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## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

November 12, 2014

Mr. Michael A. Schiltz Vice President of Operations & Engineering American Power Group 2503 E. Poplar Street Algona, IA 50511

Re:

**Dual-Fuel Conversion System Assessment** 

Tracking No. **DF-2015-009** 

Dear Mr. Schiltz:

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has reviewed your request for a determination of the percentage reduction in nitrogen oxides ( $NO_X$ ) emissions that may be considered for a grant under the Emissions Reduction Incentive Grants (ERIG) Program to retrofit a heavy-duty on-road engine with the dual-fuel conversion system listed below.

| Manufacturer   | Engine Family | System Approval     | Fuel       |
|----------------|---------------|---------------------|------------|
|                |               | EPA                 |            |
|                |               | Heavy-Duty          |            |
| American Power |               | On-Road Engine      | Diesel/CNG |
| Group, Inc.    | DAPGH11.1DD1  | Outside Useful Life | Diesel/LNG |

This assessment is conducted under authority of Texas Health and Safety Code, §386.104(f-1), and the *Texas Emissions Reduction Plan: Guidelines for Emissions Reduction Incentive Grants (RG-388)*. Based on the information provided, the TCEQ has determined that a **16%** reduction in NO<sub>x</sub> emissions may be used in an application to the ERIG Program.

This determination only applies to a project to retrofit an engine included under the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) acceptance of the conversion system, as listed on the EPA's website at <a href="http://www.epa.gov/otaq/consumer/fuels/altfuels/altfuels.htm">http://www.epa.gov/otaq/consumer/fuels/altfuels/altfuels.htm</a>. The installation of the system must comply with all applicable EPA requirements.

This letter is provided solely to establish a percentage emissions reduction factor for use under the ERIG Program. The TCEQ has made no other determinations and provides no other approvals regarding the system.

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Thank you for your participation in this program. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Stephen Dayton at (512) 239-6824.

Sincerely,

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Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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