

Environmental Protection Agency

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The certification does not apply to: Alabama Electric Cooperative—Lowman Steam Plant; Alabama Power Company-Gorgas Steam Plant, Gaston Steam Plant, Greene County Steam Plant, Gadsden Steam Plant, Miller Steam Plant, and Barry Steam Plant; Alabama River Pulp; Champion International Corporation; Container Corporation of America; Exxon Company's Big Escambia Creek Treating Facility; General Electric's Burkville Plant; International Paper; Scott Paper Company; Tennessee Valley Authority's Colbert, and Widows Creek Steam Plant; Union Camp Corporation; and U.S. Steel.

(a) *Determination of Attaining Data.* EPA has determined, as of September 20, 2010, the Birmingham, Alabama, nonattainment area has attaining data for the 2006 24-hour PM_{2.5} NAAQS. This clean data determination, in accordance with 40 CFR 51.1004(c), suspends the requirements for this area to submit an attainment demonstration, associated reasonably available control measures, a reasonable further progress plan, contingency measures, and other planning SIPs related to attainment of the standard for as long as this area continues to meet the 2006 24-hour PM_{2.5} NAAQS.

(b) *Determination of Attaining Data.* EPA has determined, as of May 31, 2011, the Chattanooga, Tennessee, nonattainment area has attaining data for the 1997 annual PM_{2.5} NAAQS. This determination, in accordance with 40 CFR 52.1004(c), suspends the requirements for this area to submit an attainment demonstration, associated reasonably available control measures, a reasonable further progress plan, contingency measures, and other planning SIPs related to attainment of the standard for as long as this area continues to meet the 1997 annual PM_{2.5} NAAQS.

[55 FR 5846, Feb. 20, 1990, as amended at 75 FR 57187, Sept. 20, 2010; 76 FR 31241, May 31, 2011]

EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 76 FR 38024, June 29, 2011, § 52.62 was amended by adding paragraph (c), effective July 29, 2011. For the convenience of the user, the added text is set forth as follows:

§ 52.62 Control strategy: Sulfur oxides and particulate matter.

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(c) *Determination of attaining data.* EPA has determined, as of June 29, 2011, the Birmingham, Alabama, nonattainment area has attaining data for the 1997 annual PM_{2.5} NAAQS. This determination, in accordance with 40 CFR 52.1004(c), suspends the requirements for this area to submit an attainment demonstration, associated reasonably available control measures, a reasonable further progress plan, contingency measures, and other planning SIPs related to attainment of the standard for as long as this area continues to meet the 1997 annual PM_{2.5} NAAQS.

§ 52.63 PM₁₀ State Implementation Plan development in group II areas.

On March 15, 1989, the State submitted a committal SIP for the cities of Leeds and North Birmingham in Jefferson County. The committal SIP contains all the requirements identified in the July 1, 1987, promulgation of the SIP requirements for PM₁₀ at 52 FR 24681. The SIP commits the State to submit an emissions inventory, continue to monitor for PM₁₀, report data and to submit a full SIP if a violation of the PM₁₀ and National Ambient Air Quality Standards is detected.

[56 FR 32514, July 17, 1991]

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§ 52.65 Control Strategy: Nitrogen oxides.

On October 22, 1990, the Alabama Department of Environmental Management submitted a revision to Chapter 2, Control Strategy, by adding subsection 4.2.3. This revision addressed the strategy Alabama is using to implement provisions of the Prevention of Significant Deterioration regulations for nitrogen oxides.

[57 FR 24370, June 9, 1992]

§ 52.66 Control Strategy: Ozone.

(a) The redesignation request submitted by the State of Alabama, on March 16, 1995 for the Birmingham marginal ozone nonattainment area from nonattainment to attainment was disapproved on September 19, 1997.

(b) The State of Alabama is required to submit an attainment demonstration SIP for the Birmingham 1-hour

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ozone nonattainment area by April 27, 2001. For purposes of the SIP revision required by this section, EPA may make a finding as applicable under section 179(a)(1)-(4) of the CAA, 42 U.S.C. 7509(a)(1)-(4), starting the sanctions process set forth in section 179(a) of the CAA. Any such finding will be deemed a finding under § 52.31(c) and sanctions will be imposed in accordance with the order of sanctions and the terms for such sanctions established in § 52.31.

[62 FR 49158, Sept. 19, 1997, as amended at 65 FR 64357, Oct. 27, 2000; 65 FR 67796, Nov. 13, 2000]

§ 52.69 Original identification of plan section.

(a) This section identifies the original "Air Implementation Plan for the State of Alabama" and all revisions submitted by Alabama that were federally approved prior to December 1, 1998.

(b) The plan was officially submitted on January 25, 1972.

(c) The plan revisions listed below were submitted on the dates specified.

(1) Letter informing Governor of Florida of submittal of Alabama Implementation Plan submitted on March 21, 1972, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(2) Compliance schedules submitted on April 18, 1972, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(3) Clarifying comments on the plan submitted on April 28, 1972, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(4) Semi-annual report, miscellaneous non-regulatory additions to the plan, compliance schedules and miscellaneous regulatory additions to Chapters 3, 4, 5 and 9 submitted on February 15, 1973, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(5) Transportation control plans submitted on April 24, 1973, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(6) Miscellaneous non-regulatory additions to the plan submitted on June 29, 1973, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(7) Miscellaneous non-regulatory additions and complex source regulation, Chapter 10, submitted on September 26, 1973, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(8) Plan revisions to Chapter 5 concerning sulfur compound emissions submitted on October 31, 1973, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(9) Revision to Part 4.10, Primary Aluminum Plants, and redefinition of "Solid Particulate Matter" in section 1.2.1 submitted on May 27, 1974, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(10) AQMA identifications submitted on June 17, 1974, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(11) Coke oven regulations, Part 4.9 excluding section 4.9.4, submitted on June 20, 1974, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(12) Revised limits on particulate emissions from Portland cement plants, submitted on June 4, 1975, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(13) Revised limits on sulfur dioxide and sulfuric acid mist emissions from sulfuric acid plants, submitted on July 25, 1975, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(14) Revised area classification system for fuel combustion sources of sulfur dioxide and initial classification of Counties, submitted on May 1 and October 9, 1975, respectively, by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission.

(15) Revised emergency level for photochemical oxidants (emergency episode control plan) submitted by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission on April 23, 1976.

(16) Revised SO₂ emissions from gas processing plants submitted by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission on July 21, 1976.

(17) Regulations equivalent to EPA's New Source Performance Standards (40 CFR part 60) and continuous monitoring requirements for existing stationary sources (40 CFR 51.19), submitted by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission on October 28, 1976.

(18) Revised regulations for the charging and pushing of coke in existing conventional batteries, submitted by the Alabama Air Pollution Control Commission on July 14, 1978.

(19) Part 4.12, dealing with particulate emissions from xylene oxidation,