

TITLE 326 AIR POLLUTION CONTROL DIVISION

Rule Information Sheet

Marion County Sulfur Dioxide Redesignation Emergency Rule

Overview

This emergency rule temporarily amends 326 IAC 1-4-50 to update the status of Center, Perry, and Wayne Townships in Marion County from “nonattainment” to “attainment” for the 2010 1-hour primary National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) for sulfur dioxide. This rule is in response to a final rule by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) published in the *Federal Register* on May 21, 2020 at 85 FR 30844 that redesignated these townships in Marion County from “nonattainment” to “attainment” for the 2010 1-hour primary NAAQS for sulfur dioxide.

Affected Persons

Regulated sources in Center, Perry, and Wayne Townships in Marion County that emit sulfur dioxide and are subject to major source permitting requirements will be affected by this rule.

Reasons for the Rule

This emergency rule is in response to a final rule published by the U.S. EPA in the *Federal Register* on May 21, 2020, that redesignated Center, Perry, and Wayne townships in Marion County from “nonattainment” to “attainment” for the 2010 1-hour primary NAAQS for sulfur dioxide.

Economic Impact of the Rule

This emergency rule will ease permitting conditions for affected sources in Center, Perry, and Wayne Townships in Marion County. IDEM will issue major permits under Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) pursuant to 326 IAC 2-2 rather than under Emission Offset pursuant 326 IAC 2-3, which it is currently doing. PSD permitting is less restrictive than Emission Offset.

Scheduled Board Action and Hearings*

Board Action: July 8, 2020

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/94833748189?pwd=VHQwdTI3Qk5pNjRLN05DdEiUeFE5dz09>

By Phone:

301-715-8592

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Meeting ID: 948 3374 8189

Password: 233258

*In accordance with IC 4-22-2-37.1, no public hearing is required prior to the adoption of an emergency rule. However, it is the practice of the Environmental Rules Board to allow someone to comment on a proposed emergency rule if the person submits an appearance card prior to the board adopting the emergency rule.

IDEM Contact

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