## Via E-Mail and Certified U.S. Mail

Barnard Farms
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Re: Indianapolis Power & Light Company d/b/a AES Indiana ("AES Indiana") – Eagle Valley Station Off-site Contamination Plume Notification - Coal Combustion Residual (CCR) Rule

## Dear Bob and Katie:

As you are aware, AES Indiana initiated off-site investigative work in 2021 related to EPA's CCR Rule in order to characterize the nature and extent (N&E) of groundwater impacted by the historic ash pond system located at AES Indiana's Eagle Valley Station and to support corrective measures necessary to remediate the impacted groundwater consistent with the CCR Rule. Based on initial N&E sampling, AES Indiana has determined that a plume of impacted groundwater runs beneath agricultural property owned by the Barnard Farms Inc. Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 257.95(g)(2), AES Indiana is hereby providing notice of these impacts.

As discussed during our October 1, 2021 meeting, AES Indiana will continue the N&E investigative work in order to define the extent of the impacted groundwater plume in order to support corrective measures. AES Indiana appreciates your attention to this matter and ongoing cooperation.

Sincerely,

Kevin Cook

Plant Manager, AES Indiana Eagle Valley

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