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As we discussed, one of your attachments inadvertently included Wheeling Pitt monthly operating data. Thanks for indicating that you would provide a similar analysis of the ISG Cleveland data.

This is also a confirmation that we are requesting a continuation of the 301g variance for the blast furnace outfall 604. 604 is the treatment plant effluent for the C5 & C6 blast furnaces.

The C1 blast furnace (621) was demolished and was not included in the renewal application, as we discussed.

You indicated that you would be reviewing past effluent quality monthly average data for 604 for the period May 2002 - Dec. 2006. When reviewing the past effluent quality of 604, it should be noted that in the following months, blast furnaces C5 & C6 were not both operating for the entire month:

2002: May, June & July
2003: May, June, July, August & November
2004: July & August
2005: May, June, July & August & November
2006: October, November & December

Although the Electro galvanizing line is currently idled, the permit should allow the line to timely resume operations.

Thanks for agreeing to review the draft O&G monthly average limitation at 017.

Thanks for your continued effort to provide renewal information as it is developed. We look forward to the wasteload allocation once it becomes available.

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