ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52
[TN 190–9930b; TN 196–9931b; FRL–6433–3]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans, Tennessee: Approval of Revisions to the Tennessee State Implementation Plan

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.


In the Rules section of this Federal Register, EPA is approving the Tennessee State Plan submittal as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency views this as a noncontroversial submittal and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received, no further activity is contemplated. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. EPA will not institute a second comment period on this action.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before October 13, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to Scott Martin at the EPA Regional Office listed below. Copies of the documents relevant to this proposed rule are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations. The interested persons wanting to examine these documents should make an appointment with the appropriate office at least 24 hours before the day of the visit.

Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4, Air Planning Branch, 61 Forsyth Street, SW, Atlanta, Georgia 30303–3104.
Division of Air Pollution Control, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation, L & C Annex, 9th Floor, 401 Church Street, Nashville, Tennessee 37243–1531.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Scott Martin at (404) 562–9036.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:  See the information provided in the direct final rule which is published in the Rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: August 13, 1999
A. Stanley Meiburg, Acting Regional Administrator, Region 4. [FR Doc. 99–23192 Filed 9–10–99; 8:45 am]
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52
[IL193–1b; FRL 6435–5]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plan; Illinois

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: EPA is proposing to approve the July 9, 1999, Illinois site-specific State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision revising Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) requirements for Sun Chemical Corporation in Northlake, Illinois. The SIP revision exempts 17 resin storage tanks from bottom or submerged fill pipe requirements, subject to certain conditions.

In the final rules section of this Federal Register, the EPA is approving the State's request as a direct final rule without prior proposal because EPA views this action as noncontroversial and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for approving the State's request is set forth in the direct final rule. The direct final rule will become effective without further notice unless the Agency receives relevant adverse written comment on this action. Should the Agency receive such comment, it will publish a final rule informing the public that the direct final rule will not take effect and such public comment received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. If no adverse written comments are received, the direct final rule will take effect on the date stated in that document and no further activity will be taken on this proposed rule. EPA does not plan to institute a second comment period on this action. Any parties interested in commenting on this action should do so at this time.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before October 13, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be mailed to: J. Elmer Bortzer, Chief, Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR–18), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. Copies of the State submittal are available for inspection at: Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR–18), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark J. Palermo, Environmental Protection Specialist, Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR–18), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604 (312) 880–6082.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: For additional information see the direct final rule published in the final rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: August 30, 1999.
Robert Springer,
Acting Regional Administrator, Region 5. [FR Doc. 99–23582 Filed 9–10–99; 8:45 am]
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52
[KY–75–1–9910b; KY–97–1–9911b; FRL–6436–6]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans

Kentucky: Approval of Revisions to the Louisville State Implementation Plan

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The EPA is proposing to approve the Air Pollution Control District of Jefferson County portion of the State Implementation Plan (SIP) submitted by the Commonwealth of Kentucky through the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet on November 12, 1993, and amended on April 5, 1994, and June 30, 1997, which includes the 15 Percent Rate-of-Progress Plan (15 percent plan) for the Louisville moderate ozone nonattainment area.

This submittal was made to meet the 15 percent reduction in emissions of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) requirement of section 182(b)(1)(A) of the Clean Air Act, as amended in 1990 (CAA).

In the Rules section of this Federal Register, EPA is approving the
Kentucky Plan submittal as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency views this as a noncontroversial submittal and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received, no further activity is contemplated. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. EPA will not institute a second comment period on this action.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before October 13, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be addressed to Scott Martin at the EPA Regional Office listed below. Copies of the documents relevant to this proposed rule are available for public inspection during normal business hours at the following locations. The interested persons wanting to examine these documents should make an appointment with the appropriate office at least 24 hours before the day of the visit.

Environmental Protection Agency, Region 4, Air Planning Branch, 61 Forsyth Street, SW, Atlanta, Georgia 30303-3104.

Department for Environmental Protection, Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, Division of Air Quality, 803 Schenkel Lane, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

Air Pollution Control District of Jefferson County, 850 Barrett Avenue, Suite 205, Louisville, Kentucky 40204.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Scott Martin at (404) 562-9036.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: See the information provided in the Direct Final document which is located in the Rules section of this Federal Register.


Michael V. Peyton,
Acting Regional Administrator, Region 4.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Parts 1, 51, 68, 76

[WT Docket No. 99-217; CC Docket No. 96-98; DA 99-1563]

Promotion of Competitive Networks in Local Telecommunications Markets

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: In this document, the Commercial Wireless Division (the “Division”) of the Federal Communications Commission gives notice that the Commission granted in part motions for extension of time to file comments and reply comments on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Notice of Inquiry in WT Docket No. 99-217 and the Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-98 concerning the promotion of competitive networks in local telecommunications markets. These motions were filed by Commonwealth Edison Company, Duke Energy Corporation, and Southern Company (collectively, the “Utilities”) and the Local and State Government Advisory Committee (LSGAC). The Division found that the record for this Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, and Notice of Inquiry might not be adequately developed unless additional time was granted to all interested parties to prepare comments and reply comments.

DATES: The deadline for receipt of comments on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in WT Docket No. 99-217 and Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-98 was extended until August 27, 1999 and reply comments on these items are due September 27, 1999. Comments on the Notice of Inquiry in WT Docket No. 99-217 are due October 12, 1999 and reply comments on this item are due December 13, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Parties who choose to file comments by paper should send comments to the Commission’s Secretary, Mr. John Salas, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 Twelfth Street, SW; TW-A325; Washington, DC 20554. Comments filed through the Commission’s Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) can be sent as an electronic file via the Internet to <http://www.fcc.gov/e-file/ecfs.html>. See the “Supplementary Information” section below for additional information about paper and electronic filing.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jeff Steinberg at (202) 418-0896 or Joel Taubenblatt at (202) 418-1513 (Wireless Telecommunications Bureau).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of the Order Extending Pleading Cycle (the “Order”), DA 99-1563, adopted August 6, 1999 and released August 6, 1999. The complete text of the document is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC and also may be purchased from the Commission’s copy contractor, International Transcription Services, (202) 857-3800, 445 12th Street, SW, CY-4B400, Washington, DC 20554. The document is also available via the Internet at <http://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Wireless/Orders/1999/index.html>.

In this document, the Division grants in part a motion by the Utilities for an extension of time to file comments and reply comments on the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in WT Docket No. 99-217, 64 FR 41887, August 2, 1999, and Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-98, 64 FR 41884, August 2, 1999. The Division also grants in part a request by LSGAC for an extension of time to file comments and reply comments on the Notice of Inquiry in WT Docket No. 99-217, 64 FR 41883, August 2, 1999. The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Notice of Inquiry in WT Docket No. 99-217 and the Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-98 were issued by the Commission on July 7, 1999 under FCC 99-141.

This document states that, although it is the policy of the Commission that motions for extensions of time shall not be routinely granted, the Division finds that the record for the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Notice of Inquiry in WT Docket No. 99-217 and the Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-98 might not be adequately developed unless additional time is granted to all interested parties to prepare comments and reply comments. Therefore, the Order extends the pleading cycle for the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in WT Docket No. 99-217 and Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-98 to August 27, 1999 for comments and September 27, 1999 for reply comments. In addition, the Order extends the pleading cycle for the Notice of Inquiry in WT Docket No. 99-217 to October 12, 1999 for comments and December 13, 1999 for reply comments.

Filing Procedures

Pursuant to 47 CFR 1.415, 1.419, interested parties may file comments in accordance with the schedule listed in the “Dates” section above. Comments may be filed using the Commission’s Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) or by filing paper copies. See Electronic Filing of Documents in.