

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C.

In re Deseret Generation and Transmission Co-operative Bonanza Power Plant)	CAA Appeal No. 24-01
Permit No. V-UO-000004-2019.00)	

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE REPLY

On January 3, 2024, the Ute Indian Tribe of the Uintah and Ouray Reservation filed a petition for review of an operating permit issued by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 8 to the Deseret Generation and Transmission Co-Operative Bonanza Power Plant under Title V of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 7661-7661f, and 40 C.F.R. pt. 71. The Region filed two unopposed motions for extensions of time to file its response to the petition, which the Board granted. The Region and Deseret filed response briefs on March 22, 2024. The Tribe now seeks a fourteen-day extension of the time to file its reply brief. Unopposed Motion for 14-Day Extension of Time to Submit Reply Brief 1 (Apr. 4, 2024). The Board grants the relief requested.

In support of the Motion, the Tribe states that it has contacted the Region and Deseret and that neither opposes the requested extension. The Tribe also states that it will be replying to two separate and distinct legal briefs filed by the Region and Deseret and that there are a wide range of issues to be addressed in the appeal. *Id.* at 2. In addition, the Motion states that counsel for the Tribe needs to ensure there is adequate time to confer and obtain input from Tribal leadership. *Id.*

Based on the representations in the Motion, the Board **GRANTS** the Motion. *See* 40 C.F.R. § 124.19(f)(6), (n). Accordingly, the Tribe shall file its reply to the Region's and Deseret's response briefs on or before **Monday, April 22, 2024.**

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: _April 5, 2024_____

Mary Kay Lynch

Environmental Appeals Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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