Mr. Donald S. Welsh
Regional Administrator
EPA Region III (3AP00)
1650 Arch Street
Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029

Dear Mr. Welsh:

I am enclosing a demonstration showing how Pennsylvania has satisfied the “infrastructure” elements for State Implementation Plans (SIP) required under Sections 110(a)(2)(A) - (M) of the Clean Air Act (CAA) for the eight-hour ozone and fine particulate matter (PM$_{2.5}$) National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS) adopted in 1997.

Those infrastructure elements that we have identified as either not already been addressed by currently SIP-approved or pending revisions, or that need updating are set forth in the document entitled State Implementation Plan Revision: Section 110(a)(2)(A) - (M) Requirements for Ozone and Fine Particulates. We are hereby submitting this document for your approval as a SIP revision under Section 110 of the CAA. The SIP revision was available for a 30-day public comment period, and a public hearing was held on October 16, 2007. No comments were received. Evidence of public notification is enclosed. These procedures meet the public participation requirements of the CAA and the Pennsylvania Air Pollution Control Act for a SIP revision.

I am enclosing with this letter a table that identifies those infrastructure requirements that we believe are already contained in the SIP and that are applicable to both the eight-hour ozone and PM$_{2.5}$ NAAQS, as well as those infrastructure requirements applicable to the eight-hour ozone NAAQS that we believe are contained in SIP revisions which have been submitted to but not yet approved by EPA. The attainment and maintenance plans and the regulations cited in this table went through public notice and hearing prior to submittal to EPA. The table also identifies those infrastructure requirements that are not applicable to Pennsylvania.

I am also submitting under separate cover a SIP revision that meets specific obligations under CAA Section 110(a)(2)(D)(i).

Should you have any questions concerning the requested SIP revision, please contact Joyce E. Epps, Director, Bureau of Air Quality, by e-mail at jeepps@state.pa.us or by telephone at 717-787-9702.

Sincerely,

Kathleen A. McGinty
Secretary

Enclosures