

**BEFORE THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION**

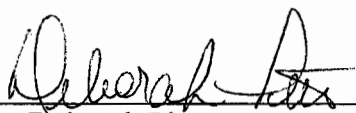
**IN THE MATTER OF AMENDMENTS TO )  
REGULATION NO. 19 REGULATIONS OF ) DOCKET NO 07-006-R  
THE ARKANSAS PLAN OF IMPLEMENTATION )  
FOR AIR POLLUTION CONTROL )**

**STATEMENT OF BASIS AND PURPOSE FOR REGULATION NO. 19**

40 CFR 51.308 requires all states to submit an implementation plan addressing regional haze in each mandatory Class I Federal area located within the state and areas located outside the state which may be affected by emissions from within the state. The implementation plan, among other things, must contain emission limits representing best available retrofit technology (BART) requirements for sources “that may reasonably be anticipated to cause or contribute to any impairment of visibility in any mandatory Class I federal area.” The purpose of these regulatory revisions is to meet the State’s obligation to establish BART requirements as found in 40 CFR 51.308(e). The revisions to Regulation 19 meet Arkansas’s obligation regarding the federal requirements contained in 40 CFR 51.308(e).

Respectfully Submitted,

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