Enclosure B:
Notice of Intent to Revise the State Implementation Plan for Air Quality:
Meeting the Clean Air Act’s Infrastructure Requirements for the
2012 Fine Particle NAAQS

The Commissioner of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) hereby
gives notice of his intent to amend the State Implementation Plan (SIP) to address sections
110(a)(1) and (2) of the Clean Air Act (CAA) with respect to the 2012 fine particle (PM$_{2.5}$)
national ambient air quality standard (NAAQS). The CAA section 110(a)(1) and (2)
requirements, which are referred to as infrastructure requirements, provide that a state must
demonstrate its ability to implement, maintain and enforce a revised NAAQS. The SIP revisions
will be submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for review and approval.

This SIP revision includes two new submissions Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies
(RCSA) section 22a-174-1(19) and RCSA section 22a-174-36. The submission of RCSA section
22a-174-1(19) is a definition to support the previously submitted Connecticut General Statutes
(CGS) section 22a-174(f). RCSA section 22a-174-36 is the Low Emissions Vehicle III. Both of
these regulations are elements of Connecticut’s infrastructure for PM$_{2.5}$.

The authority to adopt this SIP revision is granted by sections 22a-5 and 22a-174 of the
Connecticut General Statutes. This notice is required pursuant to 40 Code of Federal
Regulations 51.102.

A copy of the proposed SIP revision is available for public inspection during normal business
hours at DEEP’s Bureau of Air Management, Planning and Standards Division, 5th Floor, 79
Elm Street, Hartford, CT. The SIP revision is also posted on DEEP’s website at the following

All interested persons are invited to comment on the proposed request. Comments should be
submitted no later than 5:00 PM on December 7, 2015 via electronic mail to
Kathleen.knight@ct.gov; via facsimile to 860-706-5339; or via postal carrier to DEEP, Bureau of
Air Management, 5th Floor, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT 06106-4064.

In accordance with 40 CFR 51.102, DEEP will hold a hearing at the time and location set out
below only if a request for such a hearing is made on or before December 1, 2015 at 4:00 PM.

PUBLIC HEARING
December 7, 2015 at
1:00 PM
Department of Energy and Environmental Protection, 5th Floor,
Holcombe Room 79 Elm Street
Hartford, CT 06106
A request to hold the hearing identified above may be made by any person by electronic mail to Kathleen.knight@ct.gov or by telephone (860-424-3823). Such a request must be made by 4:00 PM on December 1, 2015. If no request for a hearing is received on or before that date, the hearing will be cancelled. Information on the status of the hearing will be posted on DEEP’s website http://www.ct.gov/deep/cwp/browse.asp?a=2586&deepNav_GID=1511 as of December 2, 2015.

Questions concerning the public hearing may be directed to 860-424-3823 or Kathleen.knight@ct.gov.

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October 28, 2015

Date

[Signature]

Michael Sullivan
Deputy Commissioner