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Biomass One, L.P. 2350 Ave G White City, OR 97503

Sent via email only

Kurt Lumpkin,

On September 5, 2024, DEQ received a request from Biomass One, L.P. (Biomass One) for a 60-day extension of the deadline for submittal of the Cleaner Air Oregon (CAO) Emissions Inventory (Inventory), Modeling Protocol (Protocol), and Risk Assessment Work Plan (Work Plan). Biomass One was called into the CAO program on April 26, 2024, and elected to conduct source testing prior to submittal of the Inventory; therefore, Biomass One was required to submit the Protocol and Work Plan concurrent with the Inventory and supporting information by September 23, 2024. Biomass One is requesting a 60-day extension to submit the Inventory, Protocol, and Work Plan by no later than November 22, 2024.

DEQ may grant an extension based on the criteria set in OAR 340-245-0030(3), which require sources to demonstrate progress towards completing the submittal and show that a delay is necessary for good cause. DEQ understands that Biomass One has demonstrated progress on the Inventory by completing the source testing and working with a consultant to complete the Protocol and Work Plan. Further, DEQ agrees that an extension would allow Biomass One to incorporate the newest source test results into the Inventory and develop complete submittals for approval.

For these reasons, DEQ approves Biomass One's request and grants a 60-day extension from the original submittal deadline of September 23, 2024. Biomass One's Inventory, Protocol, Work Plan, and supporting documents must be submitted by no later than **November 22, 2024.**

DEQ remains available to meet with Biomass One or provide feedback via email. Please contact me directly at (971) 300-3653 or amy.devita-mcbride@deq.oregon.gov, if you have any questions regarding this letter or CAO submittal requirements, and I look forward to your continued assistance with this process.

Sincerely,

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