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March 5, 2025

Ms. Cheryl Newton
Acting Regional Administrator
U.S. EPA, Region 5
77 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago, IL 60604-3950

Re: Five-Year Progress Report for the
Indiana Regional Haze State
Implementation Plan for the Second
Implementation Period

Dear Ms. Newton:

In accordance with the Regional Haze Rule requirements in 40 CFR 51.308(g) and (h), the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) submits this Five-Year Progress Report for the Indiana Regional Haze State Implementation Plan (SIP) for the Second Implementation Period. This report evaluates reasonable progress and provides a summary of the emission reductions for all emission management measures implemented by the State of Indiana for the 2018 to 2028 planning period.

IDEM provided a 30-day public comment period concerning this submittal on the *Draft Five-Year Progress Report for the Indiana Regional Haze State Implementation Plan for the Second Implementation Period*. There were comments received during the Federal Land Manager review process that are documented along with IDEM responses in Appendix E of this submittal. There were no comments received during the 30-day public notice period that concluded on March 1, 2025. Please refer to the supporting document in Appendix D for further information and dates regarding the public participation process.

Throughout the development of this submittal IDEM staff worked with U.S. EPA Region 5 to ensure that any potential concerns regarding this submission were addressed. IDEM would appreciate U.S. EPA's continued efforts to communicate regularly with us as it reviews and processes this submittal.

This submittal consists of one (1) hard copy of the required documentation. An electronic version of the submittal in PDF format that is identical to the hard copy has been sent to Charles Hatten of the Control Strategies Section within the Air Programs Branch at U.S. EPA Region 5. If you have any question or need additional information, please contact Leslie Ferguson, Senior Environmental Manager, Air Quality Planning Section, Office of Air Quality, IDEM, at (317) 233-1179 or lferguso@idem.IN.gov.

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We appreciate your input!



Sincerely,



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Enclosure:

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