



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 4

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JUN 18 2010

The Honorable Mark Sanford  
Governor of South Carolina  
P.O. Box 12267  
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Dear Governor Sanford:

On May 27, 2010, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 4 sent you a letter regarding the 1997 8-hour ozone national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) bi-state Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill nonattainment area (bi-state Charlotte area). Specifically, the May 27, 2010, letter announced that the sanctions clocks for the finding of failure to submit the attainment demonstration for the 1997 8-hour ozone NAAQS issued to South Carolina on May 8, 2009, for the bi-state Charlotte area, were now stopped. In that letter, we inadvertently stated that the revised state implementation plan submissions regarding the attainment demonstrations were received from the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control (SC DHEC) on November 13, 2008, and April 29, 2009. EPA actually received the submissions from SC DHEC on November 13, 2009, and April 29, 2010.

We are sending this letter to correct the typographical errors with regard to the dates (specifically, the year) of receipt for the bi-state Charlotte area attainment demonstration submissions for South Carolina. See attached for the corrections noted on the original letter. The other information in the May 27, 2010, letter remains in effect.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (404) 562-8357 or have a member of your staff contact Kenneth R. Lapierre, Acting Director, Air, Pesticides and Toxics Management Division at (404) 562-9077.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. Stanley Meiburg".

A. Stanley Meiburg  
Acting Regional Administrator

Enclosure

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