

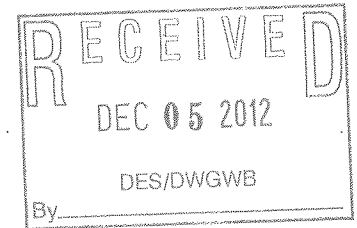
The State of New Hampshire
Department of Environmental Services

Thomas S. Burack, Commissioner

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November 30, 2012



Mr. Charles E. Grecco
Director
Berlin Station, LLC
One Cate Street
Portsmouth, NH 03801

**Re: Reissuance of Temporary Permit TP-0054
Burgess BioPower, One Community Street, Berlin, NH
Facility ID # 3300790137; Application # 12-0175**

Dear Mr. Grecco:

The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, Air Resources Division (DES) has reviewed the request submitted by Berlin Station, LLC on October 2, 2012, to reissue Temporary Permit TP-0054 for the Burgess BioPower facility located at One Community Street, Berlin, New Hampshire. The Temporary Permit allowed for the construction of a Biomass-fired Electric Generating Facility. This Temporary Permit currently expires on January 31, 2013. According to your October 2nd letter, construction of the facility is underway, but will not be completed prior to the expiration date of the permit.

New Hampshire Code of Administrative Rules Env-A 607.09, *Permit Reissuance* lists the criteria under which DES may reissue a Temporary Permit. Under Env-A 607.09(a)(2), a Temporary Permit may be reissued if "*actual construction has commenced by the expiration date, but it has not been completed.*". Therefore, DES hereby approves your request and reissues the Temporary Permit for a period of one year. The reissued Temporary Permit will expire on January 31, 2014.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Padmaja Baru of the Permitting and Environmental Health Bureau at (603) 271-0905 or via e-mail at padmaja.baru@des.nh.gov.

Sincerely,

Craig A. Wright
Acting Director
Air Resources Division

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