



Department of Environmental Quality

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Jason Hartman
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BLACK HILLS CORPORATION CHEYENNE PRAIRIE GENERATING STATION PROJECT PERMIT DEQ/ISC 11-04

Dear Mr. Hartman,

In a letter dated, July 8, 2014, the Black Hills Corporation notified the Industrial Siting Division of a change to permit DEQ/ISC 11-04 for the Cheyenne Prairie Generating Station. This change involved Black Hill's intent to supplement the water supply for the facility with groundwater, subject to permit approval from the State Engineer's Office. Following the procedures of Condition #11 of the permit, the Industrial Siting Division notified the parties as well as publishing public notice of the proposed change. Having received no request that the change be heard by the Industrial Siting Council, I conclude that the change will not result in any significant adverse environmental, social, or economic impacts in the area of site influence. Accordingly, the request to supplement the water supply for the facility with groundwater is approved, subject to the approval of the State Engineer's Office.

Sincerely,

Todd Parfitt
Director
Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality

