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Adequacy Determination of the Connecticut State Implementation Plan for Clean Air Act Section 110(a) Infrastructure Elements: 2010 National Ambient Air Quality Standard for Nitrogen Dioxide (NO₂)

On January 22, 2010, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) revised the primary national ambient air quality standard (NAAQS) for oxides of nitrogen, as measured by nitrogen dioxide (NO₂). Specifically, EPA established a new 1-hour standard at a level of 100 parts per billion, based on the 3-year average of the 98th percentile of the yearly distribution of 1-hour daily maximum concentrations, to supplement the existing annual standard. EPA finalized initial designations in February 2012, assigning all of Connecticut as unclassifiable/attainment for the new NAAQS, based on available monitoring data from the 2008-2010 period. EPA's January 22, 2010 rulemaking also required Connecticut and other states to establish near-road monitoring networks to better determine NO₂ levels near heavily traveled roadways. Connecticut expects to begin phase-in of its near-road monitoring network by early 2013.

Pursuant to Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 110(a)(l) and (2), all states are required to submit any necessary revisions to their State Implemenation Plans (SIP) to provide for the implementation, maintenance and enforcement of any revised or new NAAQS. States are required to maintain a comprehensive air quality management infrastructure, including enforceable emission limitations, an ambient monitoring program, an enforcement program, air quality modeling, and adequate personnel, resources, and legal authority. Section 110(a)(2)(D)(i) also requires each SIP to prohibit emissions from within the state that contribute significantly to nonattainment or maintenance areas in any other state, or which interfere with programs to prevent significant deterioration of air quality or to achieve reasonable progress toward the national visibility goal for Federal class I areas (national parks and wilderness areas). The infrastructure SIP revisions are due by January 2013, three years after promulgation of the revised NO₂ NAAQS.

The Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP) hereby reviews its program infrastructure in relation to the revised 2010 NO₂ NAAQS for each of the required CAA section 110(a)(2) infrastructure elements. Details of how Connecticut's SIP now satisfies or will, after revision, satisfy the infrastructure requirements are set out in Table 1 below.

Currently, DEEP is implementing the suggested significant impact levels and other Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) requirements in EPA's June 29, 2010 "Guidance Concerning the Implementation of the 1-hour NO2 NAAQS for the Prevention of Significant Deterioration Program". DEEP recognizes that EPA may, at some point in the future, establish a short-term PSD increment, significant impact level, significant emission rate, and/or significant monitoring level for the 2010 1-hour NO₂ NAAQS. If that occurs, DEEP commits to pursue adoption of appropriate regulatory revisions within a reasonable period following EPA's final adoption of required PSD program parameters

In addition, DEEP is drafting revisions to Section 22a-174-24 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA) to ensure consistency with the 2010 1-hour NO₂ NAAQS, as well as other NAAQS recently revised by EPA. DEEP commits to pursue adoption of these regulatory revisions, with a goal of completion by September 30, 2013.

TABLE 1

Overview of How Connecticut's State Implementation Plan Satisfies the CAA Section 110(a)(1) and (2) Program Infrastructure Elements for Nitrogen Dioxide (NO₂)¹

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
110(a)(2)(A)	"include enforceable emission	CGS Section 22a-6(a)(1) The commissioner is empowered to "[a]dopt, amend or
Emission limits	limitations and other control measures,	repeal such environmental standards, criteria and regulations as are necessary
and other	means, or techniques (including economic	and proper to carry out his functions, powers and duties." It is under this general
control	incentives such as fees, marketable	grant of authority that the Commissioner has adopted emissions standards and control
measures	permits, and auctions of emissions rights),	measures for a variety of sources and pollutants.
	as well as schedules and timetables for	CGS Section 22a-174 Establishes the Commissioner's general authority to adopt
	compliance"	regulations and issue permits to control air pollution.
		CGS Section 22a-174g California motor vehicle emissions standards (for model
		year 2008 and later vehicles).
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		The sections of the air quality regulations that specify or are used to establish
		emissions limits related to the control of nitrogen oxides include RCSA sections:
		22a-174-3a(i) - (l) Prevention of significant deterioration and nonattainment new
		source review ²
		22a-174-22 NO _x emissions
		22a-174-22c CAIR ozone season trading program
		22a-174-24(k) Ambient air quality standards for nitrogen dioxide ³
		22a-174-27 Periodic motor vehicle inspection and maintenance

¹ CAA refers to the Clean Air Act.

