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PETITIONER	Ì
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PROTECTION AGENCY, and	)
REGINA A. MCCARTHY, Administrator,	)
United States Environmental Protection	)
Agency,	)
RESPONDENTS	)

#### PETITION FOR REVIEW

The State of Mississippi hereby petitions this Court, pursuant to Rule 15(a) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, Section 307(b)(1) of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b)(1), and 5 U.S.C. § 702, for review of the final rule of the United Stated Environmental Protection Agency published in the *Federal Register* at 80 Fed. Reg. 64,662 (October 23, 2015) and titled "Carbon Pollution Emission Guidelines for Existing Stationary Sources: Electric Utility Generating Units." This Court has jurisdiction, and is a proper venue for this action, under 42 U.S.C. § 7607(b)(1).

Petitioner will show that the final rule is in excess of the agency's statutory authority, goes beyond the bounds set by the United States Constitution, and otherwise is arbitrary, capricious, an abuse of discretion and not in accordance with law. Accordingly, Petitioner asks the Court to hold unlawful and set aside the rule, and to order such other relief as may be appropriate. See 42 U.S.C. § 7607(d).

Dated: November 4, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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### RULE 26.1 CORPORATE DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 26.1 and D.C. Circuit Local Rule 26.1, Petitioner makes the following statement:

The Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality is a state-government entity. Accordingly, it has no disclosures to make under the above-referenced rules.

Dated: November \_\_\_\_, 2015.

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on November 4, 2015, I caused a copy of the foregoing Petition for Review and Rule 26.1 Corporate Disclosure Statement to be hand-served by courier on the following:

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