



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
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August 18, 2022

The Honorable Asa Hutchinson
Governor of Arkansas
500 Woodlane Suite 250
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Hutchinson:

On August 8, 2022, the Environmental Protection Agency received the Arkansas Regional Haze State Implementation Plan for Planning Period II from the State of Arkansas. The SIP revision was submitted to meet the Clean Air Act and Regional Haze Rule requirements for the regional haze program's second planning period.

EPA finds that Arkansas' SIP revision meets the completeness criteria outlined in 40 CFR Part 51, Appendix V. Please note that a completeness determination does not constitute a finding on the merits of the submission or whether it meets the relevant criteria for SIP approval. We are currently reviewing the SIP revision to determine its approvability and will announce our proposed decision in the Federal Register.

If you or your staff have any questions regarding this letter, please contact our Regional Haze and SO₂ Section Chief, Michael Feldman, by email at feldman.michael@epa.gov or by telephone at 214-665-9793.

Sincerely,

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