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TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
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August 6, 2010

MR PAUL RHODES
GENERAL MANAGER OF POWER PLANTS
SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY
PO BOX 1261
AMARILLO TX 79105-1261

Re: Final Revised Permit Approval
Significant Revision
Permit Number: O15
Southwestern Public Service Company
Harrington Station Power Plant
Amarillo, Potter County
Regulated Entity Number: RN100224849
Customer Reference Number: CN601481336
Account Number: PG-0041-R

Dear Mr. Rhodes:

The revised effective federal operating permit (FOP) for Southwestern Public Service Company, Harrington Station Power Plant, is enclosed. This letter constitutes authority to operate the changes identified in the FOP revision application.

All significant changes to site operating permits are subject to public petition for 60 days following the expiration of the 45-day U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) review. The public petition period for the FOP extends from July 3, 2010 until August 31, 2010. If the EPA receives a valid petition and objects to the above-referenced permit revision, you will be notified promptly by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ).

Please note changes have been made to the permit since commencement of the public notice period. A detailed explanation of these changes is enclosed.

Consistent with Title 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 122, Subchapter C, the permit holder shall submit an application to the Air Permits Division (APD) for a revision to an FOP for those activities at a site which change, add, or remove one or more FOP terms or conditions. The permit holder shall also submit an application to the APD for a revision to a permit to address the following: the adoption of an applicable requirement previously designated as federally enforceable only; the promulgation of a new applicable requirement; the adoption of a new state-only requirement; or a change in a state-only designation.

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Thank you again for your cooperation in this matter. If you have questions concerning the review or this notice, please contact Ms. Camilla Widenhofer at (512) 239-1028.

This action is taken under authority delegated by the Executive Director of the TCEQ.

Sincerely,



FOR
Steve Hagle, P.E., Director
Air Permits Division
Office of Permitting and Registration
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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cc: Mr. Kevin L. Worley, Environmental Coordinator, Southwestern Public Service Company,
Amarillo
Mr. Ron Dutton, Manager, Air and Water Compliance, Southwestern Public Service
Company, Amarillo
Air Section Manager, Region 1 - Amarillo

Enclosures: Modifications Made from the Draft to the Final Permit
Revised Effective Permit

cc: Air Permit Section Chief, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 - Dallas

Project Number: 13253