

DEP ROUTING AND TRANSMITTAL SLIP

TO: (NAME, OFFICE, LOCATION) 3. _____

1. JEFF KOERNER- ARM 4. _____

2. MAIL STATION 5505 – MAGNOLIA PLAZA 5. _____

PLEASE PREPARE REPLY FOR:
____ SECRETARY'S SIGNATURE
____ DIV/DIST DIR SIGNATURE
____ MY SIGNATURE
____ YOUR SIGNATURE
____ DUE DATE: _____

ACTION/DISPOSITION:
____ DISCUSS WITH ME
____ COMMENTS/ADVISE
____ REVIEW AND RETURN
____ SET UP MEETING
____ FOR YOUR INFORMATION
____ HANDLE APPROPRIATELY
____ INITIAL AND FORWARD
____ SHARE WITH STAFF
____ FOR YOUR FILES

COMMENTS:
SCGC – 0990026-006-AC

05/12/2003

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BUREAU OF AIR REGULATION

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FROM: Mara Nasca / SD DATE: 5/9/2003 PHONE: SC 748-6975

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Before the undersigned authority personally appeared **Tracey Diglio**, who on oath says that she is **Telephone Sales Supervisor** of The Palm Beach Post, a daily and Sunday newspaper published at West Palm Beach in Palm Beach County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertising, being **Notice** in the matter of **Permit # 0990026-006-AC** was published in said newspaper in the issues of **April 26, 2003**. Affiant further says that the said The Post is a newspaper published at West Palm Beach, in said Palm Beach County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in said Palm Beach County, Florida, daily and Sunday and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in West Palm Beach, in said Palm Beach County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that she/he 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.

Tracey Diglio

Sworn to and subscribed before this 28th day of April, A.D. 2003

[Signature]

Personally known **XX** or Produced Identification _____

Type of Identification Produced _____



NO. 7604492
PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT
TO ISSUE AIR
CONSTRUCTION PERMIT
STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF
ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION
Draft Air Permit
No. 0990026-006-AC
Sugar Cane Growers Coop-
erative of Florida, Inc.
Glades Sugar House
Boilers 1 and 2-

Grate Replacement Project
The Department of Environ-
mental Protection (Depart-
ment) gives notice of its
intent to issue an air con-
struction permit to the Sugar
Cane Growers Cooperative
of Florida, Inc. to replace the
existing traveling grates with
water-cooled pinhole grates
for Boilers 1 and 2. The
existing sugar mill is located
in Belle Glade at 1500 West
Sugar House Road in Palm
Beach County, Florida. The
applicant's authorized rep-
resentative is Mr. Jose F.
Alvarez, the V.P. of Plan-
ning and Plant Operations.
The applicant's mailing
address is Sugar Cane
Growers Cooperative of
Florida Inc., P.O. Box 666,
Belle Glade, FL 33430-
0666.

The applicant proposes to
perform the following work:
replacement of the existing
fuel grates, addition of a
new combustion air fan,
modification of the combus-
tion air distribution to pro-
vide more over-tire air, and
the repair of concrete sup-
ports and refractory near the
grates. The project should
not increase hourly or
annual emissions of air pol-
lutants, but should result in
more efficient combustion
with the firing of less
bagasse to produce the
same amount of steam. The
project is a cost effective
alternative to continued rou-
tine repair of the traveling
grates. The draft permit con-
tains conditions to verify that
the project will not increase
pollutant emission rates or
result in increased boiler
capacities. As a routine
replacement, the project is
not subject to PSD precon-
struction review.

The Department will issue the
Final Permit with the
attached conditions unless
a response received in
accordance with the follow-
ing procedures results in a
different decision or signifi-
cant change of terms or
conditions. The Depart-
ment will accept written
comments concerning the
proposed permit issuance
action for a period of four-
teen (14) days from the date
of publication of this Public
Notice of Intent to issue Air
Construction Permit. Writ-
ten comments should be
provided to the Depart-
ment's Bureau of Air Regu-
lation at 2600 Blair Stone
Road, Mail Station # 5505,
Tallahassee, FL 32399-
2400. Any written com-
ments filed shall be made
available for public inspec-
tion. If written comments
received result in a signifi-
cant change in the pro-
posed 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 F.S. before the
deadline for filing a petition.
The procedures for peti-
tioning for a hearing are set
forth below. Mediation is not
available for this proceed-
ing.

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 F.S.
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 Com.

Florida: 82399-3000.

Petitions filed by the permit applicant or any of the parties listed below must be filed within fourteen (14) days of receipt of this notice of intent. Petitions filed by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section 120.60(3), F.S., must be filed within fourteen (14) days of publication of the public notice or within fourteen (14) days of receipt of this notice of intent, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Department for notice of agency action may file a petition within fourteen (14) 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 at the time of filing. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention will be only at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.

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; (e) 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 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 same information as set forth above, as required by Rule 28-106.301, F.A.C.

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
(111 S. Magnolia Drive, Suite 4)
2600 Blair Stone Road,
MS #5505
Tallahassee, Florida
32399-2400
Telephone: 850/488-0114
Dept. of Environmental Protection
South District Office
Air Resources Section
2295 Victoria Avenue,
Suite 364
Fort Myers, FL 33901-3381
Telephone: 239/332-6975
Palm Beach County
Health Department
Environmental Health & Engineering
Air Pollution Control Section
P.O. Box 29
(901 Evernia Street)
West Palm Beach, FL
33402-0029

Telephone: (561) 355-3136
The complete project file includes the application, Technical Evaluation and Preliminary Determination, Draft Permit, and the information submitted by the responsible official, exclusive of confidential records under Section 403.111, F.S. Interested persons may contact the Department's reviewing engineer for this project for additional information at the address and phone numbers listed above.

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