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SIP Revision: Implementation Plan for Attaining National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), April 15, 1975

The Texas State Implementation Plan (SIP) was revised by the Texas Air Control Board (TACB) on August 15, 1974; February 15, 1975; and April 15, 1975; based on the original Texas SIP, dated January 26, 1972.

Summary of the SIP Revision

Adoption Date: 04/15/1975

EPA Action: On April 18, 1977 (42 FR 20130), the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) approved sulfur dioxide (SO_2) classification changes, but rejected the plan's carbon monoxide (CO) and particulate matter (PM) classification changes. The EPA approved other administrative aspects of the plan on April 20, 1977 (42 FR 20462), June 1, 1977 (42 FR 27892), and July 6, 1977 (42 FR 34517).

Background: The Texas SIP was revised on August 15, 1974, February 15, 1975, and April 15, 1975.

Key Changes: The August 15, 1974 SIP revision included updated TACB organizational changes, language specifying the requirement for 30-day notice prior to hearings to conform to federal regulations, an updated compliance abatement schedule, an update of Emergency Action Center operational staff information as part of the Episode Plan, corrections to Regional Information, new procedures for source surveillance, and a Source Surveillance Investigator's Report. The SIP revision also included a summary of the 1972 emissions inventory.

The February 15, 1975, SIP Semiannual Report SIP revision, and subsequent revisions dated April 15, 1975, included new reference information for wind rose data, updated regional priority classifications using 1973 ambient air quality data and 1972 emission data, new CO control strategies for El Paso reflecting priority reclassification, new SO2 control strategies for El Paso, updated compliance abatement schedules, revised permit forms, estimates of available resources for implementation of the SIP from 1975 through 1980, and revised SO2 control rules.

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