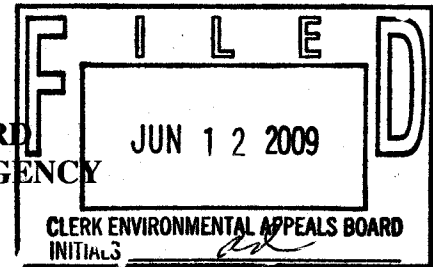


BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, DC



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In re:) PSD Appeal No. 08-09
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Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc.)
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Permit No. PSD-FL-375)
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ORDER GRANTING EPA REGION 4'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

On May 19, 2009, the Environmental Appeals Board ("Board") requested that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's ("EPA" or "Agency") Region 4 ("Region") file a brief on or before June 16, 2009, addressing issues related to the above-captioned matter, after consultation with the Office of General Counsel ("OGC"). By motion dated June 9, 2009, the Region requests a thirty-day extension of time to file its response brief. Region's Motion for Extension of Time ("Motion"). The Motion states that the "Region has not previously faced the issues presented in the Board's order[.]" and that additional time is needed "to ensure that [the] Region [] and OGC complete a comprehensive search [for] and obtain all relevant guidance available from other EPA offices." Motion at 2. The Region also "desires time to consult with the Office of Air and Radiation (OAR) regarding the questions in the Board's order. * * * [The] extension will help [the] Region [] to ensure its response will be thoroughly researched and fully-informed by input from all the relevant offices within EPA." *Id.* at 2. The Region states that the petitioner, Sierra Club; permit issuer, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; and permit applicant, Seminole Electric Cooperative, Inc., do not oppose the Motion.

For good cause shown, the Motion is GRANTED. The Region's response to the Board's order must now be filed no later than July 16, 2009.¹

So ordered.

Dated: June 11, 2009

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

By: Charles J. Sheehan
Charles J. Sheehan
Environmental Appeals Judge

¹ Documents are "filed" with the Board on the day they are *received*.

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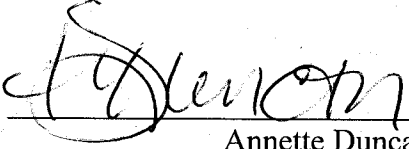
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