



STATE OF TENNESSEE
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION
DIVISION OF AIR POLLUTION CONTROL

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Mr. Ken Scalf, Director of Facilities, Planning & Construction
Tennessee Department of Correction
320 6th Ave N, 5th Floor Rachel Jackson Bldg
Nashville, TN 37243

Re: Operating Permit Application
Northeast Correctional Complex
5249 Highway 67 West, Mountain City, TN 37683
Emission Source Reference No. 46-0059-07/Log No. 80806

Dear Mr. Scalf:

The Division received your operating permit renewal application for three boilers on January 31, 2022. The information which you provided has undergone a preliminary review by the permit program.

It has been determined that the two propane-fired boilers (Source 07), each with a design heat input capacity of 6.277 million British thermal units per hour, described in your application would constitute an *insignificant activity* or *insignificant emissions unit*, as defined in part 1200-03-09-.04(2)(a)3 of the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations. Specifically, the operation of each unit would result in potential emissions of less than five tons per year of each air contaminant and each regulated air pollutant that is not a hazardous air pollutant, and less than 1,000 pounds per year of each hazardous air pollutant.

Subparagraph 1200-03-09-.04(4)(a) of the Tennessee Air Pollution Control Regulations allows an existing source to receive designation as an insignificant emissions unit at any time. Therefore, the referenced source will not require a permit at this time. All applicable air pollution control regulations must still be met by your facility.

If you have any questions concerning this correspondence, please contact Mr. Joshua Rhoads at (615) 532-0547 or Joshua.Rhoads@tn.gov. Your Facility ID is **46-0059**, please reference this number in any further correspondence with the Division.

Sincerely,

James P. Johnston, P.E.
Deputy Director
Permitting & Regulatory Development