CGS refers to the **Connecticut General Statutes**.

RCSA refers to the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

CFR refers to the Code of Federal Regulations.

DEEP refers to the Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection.

Commissioner refers to the Commissioner of the DEEP.

² DEEP recognizes that EPA may, at some point in the future, establish a short-term Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) increment, significant impact level, significant emission rate, and/or significant monitoring level for the 2010 1-hour NO₂ NAAQS. If that occurs, DEEP commits to pursue adoption of appropriate regulatory revisions within a reasonable period following EPA final adoption of required PSD program parameters. In the interim, DEEP will continue to apply the suggested significant impact levels and other PSD requirements described in EPA's June 29, 2010 "Guidance Concerning the Implementation of the 1-hour NO2 NAAQS for the Prevention of Significant Deterioration Program".

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
		22a-174-36 Low emission vehicles program
		22a-174-36a Heavy duty diesel engines
		22a-174-36b Low emission vehicles II program ⁴
		22a-174-38 Municipal waste combustors
110(a)(2)(B)	"provide for establishment and	CGS Section 22a-174(d) Provides the commissioner with all incidental powers
Ambient Air	operation of appropriate devices, methods,	necessary to control air pollution.
quality	systems, and procedures necessary to (i)	
Monitoring/data	monitor, compile, and analyze data on	40 CFR 53; 40 CFR 58 Establishes ambient air monitoring reference and equivalent
system	ambient air quality, and (ii) upon request,	methods and ambient air quality surveillance requirements. States are required to
	make such data available to the	submit a comprehensive air quality monitoring plan to EPA each year. DEEP's 2012
	Administrator."	Annual Air Monitoring Network Plan was submitted on July 12, 2012, and included
		DEEP's 2012 Near Road Nitrogen Dioxide Network Plan. DEEP previously
		submitted the required <u>Ambient Air Monitoring 5-Year Network Assessment</u> on
		August 9, 2010.
110(a)(2)(C)	"include a program to provide for the	CGS Section 22a-6(a)(5) "The commissioner may in accordance with
Program for	enforcement of the measures described in	constitutional limitations, enter at all reasonable times, without liability, upon any
enforcement of	subparagraph (A), and regulation of the	public or private property, except a private residence, for the purpose of inspection
control	modification and construction of any	and investigation to ascertain possible violations of any statute, regulation, order or
measures	stationary source within the areas covered	permit administered, adopted or issued by him and the owner, managing agent or
	by the plan as necessary to assure that	occupant of any such property shall permit such entry"
	national ambient air quality standards are	CGS Section 22a-6b Imposition of civil penalties by the commissioner.
	achieved, including a permit program as	CGS Section 22a-7(d) Civil actions.
	required in parts C and D;"	CGS Section 22a-171 "The commissioner shall (4) adopt, amend, repeal and
		enforce regulations and do any other act necessary to enforce the provisions of
		this chapter" (which encompasses CGS Sections 22a-170 through 22a-206).
		CGS Section 22a-175 Penalties for violations.
		CGS Section 22a-176 Consideration in making regulations and issuing orders.
		CGS Section 22a-177 Enforcement of Regulations. Complaints.
		CGS Section 22a-178 Orders to correct violations.
		CGS Section 22a-180 Penalty for violations of orders. Injunctions.

³ DEEP is currently drafting revisions to Section 22a-174-24 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (RCSA) to ensure consistency with the 2010 1-hour NO₂ NAAQS, as well as other NAAQS recently revised by EPA. In the interim, pursuant to 40 CFR 52.14, DEEP will observe the 2010 NO₂ NAAQS.

⁴ DEEP is currently pursuing adoption of California's low emission vehicle, phase 3 standards (CALEVIII).

