental Protection proposed or final actions for the following power plants:

- Florida Power & Light Glades Power Park
- Lakeland Electric's Expansion of its McIntosh Facility
- Orlando Utilities Commission and Southern Power Company proposed power plant in Orange County, Florida
- Gainesville Regional Utilities proposed power plant in Gainesville, Florida

- Seminole Electric Cooperative Palatka Generating Station
- Taylor Energy Center

All future notifications should be sent to the following individuals at the Sierra Club:

Kristin Henry Sierra Club 85 Second Street, 2nd Floor San Francisco, CA 94105 <u>kristin.henry@sierraclub.org</u> 415-977-5716 Joanne Spalding Sierra Club 85 Second Street, 2nd Floor San Francisco, CA 94105 joanne.spalding@sierraclub.org 415-977-5725

Please note that this request does not supersede any prior or future requests for notification submitted by individual Sierra Club members or representatives. If you have any questions regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Kristin Henry