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Sent via Email – Kim.Hutchinson@duke-energy.com

Mrs. Kimberlee Hutchinson
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Re: Approval of Coal Ash Sampling
Duke Energy – Belews Creek Steam Station
Pine Hall Road Landfill
Stokes County
8503-INDUS-1984
DIN 24280

Dear Ms. Hutchinson,

The Solid Waste Section (Section) has reviewed the request to sample the coal ash from the closed unlined Pine Hall Road Landfill submitted on your behalf by HDR on May 6, 2015 (DIN 24279). The ash sampling will take place near observation well OB-3. The Section approves this request.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me via email Elizabeth.werner@ncdenr.gov or phone (919) 707-8253.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth S. Werner
Permitting Hydrogeologist
Solid Waste Section

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