

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
AGENCY****40 CFR Part 52**

[TN-186; TN-187; TN-202; TN-203-  
200207b; FRL-7270-5]

**Approval and Promulgation of  
Implementation Plans Tennessee:  
Approval of Revisions to Tennessee  
Implementation Plan**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection  
Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The EPA proposes to approve the State implementation plan (SIP) revisions submitted by the State of Tennessee for the purpose of revising the regulations for construction and operating permits, general provisions and applicability, and conflict of interest in the Tennessee SIP. In the Final Rules section of this **Federal Register**, the EPA is approving the State's SIP revision 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 in response to this action, 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 If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. The EPA will not institute a second comment period on this document. Any parties interested in commenting on this document should do so at this time.

**DATES:** Written comments must be received on or before September 30, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** All comments should be addressed to Steven M. Scofield at the EPA, Region 4 Air Planning Branch, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8960.

Copies of the State submittals are available at the following addresses for inspection during normal business hours:

Air and Radiation Docket and  
Information Center (Air Docket 6102),  
U.S. Environmental Protection  
Agency, 401 M Street, SW.,  
Washington, DC 20460.  
Environmental Protection Agency,  
Region 4 Air Planning Branch, 61

Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia  
30303-8960. Steven M. Scofield, 404/  
562-9034.

Division of Air Pollution Control,  
Tennessee Department of  
Environment and Conservation, L & C  
Annex, 9th Floor, 401 Church Street,  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1531.  
615/532-0554.

**FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Steven  
M. Scofield; Regulatory Development  
Section; Air Planning Branch; Air,  
Pesticides and Toxics Management  
Division; U.S. Environmental Protection  
Agency Region 4; 61 Forsyth Street,  
SW.; Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8960. Mr.  
Scofield can also be reached by phone  
at (404) 562-9034 or by electronic mail  
at *scofield.steve@epa.gov*.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** For  
additional information see the direct  
final rule which is published in the  
Final Rules section of this **Federal  
Register**.

Dated: July 30, 2002.

**J.I. Palmer, Jr.,**

*Regional Administrator, Region 4.*

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