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STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT
MITIGATED DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

Proposed Action: Notice of Construction Order 4153-AQ07, Modification 1

Description of proposal:

On August 10, 2018, WestRock submitted an application to modify Notice of Construction (NOC) Order No. 4153-AQ07, in accordance with Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 173-400-111(8). The modification request was to restore the steam limit at #6 Power Boiler to original capacity, following the installation of low-NOx burners.

The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) is modifying NOC Order No. 4153-AQ-07 to restore the steam limit at #6 Power Boiler to the original design capacity (1,517,829 kilopounds per year) and adding a fuel oil firing reporting requirement.

Proponent: WestRock CP, LLC
801 Portland Avenue
Tacoma, Washington 98421

Location of proposal: 801 Portland Avenue, Tacoma, Washington 98421

Lead agency: Department of Ecology, Solid Waste Management Program, Industrial Section

The lead agency for this proposal has determined it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment if the following mitigation measures are taken:

Emissions of greenhouse gases (GHG) from steam production at Power Boiler 6 above a 1,142,000 kilopounds per year (on a calendar year basis) action level must be mitigated using purchased certified GHG offsets or an alternative approved by Ecology.

An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030 (2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist. This information is available to the public on request.

This Determination of Nonsignificance is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal until the comment period ends December 21, 2018.



Responsible official:

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Date November 15, 2018

Signature

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