



# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Protection

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In the Matter of an  
Application for Permit by:

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**Permit No.: FL0001465 (Major)**  
**File Number FL0001465 – 008 – IW7A**  
**Pilgrim's Pride Live Oak Processing Plant**  
**Suwannee County**

## NOTICE OF PERMIT ISSUANCE

Enclosed is Permit Number FL0001465 to operate the Pilgrim's Pride Live Oak Processing Plant, which is an existing 1.50 MGD monthly average daily flow industrial wastewater treatment facility. The final treated effluent which includes process wastewater and non-process wastewater discharges to Suwannee River (Class III fresh Water, WBID 3422B). The permittee is also authorized to land apply 0.040 MGD of sludge to a sprayfield system. The facility is located at latitude 30° 22' 18.99" N, longitude 83° 9' 29.85" W, on 19740 US Highway 90, Live Oak, Florida 32060-8753 in Suwannee County. This permit is issued under Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.).

Monitoring requirements under this permit are effective on the first day of the second month following the effective date of the permit. Until such time, the permittee shall continue to monitor and report in accordance with previously effective permit requirements, if any.

## NOTICE OF RIGHTS

### Judicial Review

Upon issuance of this final permit, any party to this order has the right to seek judicial review of it under Section 120.68, F.S., by the filing of a notice of appeal under Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure 9.110 and 9.190 with the Clerk of the Department of Environmental Protection in the Office of General Counsel (Mail Station #35, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000) and by filing a copy of the notice of appeal accompanied by the applicable filing fees with the appropriate district court of appeal. The notice must be filed within 30 days after this order is filed with the Clerk of the Department.