INSTRUCTIONS

COAL PREPARATION SOURCE DESCRIPTION (APC 123)

This form should be completed for all new permit applications and all renewals where source conditions have changed since the previous application. This form should be used for all coal preparation operations instead of the more general Process or Fuel Burning Description Form (APC 21(&24)), and the Emission Point Description (APC 22).

- **Line 1.-** The right-hand portions of the first two lines are intended for APC Division use only.
- **Line 2.-** Emission source number should be the same code as entered in (Item 5) of the permit application Form (APC-20). Also list the Standard Industrial Classification Code (SIC) for the source if different than the one indicated.
- **Line 3.-** Location of the source should be entered in either latitude and longitude to the nearest seconds, or UTM coordinates to the nearest .01 kilometers.
- Line 4.- Normal operation should reflect the schedule when any or all of the equipment covered by this application is in operation. Operation at less than normal load should be included in the operating time. Days/year need to be completed only if operation is so limited that it cannot be adequately described by days/weeks and weeks/year.
- **Line 5.-** Percent annual throughout should reflect the approximate seasonal nature of the process. If the operation is not seasonal, enter 25% for each.
- **Line 6.-** Indicate, by mode of transportation, the approximate yearly tonnage received and shipped.
- **Line 7.-** Indicate what operations are conducted at the site. If operations other than those listed are conducted, please specify the operations.
- Line 8.- List each piece of equipment such as jaw crusher, hammermill, front end loader, rotary dryer, etc. used for each major function. Show all the equipment and storage on a simple flow diagram to be attached. Enter a flow diagram reference number, the design and maximum actual operating rate in tons per hour, along with the annual production rate in tons, and the appropriate installation date of each.

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- **Line 9.-** Complete the requested information for all material stockpiled.
- Line 10.- Indicate, by completing the appropriate spaces, the type of dust control for both plant and access roads. Indicate the approximate miles of paved and unpaved roads. If roads are watered, also indicate the approximate frequency of watering. Indicate only the approximate miles of road in each category that are actually traveled. The unpaved category should include total miles of traveled unpaved roads even if they are watered.
- **Line 11.-** If thermal drying is conducted, please indicate all fuel used.
- Particulate emission estimates for each indicated operation should be based on engineering calculations. In certain cases, other estimates may be accepted. Average emissions (lbs/hr) should be representative of the total weight of material emitted to the atmosphere for the entire period of continuous operation or for a typical portion thereof, divided by the number of hours of such period or portion thereof. Maximum emissions (lbs/hr) should be determined by dividing the highest emissions possible, with control equipment working properly, during any 3 hour period, by 3. Emission estimation method and control device descriptions, along with corresponding codes can be found on the back of the permit application form (APC 20). The codes which most accurately describe the estimation methods and control equipment used, along with the estimated control equipment efficiency should be entered for each operation. Any estimation methods or control devices other than those listed in the tables should be described in the comments (Item 13).
- **Line 14.-** Unsigned and/or undated applications will not be processed.