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Via Electronic Mail

May 27, 2020

Ms. Mary Walker Regional Administrator U. S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) – Region 4 61 Forsyth Street, SW – Mail Code: 9T25 Atlanta, GA 30303-8909

Re: Air Program Pre-Hearing Submittal: Proposed Revision to Florida's Pending 111(d) State Plan for Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incinerators

Dear Ms. Walker,

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 40 C.F.R. 60.23, the Department of Environmental Protection (Department) is accepting comments and will hold a public hearing, if requested, on a proposed revision to Florida's Pending 111(d) State Plan submittal for Commercial Industrial Solid Waste Incinerators (CISWIs).

Florida's original 111(d) State Plan was submitted on February 6, 2014 and was subsequently amended on May 31, 2017. This second revision to Florida's 111(d) State Plan submittal proposes to revise the previous submittals to provide for an equivalent production-based particulate matter emission limit for units in the waste-burning kiln subcategory.

The notice of opportunity to submit comments and request a public hearing was published on May 27, 2020, in the Florida Administrative Register. The public hearing, if requested, will be held on July 8, 2020. Copies of the public notice and pre-hearing State Plan submittal are enclosed. Pursuant to 60.23(g), the Department is using alternative public participation procedures that EPA has approved for the submittal of this pre-hearing State Plan submittal. These approved alternative public participation requirements allow the Department to cancel the July 8, 2020 public hearing if no hearing is requested by June 26, 2020.

Your review and comments prior to the hearing will be appreciated. The Department respectfully requests that EPA provide any comments on this submittal by June 26, 2020.

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If you have any questions about this proposed revision to Florida's Pending 111(d) CISWI State Plan submittal, please contact Hastings Read at (850) 717-9017 or by e-mail at <u>Hastings.Read@FloridaDEP.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

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cc (with State Plan package): Kenneth L. Mitchell, PhD, Acting Division Director, Air & Radiation Division, EPA Region 4; Katy Lusky, Acting Chief, Air Analysis and Support Branch, Region 4.

Enclosures:

- 1. Notice published May 27, 2020 in the Florida Administrative Register;
- 2. Pre-Hearing State Plan Submittal: Proposed Revision to Florida's Pending 111(d) State Plan for Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incinerators