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West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Division of Air Quality

Comment Period Opens: March 10, 2023

Comment Period Closes: April 11, 2023

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Type of Notice: Public Comment Period and Public Hearing

Location: Statewide

Proposed Activity: Revision to State Plan

Project Description: Control of Air Pollution from Combustion of Solid Waste for Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incineration (CISWI) Units

The West Virginia DEP, Division of Air Quality (DAQ) is revising the CAA section 111(d)/129 State Plan for the Control of Air Pollution from Combustion of Solid Waste for Commercial and Industrial Solid Waste Incineration (CISWI) Units. The plan revision incorporates changes made to rule 45CSR18 (Control of Air Pollution from Combustion of Solid Waste) which became effective April 1, 2022. Revision to the rule necessitates DAQ submit a State Plan revision to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA). The public hearing is being held to satisfy requirements for submitting a revised CAA section 111(d)/129 State Plan.

The proposed State Plan will be available for public review March 10, 2023 on the website at <https://dep.wv.gov/daq/publicnoticeandcomment/Pages/default.aspx> or during normal work hours at the Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Air Quality's Charleston office.

Written comments must be received by the DAQ before 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 11, 2023.

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The DEP is holding the public hearing virtually and registration is required in advance. Instructions for participating and providing oral comments are provided below. The purpose of the public hearing is to receive oral comments concerning the revision to the State Plan.

Public Hearing: April 11, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.

To participate in the public hearing either online or by telephone, register before 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 11, 2023. To register, please complete the participant registration form at https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeEYdAabG9tRpP9RVvydZYzfkyyvft2H9cVaZ50apzWSeoYpzw/viewform?usp=sf_link. To register to speak, please indicate “yes” you want to provide oral comments on the record. A confirmation e-mail will be sent with information on how to join the public hearing. If you do not have internet access and want to register, please contact Nicole Ernest at (304) 926-0499 ext. 41256. Registration for the online hearing is required to fulfill the state’s obligation under federal air quality regulations to document the list of participants.

If you wish to speak at the public hearing, verbal testimony is limited to 5 minutes for each witness. If participating virtually, video demonstrations and screen sharing by witnesses is not permitted.