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## **CERTIFIED MAIL**

September 4, 2015

Ryan Carlson MidAmerican Energy 4299 NW Urbandale Drive P.O. Box 657 Des Moines, Iowa 50322

Re:

Revocation of Air Quality Permit Numbers 72-A-010-S1, 72-A-009-S1, 05-A-

637-S1, 95-A-030-S4, 95-A-029-S5, 97-A-969, 97-A-970, and 97-A-971

Facility #82-02-006

Dear Mr. Carlson,

I am responding to your letter dated July 27, 2015 that requested the rescission of the above-mentioned Air Quality Construction Permits. The letter stated the equipment associated with the above-mentioned construction permits is no longer in operation, making the above-mentioned construction permits no longer necessary. According to the provisions of the Iowa Administrative Procedure Act found at Iowa Code section 17A.18, you have a right to an evidentiary contested case hearing prior to license revocation. DNR will regard your specific request for permit rescission as a waiver of your rights under Iowa Code section 17A.18, unless you inform DNR in writing, within 30 days of your receipt of this letter, that it is not your intent to waive your rights under this provision.

Please call me at 515-725-9572 if you wish to discuss this matter or have any questions. If I do not hear from you within 30 days of your receipt of this letter, DNR will regard the above-mentioned construction permits, as well as any previous permits for the equipment, as having been revoked. If at any time the equipment is placed back into service, please contact the DNR to obtain new air quality construction permits.

Sincerely.

Kelli Book

Attorney for the DNR

cc: #7230

**DNR Field Office 6** 

## Book, Kelli [DNR]

From:

Tomlinson, Taylor [DNR]

Sent:

Monday, August 24, 2015 11:49 AM

To:

Book, Kelli [DNR]

Subject:

Mid American Bettendorf Rescission Request

Attachments:

MidAmericanCoverLetter.pdf

Kelli,

I have attached here my project's cover letter, which requests the rescission for several permits. Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Thank you,

## Taylor Tomlinson, Environmental Engineer



Iowa Department of Natural Resources

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July 27, 2015

Ms. Sarah Piziali Air Quality Bureau Iowa Department of Natural Resources 7900 Hickman Road, Suite 1 Windsor Heights, IA 50324

Re: Construction Permit Application and Permit Rescission Request for the

Riverside Generating Station; Facility Plant Number 82-02-006

Dear Ms. Piziali:

MidAmerican Energy Company is making this submittal to address permit changes at the Riverside Generating Station to reflect the facility ceasing to use coal as a fuel for combustion. The submittal includes a construction permit application for Boiler 9 (EP/EU-1), and a request to rescind applicable construction permits.

The attached construction permit application forms seek to modify the existing construction permit for EP-1, IDNR Construction Permit No. 93-A-339-S1, to reflect the continued operation of Boiler 9 (EU-1) on natural gas only, and the retirement of Boiler 7 (EU-3) and Boiler 8 (EU-2). Please note that there has been no physical modification to Boiler 9 to accommodate the natural gas only operating condition. Boiler 9 has always been capable of reaching full capacity on natural gas.

Additionally, MidAmerican is seeking to rescind applicable construction permits for equipment that will no longer be operated. A list of the construction permits to be rescinded is below. Boilers 7 and 8 have been retired. The remaining emission points covered by this request are related to the facility ceasing to utilize coal.

- Permit # 72-A-010-S1 Boiler #8
- Permit # 72-A-009-S1 Boiler #7
- Permit # 05-A-637-S1 Stockout File Deposit
   Permit # 95-A-030-S4 Coal Unloading; Coal Unloading Conveying; S Beltito Boom
- Permit # 95-A-029-S5 Tripper Floor Conveying
- Permit # 97-A-969 Flyash Storage Silo

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- Permit # 97-A-970 Boiler #9 Ash Filter/Separator System
- Permit # 97-A-971 800# Boilers Ash Filter/Separator System

A subsequent Title V modification application is being submitted to the department in parallel with this submittal.

If you have any questions related to this submittal, or if you need any additional information, please contact me at (515) 281-2371, or by email at rearlson@midamerican.com.

Sincerely

Ryan Carlson

Senior Environmental Analyst

**Enclosures**; Permit Application

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