FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark Gordon, Attorney Advisor, at (202) 564–5951, Kimberly Patrick, Attorney Advisor, at (202) 564–5386, or David Sutton, Deputy Director at (202) 564– 4444, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Mail Code 1230A, Ariel Rios Building, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA published its proposed rule for Participation by Disadvantage Business Enterprises in Procurement under Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Financial Assistance Agreements on July 24, 2003 at 68 FR 43824.

ĚPA has established an official public docket for this action under Docket ID No. OA-2002-0001. The proposed rule and supporting materials are available for public viewing at the Office of Environmental Information Docket in the EPA Docket Center (EPA/DC), EPA West, Room B102, 1301 Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Reading Room is (202) 566–1744, and the telephone number for the Office of Environmental Information is (202) 566–1752. An electronic version of the public docket is available through EPA's electronic public docket and comment system, EPA Dockets. You may use EPA Dockets at http://www.epa.gov/edocket to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the official public docket, and to access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, select "search," and then key in docket identification number OA-2002-0001.

You may access this **Federal Register** document electronically through the EPA Internet under the "**Federal Register**" listings at *http:// www.epa.gov/fedrgstr.*

Dates: The public hearings addressed by this **Federal Register** Proposal are scheduled as follows:

- 1. September 23, 2003, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 2. September 24, 2003, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Boston, Massachusetts.
- 3. October 22, 2003, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Atlanta, Georgia.
- 4. November 13, 2003, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Seattle, Washington.
- 5. November 18, 2003, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Dallas, Texas.
- 6. January 13, 2004, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Chicago, Illinois.
- 7. January 20, 2004, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., San Francisco, California.

Addresses: The hearings will be held at the following locations:

- 1. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Wanamaker Building, Training Center Rooms 10A/B, 100 Penn Square East, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107–3380.
- 2. Faneuil Hall, 1 Faneuil Hall Square, Boston, Massachusetts 02109.
- 3. Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center, 2nd Floor, Conference Rooms B & C, 61 Forsyth Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30303–8960.
- 4. Jackson Federal Building, North Auditorium, 915 Second Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101.
- 5. 1445 Ross Avenue, 12th Floor Conference Room, Dallas, Texas 75202–2733.
- 6. Metcalfe Federal Building, Room 331, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604–3507.
- 7. First Floor Conference Room, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California 94105.

Dated: September 12, 2003.

Thomas J. Gibson,

Chief of Staff.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

[NC 106-200336(b); FRL-7558-8]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans North Carolina: Miscellaneous Revisions to the North Carolina State Implementation Plan

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The EPA is approving the State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision submitted by the State of North Carolina on April 4, 2003, for the purpose of establishing revisions to Volatile Organic Compounds and other miscellaneous revisions. 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 significant, material, and adverse comments are received in response to this rule, 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 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 October 17, 2003. ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail to: Rosymar De La Torre Colón, 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. Comments may also be submitted electronically, or through hand delivery/courier. Please follow the detailed instructions described in sections I.B.1.i. through iii. of the SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION section which is published in the Rules section

of this **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Rosymar De La Torre Colón, Regulatory Development Section, Air Planning Branch, Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division, Region 4, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 61 Forsyth Street, SW., Atlanta, Georgia 30303–8960. The telephone number is (404) 562–8965. Ms. De La Torre Colón can also be reached via electronic mail at *delatorre.rosymar@epa.gov.*

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

Dated: August 28, 2003.

A. Stanley Meiburg,

Acting Regional Administrator, Region 4. [FR Doc. 03–23581 Filed 9–16–03; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6560–50–P

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Parts 52 and 70

[MO 195-1195; FRL-7560-1]

Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plan and Operating Permits Program; State of Missouri

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). **ACTION:** Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: EPA proposes to approve the State Implementation Plan (SIP) and Operating Permits Program revision submitted by the state of Missouri on May 12, 2003. These revisions, which became effective on April 30, 2003, correct all deficiencies described in the March 25, 2002, **Federal Register** Notice

of Deficiency. Approval of these revisions will ensure consistency between the state and Federally approved rules and remove the potential imposition of sanctions on Missouri's permitting program.

