



TRI-STATE GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION ASSOCIATION, INC.

**2025 Fugitive Dust Control Report
Coal Combustion Residuals Rule**

**Escalante Generating Station
Prewitt, New Mexico**

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1.0 Introduction

This Coal Combustion Residual (CCR) annual Fugitive Dust Control Plan report (the Report) is developed for the Escalante Generating Station (the Facility) and Ash Disposal Site (the Site) to meet the requirements of the CCR Operating Criteria.

This Report includes descriptions of measures taken at the Site and Facility to manage CCR-related fugitive dust; discussing citizen complaints received during the year; and summarizing the Site and Facility's corrective measures taken to remedy those complaints. This Report also details requirements for recordkeeping and notification of this Report.

2.0 Facility Description

The Facility is a 273-megawatt coal-fired electric generation facility located near Prewitt, New Mexico. CCR generated at the Facility included fly ash, bottom ash and flue gas desulfurization (FGD) material, which are disposed of onsite at the Site that is owned and operated by Tri-State. The Facility stopped generating power on August 31, 2020 and was officially "decommissioned" on November 19, 2020.

3.0 Fugitive Dust Control Measures

The Facility controlled potential CCR fugitive dust emissions from transfer and transportation operations during the year in the following ways:

- Conditioned CCR during collection and loading as needed
- Limited fall distance from the front-end loader bucket to haul trucks

Transportation of CCR managed potential CCR fugitive dust during the year in the following manner:

- Enforced speed limits for haul trucks
- Watered haul roads with water or dust suppressant

The Site controlled potential CCR fugitive dust emissions from the placement in the following ways:

- Reduced or halted CCR handling operations during high winds
- Limited fall distance at the Site
- Road watering was conducted during construction activities when CCR material was being moved (relocated within the Active Landfill) to minimize transport of CCR material.
- Compacted CCR after placement
- Applied soil cover and initiated revegetation

Additional, practical measures taken by Escalante Station that minimized the potential for CCR fugitive dust during the year included:

- Routine visible emissions observations during all three phases of CCR handling to ensure effectiveness of control measures
- Weather conditions are monitored each day of Facility operations. If high winds existed, extra measures were taken to ensure minimization of CCR

4.0 Record of Citizen Complaints

There were no citizen complaints about fugitive dust during 2025.

5.0 Summary of Corrective Measures

No citizen complaints were received during the previous year; therefore, no additional measures were taken to correct citizen complaints above the stated Fugitive Dust Control Measures.

6.0 Reporting

Within 30 days of placement in the Operating Record, the annual report will be posted on Tri-State's publicly accessible website. The New Mexico Environment Department will also be notified within 30 days from the date that the annual report is posted on Tri-State's publicly accessible website according to 40CFR 257.106(d).

7.0 Summary

The fugitive dust control measures selected for controlling CCR fugitive dust at the Site and Facility, as described in this report, represent recognized and generally accepted good engineering practice, are applicable and appropriate for site conditions, and are expected to effectively limit the amount of CCR that becomes airborne at the Site and Facility. Inquiries about this annual report may be directed to:

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