

Memorandum

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

TO: Trina Vielhauer, Bureau of Air Regulation
THROUGH: Jonathan Holtom, New Source Review
FROM: Corrie Branum, New Source Review
DATE: April 22, 2008
SUBJECT: Extension of Expiration Date for Exemption to Obtain an Air Construction Permit
Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.
Seminole Generating Station
Project No. 1070025-008-AC
Extension of Project No. 1070025-006-AC

Attached for your approval and signature is a modification to extend the expiration date for the above referenced air permit exemption. On October 16, 2007, the Department issued a letter conditionally exempting Seminole Electric Cooperative from obtaining an air construction permit to conduct a trial of wet coal additive RAMSORB 200 (Project No. 1070025-006-AC). The authorization contains an expiration date of May 1, 2008. On April 15, 2008, the Department received a request to extend the expiration date of this permit for the following reasons.

- The permittee requests additional time to complete the trial due to lack of sufficient rain necessary.
- The permittee requests that the extension to the expiration date be extended from May 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

Based on the circumstances and information provided, I recommend your approval and signature.

Attachments



Florida Department of Environmental Protection

Bob Martinez Center
2600 Blair Stone Road
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400

Charlie Crist
Governor

Jeff Kottkamp
Lt. Governor

Michael W. Sole
Secretary

April 22, 2008

Sent by Electronic Mail – Received Receipt Requested

Mr. Juan Ramirez, Senior Environmental Engineer
Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.
16313 North Dale Mabry Highway
Tampa, Florida 33618

Re: Extension of Expiration Date for Exemption From Requirement to Obtain an Air Construction Permit
Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.
Seminole Generating Station
Project No. 1070025-008-AC
Extension of Project No. 1070025-006-AC

Dear Mr. Ramirez:

On October 9, 2007, Seminole Electric Cooperative requested an exemption from the requirement to obtain an air construction permit to conduct a trial of wet coal additive RAMSORB 200. On October 16, 2007, the Department issued a letter conditionally exempting the trial from the requirement to obtain an air construction permit. That authorization contains an expiration date of May 1, 2008. On April 15, 2008, Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc. requested an extension to the expiration date due to the lack of sufficient rain needed to conduct the trial. Based on the circumstances and information provided, the Department approves this request.

Determination: The expiration date is hereby extended from **May 1, 2008** to **December 31, 2008** to provide the necessary time to complete the trial. This permitting action does not authorize any new construction. A copy of this letter shall be maintained at the site of the proposed activity. This permitting decision is issued pursuant to Chapter 403, Florida Statutes.

Permitting Authority: Applications for air construction permits are subject to review in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-4, 62-210, and 62-212 of the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The Department of Environmental Protection's Bureau of Air Regulation is the Permitting Authority responsible for making a determination for this project. The Permitting Authority's physical address is: 111 South Magnolia Drive, Suite #4, Tallahassee, Florida 32301. The Permitting Authority's mailing address is: 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS #5505, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400. The Permitting Authority's telephone number is 850/488-0114.

Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. The petition must contain the information set forth below and must be filed with (received by) the Department's Agency Clerk in the Office of General Counsel of the Department of Environmental Protection, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station #35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000 (Telephone: 850/245-2241 / Facsimile: 850/245-2303). Petitions must be filed within 21 days of receipt of this permit extension. 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 (in a proceeding initiated by another party) 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 Permitting Authority'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 when and how each petitioner received notice of the agency action or proposed decision; (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact; (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 including an explanation of how the alleged facts relate to the specific rules or statutes; 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 Permitting Authority'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 Permitting Authority's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this written notice. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Permitting Authority on the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

Mediation: Mediation is not available in this proceeding.

Effective Date: This permitting decision is final and effective on the date filed with the clerk of the Department unless a petition is filed in accordance with the above paragraphs or unless a request for extension of time in which to file a petition is filed within the time specified for filing a petition pursuant to Rule 62-110.106, F.A.C., and the petition conforms to the content requirements of Rules 28-106.201 and 28-106.301, F.A.C. Upon timely filing of a petition or a request for extension of time, this action will not be effective until further order of the Department.

Judicial Review: Any party to this permitting decision (order) has the right to seek judicial review of it under Section 120.68, F.S., by filing a notice of appeal under Rule 9.110 of the Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure with the clerk of the Department of Environmental Protection in the Office of General Counsel, Mail Station #35, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-3000, and by filing a copy of the notice of appeal accompanied by the applicable filing fees with the appropriate District Court of Appeal. The notice must be filed within 30 days after this order is filed with the clerk of the Department.

Executed in Tallahassee, Florida.



Trina Vielhauer, Chief
Bureau of Air Regulation

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned duly designated deputy agency clerk hereby certifies that this written notice of permit extension was sent by electronic mail with received receipt requested before the close of business on 4/22/08 to the persons listed below.

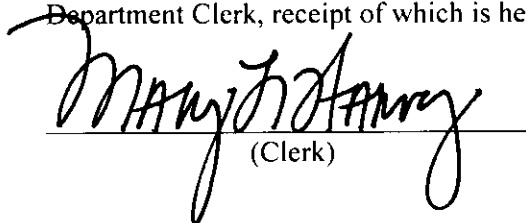
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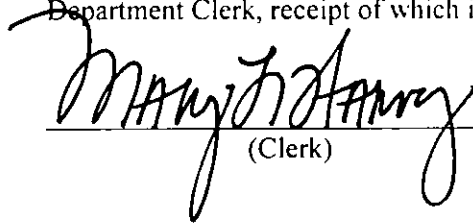
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Cc: Branum, Corrie; Holtom, Jonathan; Walker, Elizabeth (AIR); Gibson, Victoria
Subject: Extension - Project #1070025-008-AC and 006-AC - Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.
Attachments: Document.pdf

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Sent: Tuesday, April 22, 2008 3:04 PM
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Received.

Thank you,

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