DATES: Comments on this proposed action must be received in writing by October 17, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted either by mail or electronically. Written comments should be mailed to Harriett Jones, Environmental Protection Agency, Air Permitting and Compliance Branch, 901 North 5th Street, Kansas City, Kansas 66101. Electronic comments should be sent either to Harriett Jones at *jones.harriett@epa.gov* or to *http://* www.regulations.gov, which is an alternative method for submitting electronic comments to EPA. To submit comments, please follow the detailed instructions described in "What action is EPA taking" in the SUPPLEMENTARY **INFORMATION** section of the direct final rule which is located in the rules section of the Federal Register.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Harriett Jones at (913) 551–7730, or by e-mail at *jones.harriett@epa.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the final rules section of the **Federal Register**, EPA is approving the state's SIP and operating plan revisions as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency views this as a noncontroversial revision amendment and anticipates no relevant adverse comments to this action. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no relevant adverse comments are received in response to this action, no further activity is contemplated in relation to this action. If EPA receives relevant 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 action. EPA will not institute a second comment period on this action. Any parties interested in commenting on this action should do so at this time. Please note that if EPA receives adverse comment on part of this rule and if that part can be severed from the remainder of the rule, EPA may adopt as final those parts of the rule that are not the subject of an adverse comment. For additional information, see the direct final rule which is located in the rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: September 4, 2003. James B. Gulliford, Regional Administrator, Region 7. [FR Doc. 03–23587 Filed 9–16–03; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6560–50–P

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 62

[No. R803CISWI; FRL-7560-3]

Approval and Promulgation of State Plans for Designated Facilities and Pollutants; Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming; Control of Emissions From Existing Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incinerators

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: EPA is proposing to approve the commercial and industrial solid waste incinerator 111(d)/129 plan (the "plan") submitted by North Dakota's Department of Health on May 1, 2003. The plan was submitted to fulfill requirements of the Clean Air Act (CAA). The plan establishes emission limits, monitoring, operating, and recordkeeping requirements for commercial and industrial solid waste incinerator (CISWI) units for which construction commenced on or before November 30, 1999. EPA is also proposing to approve negative declarations submitted by Colorado's Department of Public Health and Environment on May 6, 2002; Montana's Department of Environmental Quality on January 28, 2002; South Dakota's Department of Environment and Natural Resources on February 28, 2002; Utah's Department of Environmental Quality on April 23, 2002; Wyoming's Department of Environmental Quality on December 16, 2002.

DATES: Written comments must be received in writing on or before October 17, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Written comments may be mailed to Richard R. Long, Director, Air and Radiation Program, Mailcode 8P-AR, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 8, 999 18th Street, Suite 300, Denver, Colorado 80202–2466. Comments may also be submitted electronically, or through hand delivery/courier. Please follow the detailed instructions (Part (I)(B)(1)(i) through (iii) of the Supplementary Information section) described in the direct final rule which is located in the Rules Section of this **Federal Register**.

Copies of the documents relevant to this action are available for public inspection Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., excluding Federal holidays, at the Air and Radiation Program, Environmental Protection Agency, Region 8, 999 18th Street, Suite 300, Denver, Colorado 80202-2466. Copies of the documents relevant to each respective State action are available for public inspection at the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, Air Pollution Control Division, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South, Denver, Colorado 80246-1530; Montana Department of Environmental Quality, Air and Waste Management Bureau, 1520 E. 6th Avenue, Helena, Montana 59620; North Dakota State Department of Health, Division of Environmental Engineering, 1200 Missouri Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota 58506; South Dakota Department of Environmental and Natural Resources, Air Quality Program, Joe Foss Building, 523 East Capitol, Pierre, South Dakota 57501; Utah Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Air Quality, 150 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114; and Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, 122 W. 25th Street, Cheyenne, WY 82002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathleen Paser, Air and Radiation Program, Mailcode 8P-AR, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 8, 999 18th Street, Suite 300, Denver, Colorado 80202–2466, 303–312–6526, paser.kathleen@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: See the information provided in the Direct Final action of the same title which is located in the Rules and Regulations Section of this **Federal Register**.

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq.

Dated: September 2, 2003.

Robert E. Roberts,

Regional Administrator, Region 8. [FR Doc. 03–23750 Filed 9–16–03; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6560–50–P

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 70

[No. R803NDT5REV; FRL-7560-4]

Clean Air Act Approval of Revisions to the Operating Permits Program in North Dakota

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). **ACTION:** Proposed rule.