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Eastern Region Office

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State Environmental Policy Act Determination of Nonsignificance

Date of Issuance: 4/2/2025

Lead Agency: Department of Ecology

Agency Contact: David Finley, (509) 342-5917, david.finley@ecy.wa.gov

Permit Number: Draft Air Quality Notice of Construction Approval Order No. 25AQ-E020

Description of proposal:

EPL Feed, LLC (EPL Feed) provides products to dairy producers, including milk replacements, custom formulated products, lactation products, and other specialty products for species other than cows. EPL Feed plans to replace its 1983 Cleaver Brooks 150-horsepower natural gas-fired boiler with a Williams and Davis Boilers 400-horsepower natural gas-fired boiler. The boiler will utilize the existing exhaust stack at the site.

Location of proposal: Located at 2098 W. McManamon Road, Othello, WA 99344.

Applicant/Proponent: Chad Foreman, (712) 348-5885, cforeman@eplfeed.com

Department of Ecology (Ecology) has determined that this proposal will not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). We have reviewed the attached Environmental Checklist and Air Quality Notice of Construction application. This is available at: https://ecology.wa.gov/Events/Search/Listing

This determination is based on the following findings and conclusions:

To minimize emissions, the burners for EPL Feed's new boiler are designed to meet presumptive Best Available Control Technology (BACT) requirements for Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) and Carbon Monoxide (CO).

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340. All comments received prior to April 17, 2025 will be considered.

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