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U.S. EPA, Region 4  
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**Re: Atlanta Maintenance Area 2008 8-Hour Ozone Second Maintenance Plan**

Dear Mr. McOmber:

With this letter, the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) is submitting for approval and incorporation a proposed revision to Georgia's State Implementation Plan (SIP). This revision includes a second maintenance plan, consistent with §175A(b) of the Clean Air Act (CAA), to provide for the continued maintenance of the 2008 8-Hour Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) for the Atlanta maintenance area.

This second maintenance plan demonstrates that the Atlanta maintenance area will continue to maintain ozone levels below the 2008 8-hour ozone NAAQS of 0.075 ppm (75 ppb) for the remainder of the 20-year maintenance period ending in 2037.

The public notice for this revision to Georgia's SIP was published via GovDelivery.com on April 25, 2025. A public hearing for the proposed revision was held on May 27, 2025. The public comment period ended on May 27, 2025. No comments were received during the public comment period or at the public hearing. A certification that the required public notice was provided and that a public hearing was held is enclosed.

As required by the federal SIP-processing regulations, we have enclosed the administrative materials and technical support checklists to satisfy the SIP submittal completeness criteria requirements. This revision is being submitted via EPA's State Planning Electronic Collaboration System (SPeCS) with the exception of the Appendices. Instead, the Appendices will be delivered in CD form by U.S. Postal Service. Paper copies of these large data files are not provided in order to relieve unnecessary paper burden.

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We look forward to your review and approval of this revision. Should you or your staff have any questions, please feel free to contact Elisabeth Munsey at [Elisabeth.Munsey@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:Elisabeth.Munsey@dnr.ga.gov) or (470) 251-4736.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jeffrey W. Cown".

Jeffrey W. Cown  
Director

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