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Mr. Jeff Koerner  
Administration New Source Review  
FDEP  
2600 Blair Stone Road  
MS 5500  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

**RE: Request for Mercury CEMS Installation Extension**  
**American Cement Company, LLC**  
**Title V Permit No. 1190042-001-AC**  
*1190042-666-AC*

Dear Mr. Koerner:

American Cement Company, LLC kindly requests the department to grant a 180 day extension related to the installation of its stack mercury emissions monitor.

Our Permit (No. 119-0042-001-AC) requires the installation to be installed within 60 days following initial clinker production. Over the past 11 months we have struggled with various design issues in the plant and only recently complete our stack emission testing. To date the plant has only operated at 23.6% of its capacity.

American Cement Company continues to monitor our mercury inputs via material balance and operate the plan in strict accordance with our permit limits. The 180 day extension will afford us the opportunity to address the remaining design issues and evaluate properly the mercury monitor to be installed. Clearly, we are suffering during this economic downturn and the extension will allow us more time to purchase a strong system economically.

Thank you for your consideration. Should you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

AMERICAN CEMENT COMPANY, LLC

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Cary O. Cohrs'.

Cary O. Cohrs  
President