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October 26, 2012

Mr. Thomas Metzger
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2580 West Main Street, #200
Littleton, CO 80120

**Re: Grays Harbor Energy Units 3 and 4 PSD/NOC Permit No. EFSEC/2009-02:
Completeness of Application for Permit Renewal**

Dear Mr. Metzger:

On April 6, 2012, the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (EFSEC) received an 18-month extension request for Grays Harbor Energy (GHE) Units 3 and 4 Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) permit. EFSEC contracted with the Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) to review and process the extension request. The purpose of GHE's request is to extend the construction deadline.

Based on Ecology's recommendation, EFSEC has determined the PSD/NOC application to be "complete" relative to state standards as of October 8, 2012. A copy of Ecology's recommendation is enclosed.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to contact me at (360) 664-1362 or jlaspina@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Jim LaSpina
Siting Specialist

Enclosure

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October 18, 2012

Mr. Stephen Posner
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Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council
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Subject: PSD/NOC EFSEC/2009-02 Application for 18-Month Extension, Completeness Determination

Dear Mr. Posner:

The Department of Ecology (Ecology), on behalf of the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (EFSEC), has conducted a review of the 18-month extension request for PSD Permit No. EFSEC/2009-02. Ecology's review included the additional information submitted by Grays Harbor Energy (GHE) in response to EFSEC's letter of incompleteness dated July 11, 2012. Ecology recommends that EFSEC determine the application to be complete relative to state standards as of October 8, 2012.

At EFSEC's request, Ecology will prepare a draft revised PSD/NOC permit and a Technical Support Document for EFSEC's approval. This permit will be an update of the existing PSD and NOC permits. While drafting the permit, EFSEC and Ecology will consult with GHE as necessary.

During the permit preparation period, GHE and its consultant, Environ, are encouraged to contact EFSEC's Jim LaSpina at (360) 664-1362 or jlaspina@utc.wa.gov, or Ecology's permit writer, Bob Burmark, at (360) 407-6812 or robert.burmark@ecy.wa.gov with any questions.

Sincerely,

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