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August 29, 2012

Jeffery Koerner
Program Administrator
Office of Permitting and Compliance
Division of Air Resource Management
Florida Department of Environmental Protection
2600 Blair Stone Road
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2400

Re: Seminole Generationg Station Draft Permit No. (10700025-019-AC) (PSD-FL-018B) Proof of Public Notice for the Revision of an Air Construction Permit.

Dear Mr. Koerner,

Enclosed you will find the required proof of public notice for the incorporation of the permit changes to the Seminole Generating Station's Air Construction Permit.

If you have any questions or need additional information please contact me at (813) 730-1219.

Sincerely,

Juan Ramirez

Senior Environmental Engineer

Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Enclosure: Public Notice from the Palatka Daily News

## STATE OF FLORIDA

County of Putnam

The undersigned personally appeared before me, a Notary Public for the State of Florida, and deposes that the Palatka Daily News is a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed in the English language and published in the City of Palatka in said County and State; and that the attached order, notice, publication and/or advertisement:

Florida Department of Environmental Protection

Was published in said 1 time(s) with said publication being made on the following dates:

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The Palatka Daily News has been continuously published as a daily newspaper, and has been entered as second class matter at the post office at the City of Palatka, Putnam County, Florida, each for a period of more than one year next preceding the date of the first publication of the above described order, notice, and/or advertisement.

Sworn to and subscribed before me 11th day of August, 2012 By Joie Chitwood, Administrative Assistant, of the Palatka Daily News, a Florida corporation on behalf to the corporation.

Mary Kaye Wells, Notary Public My commission expires July 22, 2015

Notary Seal Seal of Office:

- \_x\_ Personally known to me, or Produced identification:
- \_x\_ Did take an oath



## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Florida Department of Environmental Protection Division of Air Resource Management, Office of Permitting and Compilance Draft Air Permit No. Air Permit No. 1070025-019-AC (PSD-FL-018B) Seminole Generating Station Units 1 and 2 Putnam County

Applicant: The applicant for this project is Seminote Electric Cooperative, inc. The applicant's authorized representative and mailing address are: William M. Roddy, Director of Environmental Affairs, Seminote Electric Cooperative, inc., Post Office Box 272000, Tampa, Florida 33688-2000, Project: Units 1 and 2 are coal and petroleum coke fueld, dry bottom wall fifted bollers with a nominal gross generator rating of 736 megawatts. Units 1 and 2 are each equipped with the following air pollution control and measurement

tem to control nitrogen oxides (NOX); an alkali injection system to control sultric acid mist emissions; a wet ilmestone flue gas desultrization (FGD) system (scrubber) to control SO2; continuous emissions monitoring systems (CEMS) to measure and record NOX and SO2 emissions; and a continuous pacity monitoring system (COMS) to measure and record the opacity of the exitations.

This project removes petroleum coke as an authorized fuel for Seminole Electric Units 1 and 2, authorizes improvements to the scrubbers and establishes SO2 emissions standards of 95 percent removal or 0.25 pounds per million Btu (IbMMBIs) heat input on a 30-day rolling average. These conditions shall become effective upon the effective date of EPA's approval of these specific requirements in the Florida Regional Haze State Implementation Plan, and the compliance date for the emission standard shall be as soon as practicable after its effectiveness, but no later than March 1, 2016. A review pursuant to Rule 52-212-400, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), Prevention of Significant Determination of Best Available Control Technology (BACT) was not required.

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 proposed project is not exempt from air permitting required to perform the proposed work. The Permitting Authority responsible for making a permit determination for this project is the Office of Permitting and Compliance in the Department of Environmental Protection's Division of Air Resource Management. The Permitting Authority's physical address is: 111 South Magnoila Drive, Sulte #4, Taliahassee, Florida. The Permitting Authority's physical address is: 2600 Blair Stone Road, MS: #5505, Taliahassee, Florida 32399-2400. The Permitting Authority's phone number is 850-717-9000.

Project File: A complete project file is available for public Inspection during the normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except legal holidays), at the physical address indicated above for the Permitting Authority. The complete project file includes the dreft permit, the Technical Evaluation and Pre-liminary Determination, the application and information submitted by the applicant (exclusive of confidential records under Section 403.111, F.S.). Interested persons may contact the Permitting Authority's project engineer for additional information at the address and phone number listed above. In addition, electronic copies of these documents may be accessed by entering permit No. 1070025-019-AC on the following website: http://www.dep.state.fl.us/alr/emisslon/apds./default.asp

Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit: The Permitting Authority gives notice of its lintent to issue an air construction permit to the applicant for the project described above. The applicant has provided reasonable assurance that operation of proposed equipment will not adversely impact air quality and that the project will comply with all appropriate provisions of Chapters 62-4, 62-204, 62 210, 62-212, 62-296 and 62 297, F.A. C. The Permitting Authority will issue a final permit in accordance with the conditions of the draft permit unless a timely petition for an administrative hearing is filed under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. or unless public comment received in accordance with this notice results in a different decision or a significant change of terms or conditions.

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Comments: The Permitting Authority will accept written comments concerning the draft permit for a period of 14 days from the date of publication of the Public Notice. Written comments must be received by the Permitting Authority by close of business. (5:00 p.m.) on or before the end of this 14-day period. If written comments received result in a significant change to the draft permit, the Permitting Authority shall revise the draft permit and require, if applicable, another Public Notice. All comments filed will be made available for public inspection.

Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed feed by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hosting in accordance with sections 120.589 and 120.57, F.S. The petition must contain the information set forth betow and must be flief with (received to the permitting of the proposed for in the Office of General Counsel of the Department's Agency Clerk in the Office of General Counsel of the Department of Environmental Protection at 3800 Centrological Scales, and the Counsel of the Department of Environmental Protection at 3298-3000. Petitions filled by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section (20.6(3), F.S., flust be filled within 14 days of publication of this Public Notice or receipt of a written notice, whichever occurs first. Under Section, 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action may fille a petition within 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 filling. The failure of any inperson to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a walver 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, inditated by another party) will be only at the approval of the presiding of 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 and each of the presiding of the presidence of the presidence of the petitioner of the pet

Mediation: Mediation is not available for this proceeding.

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