

**Notice of Exceedance of Groundwater Protection Standards
Cross Generating Station, Class 2 Landfill**

The South Carolina Public Service Authority (Santee Cooper) is implementing the April 17, 2015 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) Federal Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) Rule (40 CFR § 257 and 261) for the Cross Generating Station, located in Berkeley County, South Carolina.

The Class 2 Landfill at Cross Generating Station ceased operations by December 31, 2015, and closure was completed by June 30, 2016 per a plan approved by South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control.

In accordance with §257.95(g), Cobalt, an Appendix IV constituent, exceeded the groundwater protection standard for one of the wells at the Cross Class 2 Landfill. There is no Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for cobalt. The groundwater protection standard is the Regional Screening Level (RSL).