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Adam Ortiz
Regional Administrator
Air and Radiation Division (3AD00)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III
1650 Arch Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103-2029

Dear Mr. Ortiz,

The Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) hereby submits to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), *State Implementation Plan Revision: Motor Vehicle Emission Budget Revisions Based on the MOVES3 Model, Washington DC-MD-VA 2008 Ozone NAAQS Maintenance Plan*.

As agreed, MDE is submitting the revised VOC and NOX Motor Vehicle Emission Budgets for the maintenance area using MOVES3.0.4. No other portions of the original 2008 Maintenance Plan were updated.

MDE certifies that an electronic copy of this SIP has been provided to EPA for review. We are also providing documentation of our compliance with the requirement to provide a thirty-day comment period on this submittal. The Department received comments, which were addressed in Appendix F of the SIP. A public hearing for this SIP was held. All required administrative procedures were followed throughout the hearing process.

If you have any questions concerning this SIP action, please feel free to call me at 410-537-3084 or Mr. Chris Hoagland, Director of the Air and Radiation Administration, at 410-537-3291.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Serena McIlwain".

Serena McIlwain
Secretary