



ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

40 CFR Part 52

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**Air Plan Approval; Michigan; Infrastructure SIP Requirements for
the 2015 Ozone NAAQS; Michigan State Board Requirements;
Withdrawal of Direct Final Rule**

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Withdrawal of direct final rule.

SUMMARY: Due to the receipt of an adverse comment, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is withdrawing the November 20, 2025, direct final rule approving an element of a State Implementation Plan (SIP) submission from Michigan regarding the infrastructure requirements of section 110 of the Clean Air Act (CAA) for the 2015 ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS).

DATES: The direct final rule published at 90 FR 52238 on November 20, 2025, is withdrawn as of **[INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*]**.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the direct final rule, EPA stated

that if adverse comments were submitted by December 22, 2025, the rule would be withdrawn and not take effect. On December 4, 2025, EPA received a comment. EPA believes this comment is adverse and, therefore, EPA is withdrawing the direct final rule. EPA will address the comment in a subsequent final action based upon the proposed action also published on November 20, 2025 (90 FR 52311). EPA will not institute a second comment period on this action.

List of Subjects in 40 CFR Part 52

Environmental protection, Air pollution control, Incorporation by reference, Intergovernmental relations, Nitrogen oxides, Ozone, Volatile organic compounds.

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 7401 *et seq.*

Dated: December 16, 2025.

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Regional Administrator, Region 5.

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Accordingly, the amendment to 40 CFR 52.1170 published in the *Federal Register* on November 20, 2025, (90 FR 52238) on pages 52240-52241 is withdrawn as of **[INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER]**.

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