

**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND 110(l) NONINTERFERENCE  
DEMONSTRATION SIP SUBMITTAL**

**TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:**

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the authority set forth below, the Environmental Protection Division (hereinafter, “EPD”) of the Georgia Department of Natural Resources proposes amendments to Georgia’s State Implementation Plan (SIP) and Part 70 Permit Program. The proposed revision is described below:

The proposed revision contains Georgia’s request to remove Non-attainment Area New Source Review (NAA-NSR) and Emission Statements requirements. As a result, EPD is requesting that the following amendments to the Rules for Air Quality Control, Chapter 391-3-1 be incorporated into the SIP. Rules 391-3-1-.02(1)(d), 391-3-1-.02(2)(nnn), 391-3-1-.02(6)(a), 391-3-1-.03(1)(b), 391-3-1-.03(6)(j), 391-3-1-.03(8), 391-3-1-.03(11)(b)7., and 391-3-1-.03(13) will be submitted as SIP revisions to EPA. EPD is also requesting that the following amendments to the Rules for Air Quality Control, Chapter 391-3-1 be incorporated into the Part 70 Permit Program. Rules 391-3-1-.03(9)(k) and 391-3-1-.03(10)(c)1.(ii) will be submitted as Part 70 Permit Program revisions to EPA.

The proposed revision also consists of a 110(l) demonstration that shows that this action will not interfere with Reasonable Further Progress (RFP), continued maintenance of the 1997, 2008, and 2015 8-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS), attainment of any other NAAQS, or any other Clean Air Act (CAA) requirement as prescribed in section 110(l) of the CAA.

This notice is being provided to all persons who have requested in writing that they be placed on a notification list. The proposed SIP and Part 70 Permit Program revision may be viewed at <https://epd.georgia.gov/removal-non-attainment-area-new-source-review-and-emission-statements-requirements> or by appointment only at the Georgia Environmental Protection Division, Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 104, Atlanta, Georgia 30354. To set an appointment, email [askepd@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:askepd@dnr.ga.gov) with your name, email and phone number and an associate will reach out to you. Copies may also be requested by contacting Anna Aponte, [AnnaApontel@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:AnnaApontel@dnr.ga.gov).

To provide the public an opportunity to comment upon and provide input into the proposed SIP and Part 70 Permit Program revision, a public hearing will be held at 1:30 p.m. on December 15, 2023. EPD will be hosting this public hearing via Zoom. Zoom is a free web conferencing platform that also allows participation by phone.

To log into the public hearing on your computer, please click this link or copy and paste it into your browser to join the meeting:

<https://gaepd.zoom.us/j/96859713161?pwd=M1NuV1RDak03enlQeFk0SjEvalpVUT09>

To ensure that you are ready to participate when the meeting begins, we recommend that you download Zoom in advance. Zoom can be found here: <https://zoom.us>

To dial in by phone, please call this number: 888-788-0099 (Toll free). When prompted, enter the Meeting ID and/or Passcode shown below.

The meeting ID is 968 5971 3161

Passcode: 636903

Please note that if you choose to participate by phone, your phone number may be visible to other meeting attendees.

During the hearing, anyone may present data, make a statement, comment, or offer a viewpoint or argument either orally or in writing. Oral statements should be concise. Lengthy statements or statements of a considerable technical or economic nature, as well as previously recorded messages, must be submitted in writing for the official record.

Written comments are welcomed. To ensure their inclusion in EPD's final submission of the SIP and Part 70 Permit Program revision to EPA, written comments should be received by close of business on December 22, 2022. Written comments may be emailed to [EPDComments@dnr.state.ga.us](mailto:EPDComments@dnr.state.ga.us) or sent via regular mail addressed to: Branch Chief, Air Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 120, Atlanta, Georgia, 30354.

The proposed SIP and Part 70 Permit Program revision is proposed pursuant to authority contained in the Georgia Air Quality Act (O.C.G.A. Section 12-9-1 et. seq.). For further information, contact Anna Aponte, 470-251-2942.