January 27, 2017

Anne C. Blankenship, Executive Director
West Virginia Oil and Natural Gas Association
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Charleston, WV 25332

RE: Response to Comment
Class II General Permit G35-D

Dear Ms. Blankenship:

During the week of December 20, 2016, pursuant to §45-13-8, the Division of Air Quality (DAQ) provided notice to the public of a preliminary determination to issue Class II General Permit G35-D for natural gas compressor and/or dehydration facilities. The 30 day public comment period ended on January 23, 2017. On January 23, 2017, the DAQ received a letter from you expressing your concerns about permit condition 3.2.8.

Upon review of your comments, it is the opinion of the DAQ, that West Virginia Code, Chapter 22 Article 5 does not require this permit condition. Therefore, permit condition 3.2.8 has been removed from the Class II General Permit G35-D. General Permit G35-D was issued on January 27, 2017.

The DAQ will make this General Permit available for viewing on the WVDEP website at the following address:

http://www.dep.wv.gov/daq/permitting/Pages/airgeneralpermit.aspx

Any person whose interest may be affected, including, but not necessarily limited to, the applicant and any person who participated in the public comment process, by a permit issued, modified or denied by the Secretary may appeal such action of the Secretary to the Air Quality Board pursuant to article one [§§22B-1-1 et seq.], Chapter 22B of the Code of West Virginia. West Virginia Code §§22-5-14.

Promoting a healthy environment.
Should you have any questions or comments, please contact me at (304) 926-0499 ext. 1223 or jerry.williams@wv.gov.

Sincerely,

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Engineer

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