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## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution

May 1, 2015

Mr. Michael A. Schiltz
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Re:

**Dual-Fuel Conversion System Assessment** 

Tracking No. **DF-2015-025** 

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	i	On-Road Engine	Diesel/CNG
Group, Inc.	EAPGH12.8VPA	Intermediate Age	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 additional 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. Mr. Michael A. Schiltz Page 2 May 1, 2015

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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