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Subject: Joppa Part A Demonstration Withdrawal
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Dear Ms. DeRobertis,

On November 24, 2020, Electric Energy, Inc. submitted a complete demonstration to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) that requested approval of a site-specific alternative deadline to initiate closure pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 257.103(f)(2) for the East Ash Pond located at the Joppa Power Station near Joppa, Illinois. On January 11, 2022, EPA determined that the demonstration was complete, confirming that the deadline to cease receipt of waste is tolled.

The Joppa Power Plant was retired on August 31, 2022, and all waste flows to the East Ash Pond have now ceased. Closure of the East Ash Pond will now proceed under 40 C.F.R. 257.102. Accordingly, it is no longer necessary for EPA to act on the Part A submission for Joppa. Therefore, Electric Energy, Inc. is withdrawing the Part A demonstration request that was submitted on November 24, 2020.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Best Regards,

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