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Please accept the following comments on the new Chapter 290 coal ash regulations.

1. In section 290.101 concerning the calculation of acceptable leachate levels – Why is the standard procedure in calculating the loading specified to utilize the total loading and not the leachable metals loading? The total loading is much higher and prohibits the use of ash in some circumstances.
2. Is it possible to separate coal ash from fluidized bed ash? The composition of the fluidized bed ash is completely different from normal boiler ash.

If you have any questions, please call my office.

Thanks!
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