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
		RCSA section 22a-3a-6(c) Orders, rulings and decisions - procedures in contested cases.
		RCSA section 22a-174-2a Specifies administrative requirements for the new source review (NSR) program, including notification concerning major sources permits and modifications.
		RCSA section 22a-174-3a Permit to construct and operate stationary sources. This section sets out DEEP's NSR permit program requirements. Connecticut's NSR program is SIP approved.
		RCSA section 22a-174-12 Violations and Enforcement of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies. This section provides that "The Commissioner shall designate employees of DEP to be known as enforcement personnel, who shall, acting with or without complaints, conduct investigations and ascertain whether the Commissioner's regulations are being complied with."
110(a)(2)(D)	" contain adequate provisions - (i)	Connecticut sources do not significantly contribute to nitrogen dioxide non-
Interstate	prohibiting, consistent with the provisions	attainment or maintenance areas in other states, as all surrounding areas are
transport	of this title, any source or other type of emissions activity within the State from emitting any air pollutant in amounts	designated by EPA as "unclassifiable/attainment". In addition, Connecticut's NOx emissions are projected to continue to decline through at least the year 2025, further reducing any impacts from Connecticut on other states.
	which will - (I) contribute significantly to	reducing any impacts from connectication other states.
	nonattainment in, or interfere with maintenance by, any other State with respect to any such national primary or secondary ambient air quality standard, or	RCSA section 22a-174-3a Prevention of significant deterioration and nonattainment new source review ⁷ requirements, which include modeling requirements that ensure new/modified sources to not cause/contribute to NAAQS issues in nearby states.
	(II) interfere with measures required to be	Connecticut's Regional Haze SIP was submitted to EPA on November 18, 2009.
	included in the applicable implementation	EPA has not acted on that submission.
	plan for any other State under part C to prevent significant deterioration of air	

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⁵ http://www.epa.gov/airquality/nitrogenoxides/designations/state.html

⁶ On June 22, 2012, DEEP submitted a <u>PM2.5 Redesignation/Maintenance SIP</u> to EPA that includes NOx emissions projections for Fairfield and New Haven Counties. NOx emissions in those two counties are projected to decrease by more than 50% between 2007 and 2025. Similar reductions are expected throughout the rest of the state.

⁷ DEEP recognizes that EPA may, at some point in the future, establish a short-term Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) increment, significant impact level, significant emission rate, and/or significant monitoring level for the 2010 1-hour NO₂ NAAQS. If that occurs, DEEP commits to pursue adoption of appropriate regulatory revisions within a reasonable period following EPA final adoption of required PSD program parameters. In the interim, DEEP will continue to apply the suggested significant impact levels and other PSD requirements described in EPA's June 29, 2010 "Guidance Concerning the Implementation of the 1-hour NO2 NAAQS for the Prevention of Significant Deterioration Program".

