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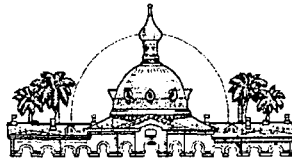
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Mr. John C. Brown, Jr., P. E.
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RE: Acid Rain Application, Hillsborough County Resource Recovery Facility
AIRS ID: 057-0261

Dear Mr. Brown:

Hillsborough County is in receipt of your letter of November 30, 1995, regarding applications for acid rain permits.

The Hillsborough County Resource Recovery Facility (Facility) is not by definition an "Acid Rain Source" and thus does not contain an "Acid Rain Unit." Pursuant to Chapter 62-214.320(h), F.A.C., the Facility burns significantly less than 20 percent of fossil fuel as described in 40 C.F.R. 72.6(b)(7). The Facility operates as a municipal solid waste combustion unit and does not burn fossil fuels.

The Facility was originally equipped with auxiliary natural gas burners for start-up but these have been disconnected and off-line for several years.

Should you have any questions regarding this Facility or applicability pursuant to Chapter 62-214, F. A. C., please contact Thomas Smith at (813) 276-2909.

Sincerely,

Daryl H. Smith, Director
Department of Solid Waste

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