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Sent: Wednesday, July 05, 2017 2:09 PM
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Subject: FW: End of Review Period for Draft Permit for Ash Grove Cement Company - AR0042846
Attachments: Ash Grove Cement Company AR0042846_Decline FullReview 6-20-17.pdf

Hello Hannah,

Here is a copy of the letter for Ash Grove Cement Company - AR0042846.

Sincerely,

Monica Burrell

Monica Burrell
Arkansas State Coordinator
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July 5, 2017

Ms. Evelyn Rosborough (6WQ-O)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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Dallas, TX 75202-2733

RE: NPDES Permit Number AR0042846 – Ash Grove Cement Company

Dear Ms. Rosborough:

The subject permit was emailed to you on May 31, 2017. Per 40 CFR 123.44 (a)(1) and the Memo of Understanding the EPA has 30 days to review the permit to provide comments or approval. As of the date of this email no response has been received by the Department. This is your notification that the permit will be sent to public notice in accordance with state and federal law.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Permits Branch at (501) 682-0623.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Blanz, Ph.D., P.E.
Acting Senior Operations Manager
Office of Water Quality



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June 20, 2017

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Re: Decline Full Review of Draft Permit
Ash Grove Cement Company
ADEQ Permit No AR0042846

Dear Dr. Blanz:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the preliminary draft permit for Ash Grove Cement Company (Permit No. AR0042846), which was received by this office on May 31, 2017. Pursuant to its statutory discretion and in order to streamline its process for review of state issued permits, EPA is declining review of this permit at this time. EPA's decision to decline review of this permit in no way relieves the state of its obligation as NPDES permitting authority to ensure that the permit conforms to the requirements of the Clean Water Act (CWA) and federal regulations.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (214) 665-7530 or by email to burrell.monica@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Monica Burrell".

Monica Burrell (6WQ-PO)
NPDES Permits & TMDLs Branch
Water Division

E-cc: Bryan Leamons, P.E., ADEQ
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