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
	quality or to protect visibility,	
	(ii) insuring [sic] compliance with the applicable; requirements of sections 126 and 115 (relating to interstate and international pollution abatement);"	RCSA section 22a-174-2a includes administrative requirements for the new source review (NSR) program, including notification concerning major sources permits and modifications ⁸ .
110(a)(2)(E)	"provide (i) necessary assurances that	CGS Section 22a-171 Duties of the Commissioner of Environmental Protection.
Adequate	the State (or, except where the	"shall (1) initiate and supervise programs for the purposes of determining the causes,
Adequate Resources	Administrator deems inappropriate, the general purpose local government or governments, or a regional agency designated by the State or general purpose local governments for such purpose) will have adequate personnel, funding, and authority under State (and, as appropriate, local) law to carry out such implementation plan (and is not prohibited by any provision of Federal or State law from carrying out such implementation plan or portion thereof), (ii) requirements that the State comply with the requirements respecting State boards under section 128, and (iii) necessary assurances that, where the State has relied on a local or regional government, agency, or instrumentality for the implementation of any plan provision, the State has responsibility for ensuring adequate implementation of such plan provision;"	effect and hazards of air pollution; (2) initiate and supervise state-wide programs of air pollution control education; (3) cooperate with and receive money from the federal government and, with the approval of the Governor, from any other public or private source; (4) adopt, amend, repeal and enforce regulations as provided in section 22a-174 and do any other act necessary to enforce the provisions of this chapter and section 14-164c; (5) advise and consult with agencies of the United States, agencies of the state, political subdivisions and industries and any other affected groups in furtherance of the purposes of this chapter." Air Quality Implementation Plan, Chapter 11, Parts A-E (March 3, 1972). Describes the (A) existing organizations; (B) manpower; (C) funding; (D) physical resources and (E) local agencies. It stated, in part, "The Department of Environmental Protection will secure appropriations sufficient, in conjunction with federal assistance, to maintain the projected state funding levels." CGS section 1-85 CAA section 128(a)(2) requires SIPs to contain adequate provisions requiring the DEEP commissioner to disclose any potential conflicts of interest. Connecticut has in place conflict of interest provisions that are broader than EPA's minimum requirements and that apply to all state employees and public officials. These requirements, which are set out in section 1-85 of the Connecticut General Statutes (CGS), prevent DEEP's commissioner from acting on a matter when a substantial conflict of interest exists. CGS section 1-85 is attached for approval by EPA as a part of this SIP revision.
		DEEP is the sole authority implementing the SIP and does not rely on local or regional governments or agencies to carry out this responsibility.

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⁸ DEEP recently finalized revisions to RCSA 22a-174-2a explicitly requiring notice to nearby states, consistent with CAA section 126 and 40 CFR 51.166(q).

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
110(a)(2)(F)	"require, as may be prescribed by the	CGS Section 22a-6(a)(5) "The commissioner may, in accordance with constitutional
Stationary	Administrator - (i) the installation,	limitations, enter at all reasonable times, without liability, upon any public or private
source	maintenance, and replacement of	property, except a private residence, for the purpose of inspection and investigation to
monitoring	equipment, and the implementation of	ascertain possible violations of any statute, regulation, order or permit administered,
system	other necessary steps, by owners or	adopted or issued by him and the owner, managing agent or occupant of any such
	operators of stationary sources to monitor	property shall permit such entry"
	emissions from such sources, (ii) periodic	CGS Section 22a-174(c) Various powers of the commissioner related to permitting,
	reports on the nature and amounts of	inspections, and recordkeeping.
	emissions and emissions-related data from	
	such sources, and (iii) correlation of such	RCSA section 22a-174-4 Source monitoring, record keeping and reporting.
	reports by the State agency with any	Paragraph (d)(1) states: "The commissioner may, by written notice, require the owner
	emission limitations or standards	or operator of any source to create, maintain and submit data, records or reports of
	established pursuant to this Act, which	monitoring data and other information deemed necessary by the commissioner to
	reports shall be available at reasonable	evaluate compliance with chapter 446c of the Connecticut General Statutes and
	times for public inspection;"	regulations promulgated thereunder. Such information shall be recorded, compiled
		and submitted on forms furnished or prescribed by the commissioner. The written
		notice shall provide the date by which such data, records or reports shall be submitted
		to the commissioner."
		RCSA section 22a-174-5 Methods for sampling, emission testing, sample analysis,
		and reporting.
		Subsection (e)(1) states: "The owner or operator of a stationary source of air
		pollution with maximum uncontrolled emissions of any particular air pollutant
		greater than one hundred (100) tons per year shall be required to carry out
		emission tests as prescribed by the Commissioner. Such test or tests shall be
		conducted at such intervals as the Commissioner may specify for an individual
		stationary source."
		Subsection (e)(2) states: "In addition to the emission tests required in subdivision
		22a-174-5(e)(1), the commissioner may require the owner or operator of any
		stationary source to conduct emission tests of emissions."
		RCSA section 22a-174-10 Public availability of information. Paragraph (a) states:
		"Any records, reports or other information obtained by the Commissioner or on file
		with the department shall, pursuant to the provisions of sections 1-7 through 20 of the
110(a)(2)(C)	"provide for outherity comparable to	General Statutes, as amended, be made available to the public." CGS Section 22a-181 Emergency action to protect public health or safety.
110(a)(2)(G)	"provide for authority comparable to that in section 303 and adequate	CGS Section 22a-161 Emergency action to protect public health of safety.
Emergency		DCSA gastion 22a 174.6 Air pollution amarganay anisada proceduras. This section
Power	contingency plans to implement such	RCSA section 22a-174-6 Air pollution emergency episode procedures. This section describes the existing emergency episode procedures in place, which are consistent
	authority;"	with the significant harm levels as indicated in 40 CFR Part 51.151.
		with the significant narm levels as indicated in 40 CFR Part 31.131.

