

contingency measures under CAA sections 172(c)(9) and 182(c)(9) that would be triggered based on a failure to attain the 1-hour NAAQS or to make reasonable further progress toward attainment of the 1-hour NAAQS. A State may not remove from the SIP a contingency measure that is an applicable requirement.

(3) *Conformity determinations for the 1-hour NAAQS.* Upon revocation of the 1-hour NAAQS for an area, conformity determinations pursuant to section 176(c) of the CAA are no longer required for the 1-hour NAAQS. At that time, any provisions of applicable SIPs that require conformity determinations in such areas for the 1-hour NAAQS will no longer be enforceable pursuant to section 176(c)(5) of the CAA.

(4) *Nonattainment area new source review under the 1-hour NAAQS.* (i) Upon revocation of the 1-hour ozone NAAQS, for any area that was designated nonattainment for the 1-hour ozone NAAQS, the area's implementation plan provisions satisfying sections 172(c)(5) and 173 of the CAA (including provisions satisfying section 182) based on the area's previous 1-hour ozone NAAQS classification are no longer required elements of an approvable implementation plan. Instead, the area's implementation plan must meet the requirements contained in paragraphs (e)(4)(ii) through (e)(4)(iv) of this section.

(ii) If the area is designated nonattainment for the 8-hour ozone NAAQS, the implementation plan must include requirements to implement the provisions of sections 172(c)(5) and 173 of the CAA based on the area's 8-hour ozone NAAQS classification under part 81 of this chapter, and the provisions of § 51.165.

(iii) If the area is designated attainment or unclassifiable for the 8-hour ozone NAAQS, the area's implementation plan must include provisions to implement the provisions of section 165 of the CAA, and the provisions of § 51.166 of this part, unless the provisions of § 52.21 of this chapter apply in such area.

(iv) If the area is designated attainment or unclassifiable but is located in an Ozone Transport Region, the area's

implementation plan must include provisions to implement, consistent with the requirements in section 184 of the CAA, the requirements of sections 172(c) and 173 of the CAA as if the area is classified as moderate nonattainment for the 8-hour ozone NAAQS.

(f) *What is the continued applicability of the NO_x SIP Call after revocation of the 1-hour NAAQS?* The NO_x SIP Call shall continue to apply after revocation of the 1-hour NAAQS. Control obligations approved into the SIP pursuant to 40 CFR 51.121 and 51.122 may be modified by the State only if the requirements of §§ 51.121 and 51.122, including the statewide NO_x emission budgets, continue to be met and the State makes a showing consistent with section 110(l) of the CAA.

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§ 51.906 Redesignation to nonattainment following initial designations for the 8-hour NAAQS.

For any area that is initially designated attainment or unclassifiable for the 8-hour NAAQS and that is subsequently redesignated to nonattainment for the 8-hour ozone NAAQS, any absolute, fixed date applicable in connection with the requirements of this part is extended by a period of time equal to the length of time between the effective date of the initial designation for the 8-hour NAAQS and the effective date of redesignation, except as otherwise provided in this subpart.

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§ 51.907 For an area that fails to attain the 8-hour NAAQS by its attainment date, how does EPA interpret sections 172(a)(2)(C)(ii) and 181(a)(5)(B) of the CAA?

For purposes of applying sections 172(a)(2)(C) and 181(a)(5) of the CAA, an area will meet the requirement of section 172(a)(2)(C)(ii) or 181(a)(5)(B) of the CAA pertaining to 1-year extensions of the attainment date if:

(a) For the first 1-year extension, the area's 4th highest daily 8-hour average in the attainment year is 0.084 ppm or less.

(b) For the second 1-year extension, the area's 4th highest daily 8-hour