

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
SOUTHWEST REGION - FIELD OPERATIONS  
AIR QUALITY  
400 WATERFRONT DRIVE  
PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15222-4745

OPERATING PERMIT

In accordance with provisions of the Air Pollution Control Act of January 8, 1960, P.L. 2119, as amended, and after due consideration of an application received under Chapter 127 of the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department hereby issues this permit for the operation of the air contamination source(s) described below.

Permit No.: 32-000-040

Owner : GPU Generation Corp.

Address : 1001 Broad Street  
Johnstown, PA 15907

Attention : T. E. McKenzie  
Environmental Air Manager

Source : Electric Generation Facility

Air Cleaning Devices : (As stated in the special conditions)

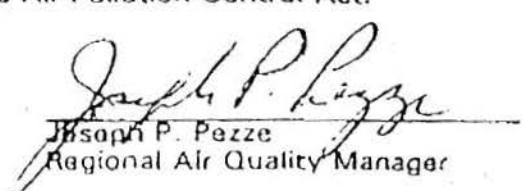
Plant: Seward Station  
Location: EastWheatfieldTownship  
County: Indiana

This permit is subject to the following conditions.

1. That the source and any associated air cleaning devices are to be:
  - (a) operated in such a manner as not to cause air pollution;
  - (b) in compliance with the specifications and conditions of the plan approval issued under the same number;
  - (c) operated and maintained in a manner consistent with good operating and management practices.
2. This permit is valid only for the specific equipment, location and owner named above.
3. See attached:

Failure to comply with the conditions placed on this permit is a violation of Section 127.444. Violation of this or any other provision of Article III of the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Environmental Protection will result in suspension or revocation of this permit and/or prosecution under Section 9 of the Air Pollution Control Act.

Reissued: April 30, 1998

  
Joseph P. Pezze  
Regional Air Quality Manager

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**COMPANY: GPU Generation Corp.**

4. GPU shall implement bias firing operating procedures on Boiler 12.
5. Annual  $\text{NO}_x$  (nitrogen oxides expressed as  $\text{NO}_2$ ) and VOC (volatile organic compound) emissions from Boiler 12 shall not exceed 808.11 tons of  $\text{NO}_x$  per year.
6.  $\text{NO}_x$  (nitrogen oxides as  $\text{NO}_2$ ) emissions from Boiler 12 shall not exceed 0.82 lb/mmbtu based on a thirty (30) day rolling average.
7.  $\text{NO}_x$  (nitrogen oxides as  $\text{NO}_2$ ) emissions, from Boiler 14 shall not exceed 0.50 lb/mmbtu based on a thirty (30) day rolling average.
8.  $\text{NO}_x$  (nitrogen oxides as  $\text{NO}_2$ ) emissions from Boiler 15 shall not exceed 0.51 lb/mmbtu based on a thirty (30) day rolling average.
11. The two emergency power diesel engines shall each be limited to operating less than 500 hours in any consecutive 12 month period.
12. Miscellaneous combustion sources (two emergency diesels and 13 space heaters) shall be operated in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. Each space heater shall be limited to a maximum heat input with 20 mmbtu/hr. The total amount and type of fuel burned in these sources shall be recorded and used as the basis for annual reporting of the emissions to verify compliance with the limits noted above.
13. The owner/operator shall maintain an operating log for the emergency diesels to verify compliance with the restriction on hours of operation and the presumptive RACT limitations.
14. All sources and air cleaning devices shall be operated and maintained in accordance with good air pollution control practices.
15. In accordance with 25 Pa Code §129.95, the owner/operator of this facility shall keep sufficient records to demonstrate compliance with the limitations, restrictions, and requirements of this RACT permit. These records shall provide sufficient data and calculations to clearly demonstrate compliance consistent with all averaging times and periods. These records shall be maintained for at least two years and be made available to the Department upon request.