

Environmental Protection Agency

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that eliminate the requirement in the SIP for the implementation of a motor vehicle inspection and maintenance program in Larimer County (which includes the Fort Collins area) after January 1, 2004. On August 9, 2002, the Governor also submitted SIP revisions to Colorado's Regulation No. 13 "Oxygenated Fuels Program" that eliminate the oxygenated fuel requirements for Larimer County (which includes the Fort Collins area) after January 1, 2004, and make changes to sections I.D., II.A., II.B., II.C., II.D., II.E., II.F., II.G., and II.H. On August 9, 2002, the Governor also submitted SIP revisions to Colorado's State Implementation Plan Specific Regulations for Nonattainment and Attainment/Maintenance Areas (Local Elements) that eliminate Clean Air Act section 172(c)(9) carbon monoxide contingency measures for the Fort Collins area. We originally approved these contingency measures on December 23, 1997, and our approval was codified in paragraph (c)(71) of this section.

(i) Incorporation by reference.

(A) Regulation No. 11 "Motor Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program", 5 CCR

1001-13, Part A.I, as adopted on July 18, 2002, and effective September 30, 2002.

(B) Regulation No. 13 "Oxygenated Fuels Program", 5 CCR 1001-16, except for section III, as adopted on July 18, 2002, effective September 30, 2002, which supersedes and replaces all prior versions of Regulation No. 13.

(100) EPA is approving a SIP revision submitted by the Governor of Colorado on July 31, 2002, concerning the use of credible evidence for determining compliance and establishing violations. The July 31, 2002 submittal revises Colorado Air Quality Control Commission (AQCC) Common Provisions Regulation by adding Section II.I, Compliance Certifications. Section II.I of Colorado AQCC Common Provisions Regulation is approved into the SIP.

(i) Incorporation by reference.

(A) Colorado Air Quality Control Commission Common Provisions Regulation, Section II.I, effective September 30, 2001.

[37 FR 10855, May 31, 1972]

EDITORIAL NOTE: For FEDERAL REGISTER citations affecting § 52.320, see the List of CFR Sections Affected, which appears in the Finding Aids section of the printed volume and on GPO Access.

§ 52.321 Classification of regions.

The Colorado plan was evaluated on the basis of the following classifications:

| Air quality control region | Pollutant | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------|-------|
| | Particulate matter | Sulfur oxides | Nitrogen dioxide | Carbon monoxide | Ozone |
| Pawnee Intrastate | I | III | III | III | III |
| Metropolitan Denver Intrastate | I | III | III | I | I |
| Comanche Intrastate | III | III | III | III | III |
| San Isabel Intrastate | I | III | III | III | III |
| San Luis Intrastate | III | III | III | III | III |
| Four Corners Interstate | IA | IA | III | III | III |
| Grand Mesa Intrastate | III | III | III | III | III |
| Yampa Intrastate | III | III | III | III | III |

[37 FR 10855, May 31, 1972, as amended at 39 FR 16346, May 8, 1974; 44 FR 57409, Oct. 5, 1979]

§ 52.322 Extensions.

The Administrator, by authority delegated under section 188(d) of the Clean Air Act, as amended in 1990, extends for one year (until December 31, 1995) the

attainment date for the Denver, Colorado, PM-10 nonattainment area.

[60 FR 52315, Oct. 6, 1995]

§ 52.323 Approval status.

With the exceptions set forth in this subpart, the Administrator approves

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Colorado's plan for the attainment and maintenance of the national standards under section 110 of the Clean Air Act. Furthermore, the Administrator finds that the plan satisfies all requirements of Part D, Title 1, of the Clean Air Act as amended in 1977, except as noted below.

[44 FR 57410, Oct. 5, 1979]

§ 52.324 Legal authority.

(a) The requirements of § 51.230(f) of this chapter are not met since the State lacks the authority to require owners or operators of stationary sources to install, maintain, and use emission monitoring devices and to make periodic reports to the State on the nature and amounts of emissions from such stationary sources.

(b) Delegation of authority: Pursuant to section 114 of the Act, Colorado requested a delegation of authority to enable it to require sources to install and maintain monitoring equipment and to report periodically on the nature and amount of their emissions. The Administrator has determined that Colorado is qualified to receive a delegation of the authority it requested. Accordingly, the Administrator delegates to Colorado his authority under section 114(a)(1)(B) and (C) of the Act, i.e., authority to require sources within the State of Colorado to install and maintain monitoring equipment and to report periodically on the nature and amount of their emissions.

[37 FR 10855, May 31, 1972, as amended at 46 FR 24182, Apr. 30, 1981; 51 FR 40676, Nov. 7, 1986; 62 FR 2914, Jan. 21, 1997]

§ 52.325 [Reserved]

§ 52.326 Area-wide nitrogen oxides (NO_x) exemptions.

The Denver Regional Council of Governments (DRCOG) submitted a NO_x exemption petition to the EPA on May 25, 1994 and submitted supporting documentation via a letter dated August 1, 1994. This petition requested that the Denver metropolitan area, a transitional ozone nonattainment area, be exempted from the requirement to meet the NO_x provisions of the Federal transportation and general conformity rule with respect to ozone. The exemption request was based on monitoring

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data which demonstrated that the National Ambient Air Quality Standard for ozone had been attained in this area for the 3 years prior to the petition. The EPA approved this exemption request on July 28, 1995.

[60 FR 40291, Aug. 8, 1995]

§§ 52.327-52.328 [Reserved]

§ 52.329 Rules and regulations.

(a) On January 14, 1993, the Governor of Colorado submitted revisions to the State's nonattainment new source review permitting regulations to bring the State's regulations up to date with the 1990 Amendments to the Clean Air Act. With these revisions, the State's regulations satisfy the part D new source review permitting requirements for the following nonattainment areas: the Canon City, Lamar, Pagosa Springs, Aspen, Telluride, and Steamboat Springs moderate PM₁₀ nonattainment areas, the Denver/Metro Boulder, Longmont, Colorado Springs, and Fort Collins moderate carbon monoxide nonattainment areas, the Greeley not classified carbon monoxide nonattainment area, and the Denver transitional ozone nonattainment area.

(b) On January 14, 1993 and on August 25, 1994, the Governor of Colorado submitted revisions to the State's nonattainment new source review permitting regulations to bring the State's regulations up to date with the 1990 Amendments to the Clean Air Act. With these revisions, the State's regulations satisfy the part D new source review permitting requirements for the Denver metropolitan moderate PM-10 nonattainment area.

[59 FR 64336, Dec. 14, 1994, as amended at 62 FR 2914, Jan. 21, 1997; 62 FR 68195, Dec. 31, 1997]

§ 52.330 Control strategy: Total suspended particulates.

(a) *Part D—Conditional Approval:* The Pueblo plan is approved assuming the State demonstrates by December 31, 1981, through air quality modeling, attainment of the 24-hour and annual standards, while considering emissions from all sources in the nonattainment area. In addition, the State must re-promulgate Regulation No. 1 to satisfy