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**RE: Minor Revision of State Waste Discharge Permit No. ST0009236 for PSE Goldendale Generating Station**

Dear Gerald Klug:

Ruth Juris reached out to Ecology on April 28, 2022, to discuss a minor change in the current discharge monitoring report for PSE Golderndale Generating Station (Section S2.A). The request would revert pH monitoring back to how it was conducted in the previous iteration of the facility's permit.

After a review of the current wording, Ecology realized that the current monitoring setup for pH was set up in error and agrees with the request to revert to how it was previously reported by the facility. In the current permit iteration, pH is continuously sampled at the 001 outfall, but only a single pH value is required for each calendar day. This single value requirement is being modified to require a minimum and a maximum pH value be reported for outfall 001 every day. The monthly maximum and minimum pH for the outfall are not being affected by this modification. The details of this change are spelled out in the replacement page for Section S2.A of State Waste Discharge Permit No. ST0009236.

Enclosed are replacement pages for your State Waste Discharge Permit No. ST0009236. The changes do not affect the stringency of the permit and therefore does not require public notice. Please have your staff replace the original permit pages with the enclosed revised permit pages. The pages are clearly marked at in the footer "**THIS PAGE REVISED JUNE 22, 2022**".

Should you or your staff have any questions, please contact Erik Van Doren at (509) 571-0934 or ERVA461@ecy.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Revised Permit Page(s)

cc: Caleb Bos – Ecology CRO Information Specialist  
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