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December 15, 2017

Mr. Jeffrey Araujo
NRG Canal 3 Development LLC
9 Freezer Road
Sandwich, MA 02563

RE: **SANDWICH**
Draft Phase II Acid Rain Permit

Dear Mr. Araujo:

The Department of Environmental Protection (“MassDEP”) is issuing the enclosed Draft Phase II Acid Rain Permit for Canal Station located at 9 Freezer Road in Sandwich, Massachusetts.

This Draft Phase II Acid Rain Permit is being issued in accordance with 310 CMR 7.00: APPENDIX C(3)(n) of the Air Pollution Control Regulations (“the Regulations”), as adopted pursuant to M.G.L. c. 111, §§ 142 A through O inclusive.

The Draft Phase II Acid Rain Permit is subject to a public comment period. Public notice of the Draft Phase II Acid Rain Permit will be published by MassDEP in accordance with the requirements of 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C in the Environmental Monitor. Additionally, please have the public notice published in the Cape Cod Times on December 19, 2017. The public comment period shall extend to January 18, 2017.

Should you have any questions concerning this Draft Phase II Acid Rain Permit, please contact the undersigned at 508-946-2824.

Sincerely,

This final document copy is being provided to you electronically by the Department of Environmental Protection. A signed copy of this document is on file at the DEP office listed on the letterhead.

Thomas Cushing
Permit Chief
Bureau of Air and Waste

cc: Sandwich Board of Health
Sandwich Fire Department
Cape Cod Commission

This information is available in alternate format. Contact Michelle Waters-Ekanem, Director of Diversity/Civil Rights at 617-292-5751.

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DRAFT PHASE II ACID RAIN PERMIT

Issued by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (“The Department”) pursuant to its authority under M.G.L. c. 111, §142A - §142M, 310 CMR 7.00 et seq., and in accordance with the provisions of 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(3)(n).

ISSUED TO:

Jeffrey Araujo
NRG Canal 3 Development LLC
9 Freezer Road
Sandwich, MA 02563

INFORMATION RELIED UPON:

Phase II Permit Application

FACILITY NAME & LOCATION:

Canal Generating Station
9 Freezer Road
Sandwich, MA 02563

FACILITY IDENTIFYING NOS:

SSEIS ID NO: 1201180
ORIS NO: 1599

DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE:

Name: Jeffrey Araujo
Title: Plant Manager

This Phase II Acid Rain Permit is in effect until the earlier of, (five years from date of final issuance), or until such time as it is incorporated into the facility’s Operating Permit. The Phase II Acid Rain Permit will renew with the operating permit.

For the Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Waste Prevention

Thomas Cushing, Permit Chief

Date:

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1) Statement of Basis

Statutory and Regulatory Authorities: In accordance with M.G.L. c. 111, §142A-§142M and Titles IV and V of the Clean Air Act, the Department of Environmental Protection issues this permit pursuant to 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C(3)(n).

2) SO₂ Allowance Allocations for each affected unit

EU 3	SO ₂ allowances	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
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3) Comments, Notes and Justifications: None.

4) Additional Requirements:

1. This permit does not relieve the permittee of the responsibility to conduct, maintain and operate the regulated activity in compliance with all applicable requirements of any federal or state agency. Nothing in this permit shall relieve the permittee of other obligations under applicable federal, state or local law.

2. This permit may be revoked, suspended, modified or transferred in accordance with applicable law.

3. Any document which is required to be submitted to the Department under this permit shall be signed by the designated representative or alternative designated representative as defined at 40 CFR part 72-76 and 310 CMR 7.00: Appendix C.

5) Permit Application: Attached.