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
110(a)(2)(H)	"provide for revision of such plan - (i)	CGS section 22a-174(d) The Commissioner is authorized with all incidental powers
Future SIP	from time to time as may be necessary to	necessary to control and prohibit air pollution.
revisions	take account of revisions of such national primary or secondary ambient air quality standard or the availability of improved or more expeditious methods of attaining such standard, and (ii) except as provided in paragraph (3)(C), whenever the Administrator finds on the basis of information available to the Administrator that the plan is substantially inadequate to attain the national ambient air quality standard which it implements or to otherwise comply with any additional requirements established under this Act;"	Air Quality Implementation Plan, Chapter 13, (March 3, 1972). "This implementation plan is intended to be dynamic, not static. To this end, it will be revised when necessary." DEEP has made numerous SIP revisions addressing the NAAQS. Most recently, DEEP submitted revisions to its notification requirements for the PSD program on September 27, 2012 and to add PM2.5 to the NSR program on October 9, 2012.
110(a)(2)(I)	" in the case of a plan or plan revision	In January 2012, EPA designated Connecticut as unclassifiable/attainment for the
Nonattainment area plans	for an area designated as a nonattainment area, meet the applicable requirements of part D of this subchapter (relating to non attainment areas)."	2010 NO ₂ NAAQS. As a result, CAA section 110(a)(2)(I) does not apply to Connecticut.
110(a)(2)(J) Consultation with government officials	"meet the applicable requirements of section 121 (relating to consultation)"	CGS Section 22a-171 Duties of Commissioner of Environmental Protection. " (5) advise and consult with agencies of the United States, agencies of the state, political subdivisions and industries and any other affected groups in furtherance of the purposes of this chapter." CGS Section 22a-174(d) "The commissioner shall have all incidental powers to carry out the purposes of [Chapter 446c, entitled "Air Pollution Control," which encompasses Conn. Gen. Stat. Sections 22a-170 through 22a-206] CGS Chapter 54 Uniform Administrative Procedures Act. State Implementation Plan Revision Advisory Committee (SIPRAC) Established in 1972 and generally meets each month.

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
110(a)(2)(J)	"meet the applicable requirements of	CGS Section 4-168 Notice prior to action on regulations.
Public	section 127 (relating to public	CGS Section 22a-171 Duties of Commissioner of Environmental Protection"(2)
notification	notification),"	Initiate and supervise state-wide programs of air pollution controlleducation;"
		CGS Section 22a-174(d) "The commissioner shall have all incidental powers to carry
		out the purposes of [Chapter 446c, entitled "Air PollutionControl," which
		encompasses Conn. Gen. Stat. Sections 22a-170 through22a-206]
		RCSA section 22a-174-2a(b) Procedural requirements for new source review and
		Title V permitting. Public notice.
		RCSA section 22a-174-2a(c) Procedural requirements for new source review and
		Title V permitting. Public Comment and Hearings.
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		AQI Forecasting and Reporting. Pursuant to 40CFR58.50, DEEP provides daily air
		quality forecasts to the public via EPA's AirNow and Enviroflash programs, as well as via DEEP's website and air quality information telephone line.
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110(a)(2)(J) PSD	"meet the applicable requirements of	RCSA section 22a-174-2a includes administrative requirements for the new source
and Visibility	part C (relating to prevention of	review (NSR) program, including notification concerning major sources permits and
Protection	significant deterioration of air quality and	modifications ⁹ .
	visibility protection);"	RCSA section 22a-174-3a(k) Permit Requirements for Attainment Areas:
		Prevention of Significant Deterioration of Air Quality (PSD) Program ¹⁰ .
		EPA has interpreted the CAA Section 110(a)(2)(J) provision on visibility as not being
		'triggered' because the visibility requirements in Part C are not changed by a new
		NAAQS ¹¹ .

