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Mr. Robert W. Sauer
VP System Operations
Virginia Electric and Power Company- Chesterfield Power Station
600 Canal St.
Richmond, VA 23219

Location: Chesterfield County
Registration No.: 50396

Dear Mr. Sauer:

This letter acknowledges receipt of the signed Local Governing Body Certification Form, and notification of relocation of the project (from Battery Brooke Parkway to Coxendale Road), on August 21, 2024 as supplemental information to your permit application dated August 1, 2023 to construct and operate the Chesterfield Energy Reliability Center (CERC). The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) Piedmont Regional Office staff has completed its review of this supplemental information. Based on that review, the project has been determined to still be subject to the permitting requirements of Chapter 80, Article 8 of the Virginia Regulations for the Control and Abatement of Air Pollution.

DEQ has further determined that the revised application contains sufficient information to continue the application review process, however, additional information will be needed before the application may be considered complete:

- Update Section 10.0 and Appendix H of the August 1, 2023 application to reflect the revised location and any information on related activities conducted subsequent to the August 1, 2023 application date.
- Provide any additional information relevant to fulfilling the requirements of §10.1-1307.E.2 and §10.1-1307.E.3 of the Code of Virginia.

It is important that you provide the required information above so that the permitting staff can complete the review of your application in a timely manner. Please submit the requested information by September 19, 2024. An extension may be granted if requested in writing before the end of that period.

This additional screening of the application does not include a review of the Air Dispersion Modeling Protocols, which will be addressed separately. The DEQ Air Quality Assessments Group (AQAG) is responsible for reviewing and approving the modeling protocol and final results to ensure that these elements of your air permit application are technically complete. Please feel free to contact Bobby Lute at (804) 718-9970 or Robert.Lute@deq.virginia.gov if you have any questions related to the modeling analysis. You are reminded that the DEQ Regional Office should receive a copy of any modeling correspondence and files submitted to the AQAG.

If a later analysis of the permit application indicates that additional information is required to support your application, such information will be requested at that time.

Your continued cooperation is appreciated. If you have any additional questions, please contact me at (804) 489-1008 or Alison.Sinclair@deq.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alison M. Sinclair". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

Alison M. Sinclair
Air Permit Writer, Sr. II