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VIA E-MAIL

Lezley K. Filzek
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DTE Electric Company
St. Clair/Belle River Power Plant
4505 King Road
China Township, MI 48054

SRN: B2796, St. Clair County

Dear Lezley Filzek:

VIOLATION NOTICE

On April 6, 2022, the Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Air Quality Division (AQD), conducted a review of the Renewable Operating Permit semi-annual/annual deviation report of DTE Belle River Power Plant located at 4505 King Road, China Township, Michigan. The purpose of this review was to determine DTE Electric Belle River Power Plant's compliance with the requirements of the federal Clean Air Act; Part 55, Air Pollution Control, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (Act 451); the Air Pollution Control Rules; and the conditions of Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) number MI-ROP-B2796-2015c, Section 3.

During the review, staff observed the following:

Process Description	Rule/Permit Condition Violated	Comments
Coal handling at the Belle River Power Plant	FG-COALHAND-BR S.C. VI. 1	DTE submitted reports indicating records of the 7-day VE observations were not maintained for most of the year.

Please initiate actions necessary to correct the cited violation and submit a written response to this Violation Notice by May 11, 2022 (which coincides with 21 calendar days from the date of this letter). The written response should include: the dates the violation occurred; an explanation of the causes and duration of the violation; whether the violation is ongoing; a summary of the actions that have been taken and are proposed to be taken to correct the violation and the dates by which these actions will take place; and what steps are being taken to prevent a reoccurrence.

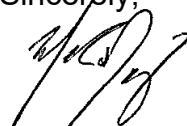
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Please submit the written response to EGLE, AQD, Warren District, at 27700 Donald Court, Warren, Michigan 48092 and submit a copy to Ms. Jenine Camilleri, Enforcement Unit Supervisor at EGLE, AQD, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760.

If DTE believes the above observations or statements are inaccurate or do not constitute violations of the applicable legal requirements cited, please provide appropriate factual information to explain your position.

Thank you for your attention to resolving the violation cited above. If you have any questions regarding the violation or the actions necessary to bring this facility into compliance, please contact me at the number or email listed below.

Sincerely,



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