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Mr. Stephen Nelson Chief Executive Officer Mountain State Energy Holdings, LLC 1375 Fort Martin Road Maidsville, West Virginia 26541

Dear Mr. Nelson:

I would like to inform you of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's response to the Mountain State Energy Holdings, LLC petition for reconsideration of the final action, "New Source Performance Standards for Greenhouse-Gas Emissions From New, Modified, and Reconstructed Fossil Fuel-Fired Electric Generating Units; Emission Guidelines for Greenhouse-Gas Emissions From Existing Fossil Fuel-Fired Electric Generating Units; and Repeal of the Affordable Clean Energy Rule," published in the *Federal Register* May 9, 2024.

After careful consideration of the issues raised, the EPA is denying the petition. The reasons for this conclusion are fully set forth in an enclosed document, "The EPA's Basis for Denying, in Part or Whole, Petitions for Reconsideration of the New Source Performance Standards for Greenhouse-Gas Emissions From New, Modified, and Reconstructed Fossil Fuel-Fired Electric Generating Units; Emission Guidelines for Greenhouse Gas Emissions From Existing Fossil Fuel-Fired Electric Generating Units; and Repeal of the Affordable Clean Energy Rule."

I appreciate your comments and interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

Jane Nishida Aeting Administrator