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Thank you for the update.

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Greetings again PA DEP Northwest Regional Office,

Per our recent communications with EPA, Conemaugh Station is notifying the Department that the Station has elected to withdraw the subject submittal. Instead, Conemaugh Station and our engineering firm, GAI Consultants, requested EPA to review and hopefully approve the submittal per 40 CFR §257.71(d)(1)(i) requirements. A CCR Rule "Part B" application was forwarded to EPA on 11-24-2020, and the Department was notified of this action that same day. Conemaugh Station and GAI Consultants expect to forward a revised "Part B" application to EPA either this week or early next week, per our recent communications with EPA. Please accept my apologies for any inconveniences related to the Station's submittals, happy to discuss – John



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Greetings PA DEP Northwest Regional Office,

Conemaugh Generating Station is notifying the Department that the Station and our engineering firm, GAI Consultants, prepared and submitted to the U.S. EPA earlier today a document entitled *Demonstration of Lack of Alternative Capacity and Request for Alternate Deadline to Initiate Closure* for four clay-lined CCR surface impoundments (ash filter ponds) per U.S. EPA's Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) Rule requirements at 40 CFR §257.103(f)(1). This demonstration was placed in the facility's operating record and will soon be posted to the Station's publicly-accessible website at <http://ccr.keyconops.com/>.

Pursuant to §257.106(i)(14) requirements, the Station is also notifying the Department that the Station intends to comply with the site-specific alternative to initiation of closure due to development of alternative capacity infeasible as specified under §257.105(i)(14) for the four clay-lined surface impoundments (Ash Filter Ponds A, B, C, and D).

If you require additional information or if you would prefer to have these notices provided to others at the Department, then please do not hesitate to contact me, contact info below, thanks – John.



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