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August 2, 2006

Mr. Herman Criss Fraley
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886 North, Highway 17
Palatka, FL 32177

Re: Final Air Construction Permit No.: 1070039-011-AC
Proposed Title V Air Operation Permit Revision Project No.: 1070039-012-AV
Revision to Title V Air Operation Permit No.: 1070039-008-AV
Palatka Plant

Dear Mr. Fraley:

One copy of the "PROPOSED Determination" for the a Title V Air Operation Permit for the for the Plant located at 200 Riviera Blvd., St. Augustine, St. Johns County, Florida, is enclosed. This letter is only a courtesy to inform you that the DRAFT Permit has become a PROPOSED Permit.

An electronic version of this determination has been posted on the Division of Air Resources Management's world wide web site for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Region 4 office's review. The web site address is:

"http://www.dep.state.fl.us/air/permitting/airpermits/AirSearch_ltd.asp"

Pursuant to Section 403.0872(6), Florida Statutes, if no objection to the PROPOSED Permit is made by the USEPA within 45 days, the PROPOSED Permit will become a FINAL Permit no later than 55 days after the date on which the PROPOSED Permit was mailed (posted) to USEPA. If USEPA has an objection to the PROPOSED Permit, the FINAL Permit will not be issued until the permitting authority receives written notice that the objection is resolved or withdrawn.

If you should have any questions, please contact Khalid Al-Nahdy, P.E. at (904) 807-3243.

Sincerely,

Christopher L. Kirts, P.E.
District Air Program Administrator

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Enclosures

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PROPOSED Determination

Title V Air Operation Permit
PROPOSED Permit No.: 1070039-012-AV
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I. Public Notice.

An “INTENT TO ISSUE A TITLE V AIR OPERATION PERMIT RENEWAL” to Lafarge Corporation for the Plant located at 886 North Highway 17, Palatka, Putnam County, Florida was clerked on May 21, 2006. The “INTENT TO ISSUE A TITLE V AIR OPERATION PERMIT RENEWAL” was published in the Palatka Daily News Record on July 1, 2006. The DRAFT Permit was available for public inspection at the Northeast District Air Program in Jacksonville. Proof of publication of the “INTENT TO ISSUE A TITLE V AIR OPERATION PERMIT RENEWAL” was received on August 2, 2006.

II. Public Comment(s).

(1) No comments were received during the 30 (thirty) day public comment period. Since no comments were received, the DRAFT Permit becomes the PROPOSED Permit.

III. Conclusion.

(1) Since there were no comments received during the Public Notice period, no changes were made to the DRAFT Permit and the permitting authority hereby issues the PROPOSED Permit.