

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION 10

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AIR & RADIATION DIVISION

August 3, 2022

Mr. Jason Olds Division of Air Quality, Acting Director Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation P.O. Box 111800 Juneau, Alaska 99811-1800

Re: Completeness Determination: Alaska Regional Haze Implementation Plan for the Second Planning Period

Dear Mr. Olds:

On July 25, 2022, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency received a State Implementation Plan revision from the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation. The SIP revision was submitted to meet the Clean Air Act and Regional Haze Rule requirements for the second regional haze planning period.

In accordance with section 110(k)(1)(B) of the Clean Air Act, the EPA finds that Alaska's SIP revision is administratively and technically complete (i.e., it meets the completeness criteria outlined in 40 CFR Part 51, Appendix V). Please note that a completeness determination does not constitute a finding on the merits of the submission or whether it meets the relevant criteria for SIP approval. Consequently, this completeness determination does not constitute final agency action and is not reviewable pursuant to section 307 of the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7607, nor section 702 of the Administrative Procedure Act, 5 U.S.C. § 702.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (206) 553-0218 or have your staff contact Kristin Hall, staff lead, at (206) 553-6357.

Sincerely,

Krishna Viswanathan Director

cc: Mr. Nick Czarnecki Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation

Mr. Paul Goodfellow Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation