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Ms. Mary Walker  
Acting Regional Administrator  
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61 Forsyth Street, S.W.  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-8960

**Re: Implementation of 40 CFR Part 60, Subpart Ce Emission Guidelines and Compliance Schedules for Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators**

Dear Ms. Walker:

With this letter, the Georgia Environmental Protection Division (EPD) is submitting for approval and incorporation proposed amendments to Georgia's State Plan for the Implementation of the Emission Guidelines and Compliance Times for Existing Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators. With these amendments Georgia EPD satisfies the 40 CFR Part 60.25 elements that are required to meet section 129 of the Clean Air Act (CAA). Specifically, the attached package is being submitted to fulfill the requirements of 40 CFR 60.39e(a) of Subpart Ce for a plan to implement and enforce the emission guidelines for hospital/medical/infectious waste incinerators (HMIWIs).

The public notice for these revisions to Georgia's State Plan was published via GovDelivery.com on August 1, 2018. The proposed revisions were the subject of a public hearing on September 6, 2018. No oral comments were received during the public hearing. Written comments were received from the EPA on September 6, 2018. A summary of the comments received and EPD's responses are enclosed, along with certification that the required public notice was provided and that a public hearing was held.

We have enclosed the final version of Georgia's State Plan for Implementation of the Emission Guidelines and Compliance Times for Existing Hospital/Medical/Infectious Waste Incinerators to satisfy the 40 CFR Part 60.25 elements that are required to meet section 129 of the CAA. This submittal includes one hard copy and one electronic copy of the State Plan revision in its entirety. The electronic copy is an exact duplicate of the hard copy.

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We look forward to your review and approval of these revisions. Should you or your staff have any questions, please feel free to contact James Boylan at [James.Boylan@dnr.ga.gov](mailto:James.Boylan@dnr.ga.gov) or (404) 363-7014.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Dunn". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Richard E. Dunn  
Director

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Enclosures