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Ms. Danielle Henry
FDEP, Southwest District
13051 N. Telecom Parkway
Temple Terrace, FL 33637-0926

BUREAU OF AIR REGULATION

RE: American Cement Company, LLC
Postponement of Stack Testing and Other Initial Compliance Testing
EU-002, EU-003, EU-004, EU-007
Air Permit No. 1190042-001-AC

Dear Ms. Henry:

American Cement Company, LLC is requesting a postponement of Stack Testing and other Initial Compliance Testing of Emission Units in Table 1. Each Emission Unit is inter-dependent affecting the ability to perform required tests.

Table 1:

EU ID	Emission Unit Description
002	Raw Materials, Conveying, Storage, and Processing. From raw material and additive storage to preheater (includes conveyance of raw materials and raw meal to and from raw mill, and homogenizing silo).
003	Pyroprocessing System. Includes kiln, preheater/calcliner, raw mill, air heater, and clinker cooler.
004	Clinker and Additives Storage and Handling. Includes clinker handling from clinker cooler to clinker silo discharge, and clinker and additive handling from storage to finish mill.
007	Coal and Petroleum Coke Grinding System. Includes coal/petroleum coke handling from unloading to the pulverized fuel bin.

The kiln operation has been hindered by engineering issues and mechanical failures preventing the kiln to operate on a consistent basis at throughput levels required by regulation to complete the stack testing and initial compliance testing. Over the past several months the equipment supplier has made an extensive effort to solve the issues with no definitive solution to date. However, we believe the solution is imminent and will be implemented soon.

If you would like, American Cement Company, LLC will meet with you to discuss the circumstances leading to this request for postponement of stack testing and other initial compliance testing.

Sincerely,

AMERICAN CEMENT COMPANY, LLC

Charles Robertson
Environmental Manager

Copies to: Mr. Al Linero, Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Dr. John Koogler, Koogler and Associates, Inc.
Mr. Cary Cohrs, American Cement Company, LLC
Mr. William Wall, American Cement Company, LLC