



4014 NW 13th STREET
GAINESVILLE, FL 32609-1923
352/377-5822 ■ FAX/377-7158

Via UPS

RECEIVED

JUL 23 2009

BUREAU OF AIR REGULATION

Mr. Syed Arif, PE
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
New Source Review Section
2600 Blairstone Road
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

SUBJECT: *CEMEX Construction Materials Florida, LLC
Brooksville South Cement Plant; Brooksville, Florida
Project No. 0530021-016-AC; Request for Extension*

Dear Syed: *File: 0530021-024-AC / PSD-FL-0919*

CEMEX Construction Materials Florida, LLC (CEMEX) through its consultant, Koogler and Associates, Inc. (Koogler), hereby requests an extension of time in which to install the Tire Injection Mechanism System (TIMS) on Kiln 1. On March 4, 2009, the Department authorized CEMEX to install the TIMS on Kiln 1 (Permit Modification under DEP File No. 0530021-016-AC/PSD-FL-091F) and to allow tires to be introduced into the kiln at the front-end in addition to the base of the preheater. This permit modification required compliance testing within 180 days after installation of the TIMS. Based on immediate installation of the equipment, this would require compliance testing to be performed while using the TIMS on Kiln 1 no later than about September 1, 2009.

Due to the economic downturn of the cement industry, capital funding for plant construction projects has been delayed or withdrawn. This has caused the funding for the fabrication and installation of the TIMS on Kiln 1 to be delayed. Although the TIMS installation was planned for last year immediately upon receiving approval, the project has been delayed due to the lack of capital funding. Installation of TIMS will also be delayed due to the fabrication time of the TIMS (can take longer than 4 months) and because CEMEX will likely only run one of the kilns (most likely Kiln 2) during most of this year (again, due to the economic downturn). Therefore,

CEMEX requests to extend the requirement to perform compliance testing (and thereby the time in which to install TIMS on Kiln 1) until **September 1, 2010** (one additional year).

If you should have any questions regarding this application, please do not hesitate to contact me at (352) 377-5822 or FBergen@kooglerassociates.com, or Mr. George Townsend, CEMEX Brooksville South Environmental Manager, at (352) 799-7881 or GTownsend@cemexusa.com.

Very truly yours,

KOOGLER AND ASSOCIATES, INC.



Fawn Bergen, PE
Senior Engineer

copy to: J. Daniel, CEMEX
L. Deprimo, CEMEX
G. Townsend, CEMEX