§ 60.4141 Timing requirements for Hg allowance allocations.

(a) By November 17, 2006, the permitting authority will submit to the Administrator the Hg allowance allocations, in a format prescribed by the Administrator and in accordance with § 60.4142(a) and (b), for the control periods in 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, and 2014.

(b)(1) By October 31, 2008 and October 31 of each year thereafter, the permitting authority will submit to the Administrator the Hg allowance allocations, in a format prescribed by the Administrator and in accordance with § 60.4142(a) and (b), for the control period in the sixth year after the year of the applicable deadline for submission under this paragraph.

(b)(2) If the permitting authority fails to submit to the Administrator the Hg allowance allocations in accordance with paragraph (b)(1) of this section, the Administrator will assume that the allocations equal the allocations for the control period in 2017, multiplied by the amount of ounces (i.e., tons multiplied by 32,000 ounces/ton) of Hg emissions in the applicable State trading budget under § 60.4140 for 2018 and thereafter and divided by such amount of ounces of Hg emissions for 2010 through 2017, except that any Hg Budget unit that would otherwise be allocated Hg allowances under § 60.4142(a) and (b), as well as under § 60.4142(a), (c), and (d), for the applicable control period will be assumed to be allocated no Hg allowances under § 60.4142(a), (c), and (d) for the applicable control period.

§ 60.4142 Hg allowance allocations.

(a)(1) The baseline heat input (in MMBtu) used with respect to Hg allowance allocations under paragraph (b) of this section for each Hg Budget unit will be:

(i) For units commencing operation before January 1, 2001, the average of the three highest amounts of the unit’s adjusted control period heat input for 2000 through 2004, with the adjusted control period heat input for each year calculated as the sum of the following:

(A) Any portion of the unit’s control period heat input for the year that results from the unit’s combustion of lignite, multiplied by 3.0;

(B) Any portion of the unit’s control period heat input for the year that results from the unit’s combustion of subbituminous coal, multiplied by 1.25; and

(C) Any portion of the unit’s control period heat input for the year that is not covered by paragraph (a)(1)(i)(A) or (B) of this section, multiplied by 1.0.