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August 16, 2006

Mrs. Marsha B. Denton, C.F.E.
Office Operations Supervisor
Putnam County Property Appraiser's Office
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Palatka, Florida 32178-1920

Re: Seminole Electric Cooperative

Dear Mrs. Denton:

On June 29, 2006, I sent you a letter concerning Seminole Electric Cooperative's Return of Pollution Control Devices. In my letter I expressed an opinion that one item listed might not comply with the "primarily for the purpose of pollution control" test. Specifically Item 316300016220 Vibratory Compactor, Caterpillar. I have received a letter from a licensed engineer establishing that the primary purpose of this equipment is for pollution control. I would now deem Item 316300016220 to be eligible for assessment pursuant to ss. 193.621, Florida Statutes.

If there are any questions on this determination, please contact me at (850) 497-0472.

Sincerely,

Hamilton S. Oven
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cc: W. Paul Shipskie, P.E.



July 31, 2006

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Re: Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.
Seminole Generating Station
Putnam County Tax Report – Return of Pollution Control Devices
Tangible Acct. 822601

Dear Mr. Oven:

Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Seminole) hereby submits its response to your letter dated June 29, 2006 which was sent to the Putnam County Property Appraiser's Office. The letter requested a statement from a licensed engineer pursuant to Chapter 62-8, Florida Administrative Code indicating that Item 316300016220 Vibratory Compactor, Caterpillar is used "primarily for the purpose of pollution control" at the Seminole Generating Station (SGS).

Pursuant to Chapter 62-8, F.A.C., I certify that the Caterpillar Vibratory Compactor is "used primarily for the purposes of pollution control" in the SGS FGD disposal area. This piece of equipment is used on a daily basis and serves as an integral component in Seminole's landfill process. The vibratory compactor is used to increase the density and correspondingly decrease the permeability of material placed in the disposal area. Compacted, low permeability material results in reduced rainwater infiltration and minimization of leachate from the disposed material.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (386) 328-9255 ext. 2311.

Sincerely,

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