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**DATES:** Comments on this proposed rule must be received in writing by February 21, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on this action should be addressed to: Steve Ringer, Permits Office (A-5-1), Air Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105-3901.

Copies of the rules and EPA's evaluation report for the rules are available for public inspection at EPA's Region IX office during normal business hours. Copies of the submitted rules are available for inspection at the following locations:

Permitting Office (A-5-1), Air Division, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, CA 94105

Environmental Protection Agency, Air Docket (6102), 401 "M" Street S.W., Washington, DC 20460

California Air Resources Board, Stationary Source Division, Rule Evaluation Section, 2020 "L" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Mojave Desert AQMD, 15428 Civic Drive, Suite 200, Victorville, CA 92392-2383.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Steve Ringer at (415) 744-1260.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** EPA is proposing to approve the following rules into the SIP:

Rule 1400, General; rule 1401, Definitions; rule 1402, Emission Reduction Credit Registry; and rule 1404, Emission Reduction Credit Calculation (rules 1400, 1401, 1402, and 1404 will hereafter be referred to as the "submitted rules"). The submitted rules were adopted on June 28, 1995, and were submitted by the State of California to EPA on August 10, 1995. EPA found the submitted rules to be complete on October 4, 1995.

For further information, please see the information provided in the direct final action which is located in the Rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: December 8, 1996.

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.

Felicia Marcus,

*Regional Administrator.*

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#### 40 CFR Part 52

[IN70-1b; FRL-5675-3]

#### Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Indiana

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** On February 13, 1996, and June 27, 1996, the State of Indiana submitted rules for the control of volatile organic compound (VOC) emissions from shipbuilding and ship repair operations in Clark, Floyd, Lake, and Porter Counties, as a requested revision to the State Implementation Plan (SIP) for ozone. This rule is part of the State's 15% Rate-of-Progress plan for reducing VOC emissions in Clark and Floyd Counties. This rule requires facilities which build or repair commercial ships or barges to use coatings which meet volatile organic compound content limits, as well as comply with certain work practices to lower emissions when using solvents. In the final rules section of this Federal Register, the EPA is approving this action as a direct final rule without prior proposal because EPA views this as a noncontroversial action and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to that direct final rule, no further activity is contemplated in relation to this proposed rule. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on the proposed rule. Any parties interested in commenting on this document should do so at this time.

**DATES:** Comments on this proposed rule must be received on or before February 21, 1997.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments should be mailed to: J. Elmer Bortzer, Chief, Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR18-J), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.

Copies of the State submittal are available for inspection at: Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR18-J), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mark J. Palermo, Regulation Development Section, Air Programs Branch (AR-18J), Environmental

Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604, (312) 886-6082.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** For additional information see the direct final rule published in the rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: December 24, 1996.

Valdas V. Adamkus,

*Regional Administrator.*

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#### 40 CFR Part 52

[CA 105-0012b; FRL-5673-7]

#### Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; California State Implementation Plan Revision; Kern County Air Pollution Control District; San Diego Air Pollution Control District; Ventura County Air Pollution Control District

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** EPA is proposing to approve revisions to the California State Implementation Plan (SIP) which concern the control of oxides of nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>) emissions from the operations of boilers, steam generators, process heaters, electric utility boilers, internal combustion engines, and stationary gas turbines.

The intended effect of proposing approval of these rules is to regulate emissions of NO<sub>x</sub> in accordance with the requirements of the Clean Air Act, as amended in 1990 (CAA or the Act). In the Final Rule Section of this Federal Register, the EPA is approving the state's SIP revision as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency views this as a noncontroversial revision amendment and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for this approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If no adverse comments are received in response to this proposed action, no further activity is contemplated in relation to this action. If EPA receives adverse comments, the direct final rule will be withdrawn and all public comments received will be addressed in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. The EPA will not institute a second comment period on this document. Any parties interested in commenting on this action should do so at this time.

**DATES:** Comments on this proposed rule must be received in writing by February 21, 1997.