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⁹ DEEP recently finalized revisions to RCSA 22a-174-2a explicitly requiring notice to nearby states, consistent with CAA section 126 and 40 CFR 51.166(q).

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¹¹ For example, see EPA's July 23, 2012 proposed Federal Register approval of CT's PM2.5 Infrastructure SIP, finalized on October 16, 2012.

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
110(a)(2)(K) Air	"provide for - (i) the performance of	CGS section 22a-5. Duties and powers of the commissioner. "The commissioner
Quality modeling/data	such air quality modeling as the Administrator may prescribe for the purpose of predicting the effect on ambient air quality of any emissions of any air pollutant for which the Administrator has established a national ambient air quality standard, and (ii) the submission, upon request, of data related to such air quality modeling to the Administrator;"	shall carry out the environmental policies of the state and shall have all powers necessary and convenient to faithfully discharge this duty. In addition to, and consistent with the environment policy of the state, the commissioner shall (a) promote and coordinate management of water, land and air resources to assure their protection, enhancement and proper allocation and utilization; (e) provide for the prevention and abatement of all water, land and air pollution including, but not limited to, that related to particulates, gases, dust, vapors, noise, radiation, odors, nutrients and cooled or heated liquids, gases and solids;" RCSA section 22a-174-3a(i) Ambient Air Quality Analysis: "The commissioner may request any owner or operator to submit an ambient air quality impact analysis using applicable air quality models and modeling protocols approved by the commissioner."
110(a)(2)(L) Permitting fees	"require the owner or operator of each major stationary source to pay to the permitting authority, as a condition of any permit required under this Act, a fee sufficient to cover - (i) the reasonable costs of reviewing and acting upon any application for such a permit, and (ii) if the owner or operator receives a permit for such source, the reasonable costs of implementing and enforcing the terms and conditions of any such permit (not including any court costs or other costs associated with any enforcement action), until such fee requirement is superseded with respect to such sources by the Administrator's approval of a fee program under title V;"	CGS Section 22a-6(a)(10) "The commissioner may by regulations adopted in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 require the payment of a fee sufficient to cover the reasonable cost of reviewing and acting upon an application for and monitoring compliance with the terms and conditions of any state or federal permit, license, registration, order, certificate or approval required" CGS Section 22a-6f Fees. CGS Section 22a-174(g) "The commissioner shall require, by regulations adopted in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54, the payment of a permit application fee sufficient to cover the reasonable costs of reviewing and acting upon an application for, and monitoring compliance with the terms and conditions of, any state or federal permit, license, order, certificate or approval required pursuant to this section" RCSA section 22a-174-26(c)(1) "Each person to whom the commissioner issues a permit, or a modification or renewal thereto, under section 22a-174-3a, section 22a-174-2a and section 22a-174-19 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies shall pay a permit fee as prescribed in the fee schedule in subdivision (2) of this subsection." The fee schedule is set forth in Table 26-1 of subsection 2. RCSA section 22a-174-33(j)(1)(Z) Requires Title V source to pay all fees due under RCSA section 22a-174-26 (Approved as satisfying 40 CFR 70.6(a)(7). See 67 FR 31966 (May 13, 2002))

CAA Section	Required CAA Element	Corresponding Connecticut Program Element(s)
110(a)(2)(M)	"provide for consultation and	CGS Section 4-168 Notice prior to action on regulations.
Consultation	participation by local political	
/participation by	subdivisions affected by the plan."	Connecticut Air Quality Implementation Plan, Chapter 12 "Intergovernmental
affected local		Relations" (March 3, 1972) "The State will take immediate action in coordinating
entities		and delegating new responsibilities to local agencies that are prepared to accept the
		responsibility."
		State Implementation Plan Revision Advisory Committee (SIPRAC)
		Established in 1972 and generally meets each month.