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SIP Revision: Limited Maintenance Plan (LMP) for the Victoria County Ozone Attainment Area, February 5, 2003

On February 5, 2003, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) adopted an LMP State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision for the ozone maintenance area of Victoria County.

Summary of the SIP Revision

Adoption Date: 02/05/2003

Proposal Date: 11/06/2002

EPA Approval Date: 01/03/2005 ([70 FR 22](#))

Background: On May 8, 1995, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) redesignated Victoria County to attainment for the one-hour ozone standard following the state's submission of a redesignation petition and maintenance plan for the area in 1994. Under §175A(b) of the Federal Clean Air Act (FCAA), states are required to submit a subsequent maintenance plan eight years after an area is redesignated to attainment.

Key Changes: On February 5, 2003, the TCEQ adopted this LMP that included a 1996 emissions inventory (EI), a control strategy that consisted of various national and regional control measures that improved air quality in Victoria (the National Low Emission Vehicle program (NLEV), Stage I vapor recovery at large gas stations, cleaner gasoline, grandfathered facility permitting, reductions in nitrogen oxides (NO_x) from large point sources, and California Air Resources Board (CARB) spark-ignition engines), a prevention of significant deterioration permitting program to limit future emissions growth, continued monitoring throughout the maintenance period, and contingency measures that would provide prompt correction of an exceedance of the ozone standard.

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