

January 15, 2021

Southern Indiana Gas and Electric Company, Inc (SIGECO)  
One Vectren Square  
211 NW Riverside Dr, Evansville, IN 47708

**Notification of Completion of Closure**

**Site: F.B. Culley Generating Station**

**CCR unit: West Ash pond (WAP)**

**Date of Closure: December 17, 2020**

On December 17, 2020, closure was completed for the West Ash Pond CCR unit at the F.B. Culley Generating Station owned and operated by SIGECO (Center Point Energy) in accordance with requirements of the Closure Plan developed per 40 CFR 257.102(b) and in accordance with the Closure Plan approved by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) in notification dated December 20, 2019.

Pursuant to 40 CFR §257.100(c)(1) of the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Final Rule SIGECO filed a Notice of Intent (NOI) to initiate closure of the West Ash Pond as "inactive" and placed the NOI in the facility's operating record on December 17, 2015. The West Ash Pond was required to be closed in accordance with closure schedule requirements of the Final Rule, i.e. within 5 years from the initiation of closure – on or before December 17, 2020.

A hybrid closure methodology was incorporated at the CCR unit by excavating CCR from the southern and eastern portions of the ash pond followed by consolidation of the CCR into a Closure-in-Place (CiP) area located in the northwestern portion of the ash pond footprint. The CiP area was closed by encapsulating both in-situ and relocated CCR materials with a final cover system. In areas where excavation of CCR materials occurred, the removal extended beyond the historic bottom of ash including removal of native and CCR comingled soils beneath the unit.

As required by 40 CFR 257.102(h), this notification of closure has been prepared, including the certification of completion of closure, by a qualified professional engineer per 40 CFR 257.102(f)(3), and placed in the facility's operating record per 40 CFR 257.105(i)(8)).

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

This Certification Statement documents that the West Ash Pond CCR Unit at the F.B. Culley Generating Station was closed in accordance with the Closure Plan approved by IDEM and the requirements specified in 40 CFR §257.102.

CCR Unit: Southern Indiana Gas & Electric Company; F.B. Culley Generating Station; West Ash Pond

I, Jay D. Mokotoff, being a Registered Professional Engineer in good standing in the State of Indiana, do hereby certify, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief that the information contained in this certification has been prepared in accordance with the accepted practice of engineering. I certify, for the above referenced CCR Unit, that closure has been completed in accordance with the requirements specified in 40 CFR §257.102 and meets the requirements of the approved IDEM closure plan.

Jay D. Mokotoff  
Printed Name

01-15-21  
Date

