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January 31, 2025

Ms. Cheree Peterson
Acting Regional Administrator
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75 Hawthorne Street
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RE: Submittal of Nevada's Regional Haze Progress Report for the Second Planning Period

Dear Ms. Peterson,

On behalf of Governor Lombardo, as his appointed designee, this letter informs you of our electronic transmittal of the Nevada Regional Haze Progress Report for the Second Planning Period to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) through the State Planning Electronic Collaboration System (SPeCS), entered as a non-SIP submittal. The Progress Report is also available for download at https://ndep.nv.gov/air/planning-and-modeling/regional-haze-and-bart. The Progress Report is submitted to address certain requirements of 40 CFR part 51 section 308, "Regional haze program requirements". The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) requests approval of the Regional Haze Progress Report by the USEPA.

The Progress Report satisfies the requirements for 5-year progress reports found in 40 CFR § 51.308(g), (h) and (i). Evidence of compliance with the consultation and public review processes required for the Progress Report is presented in Appendix B, Evidence of Federal Land Manager Consultation and Appendix C, Evidence of Public Notice.

The enclosed Progress Report describes the status of implementing committed control measures, summaries and analyses of emissions and monitoring changes, and assessments of impacts on Class I areas identified in Nevada's 2022 Regional Haze SIP for the Second Planning Period (2022 RH SIP). While NDEP is currently revising the 2022 RH SIP and will be seeking approval by the USEPA, Nevada's 2022 RH SIP is being implemented appropriately and NDEP concludes that reasonable progress towards the 2028 visibility condition goals for mandatory Class I areas impacted by sources in Nevada is being achieved and no additional control measures are needed at this time. NDEP requests the USEPA's review and approval of Nevada's Regional Haze Progress Report for the Second Planning Period.

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Please contact Ken McIntyre, Planning and Data Management Supervisor at (775)-687-9493, if you have any questions or require additional clarification.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Carr (Jan 24, 2025 14:08 PST)

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