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SUBJECT: Final Charlotte-Gastonia-Salisbury 2008 8-hour Ozone Marginal Nonattainment Area Emissions Inventory and Emissions Statements State Implementation Plan

Dear Ms. Toney:

I am pleased to submit the Final "*Charlotte-Gastonia-Salisbury 2008 8-hour Ozone Marginal Nonattainment Area Emissions Inventory and Emissions Statements State Implementation Plan.*" Enclosed is one hard copy of the complete package containing the State Implementation Plan and the supporting documentation as to how the emission estimates were developed and an exact duplicate electronic copy on compact disk. The package also includes the on-road MOVES model input and output electronic files on compact disk.

The North Carolina Division of Air Quality (DAQ) issued a public notice announcement, in accordance with 40 CFR 51.102, indicating that the Charlotte-Gastonia-Salisbury 2008 8-hour Ozone Marginal Nonattainment Area Emissions Inventory and Emissions Statements State Implementation Plan was available for public comment and posted on the DAQ website for review. The public notice announcement indicated that anyone may request a public hearing. The public comment period was open from June 2, 2014 through July 3, 2014. The DAQ did not receive any comments or requests for a public hearing.

In addition to posting on the DAQ website, the public notice announcement was sent to a number of e-mail distribution lists managed by the DAQ that includes numerous stakeholders from industry and environmental groups. The DAQ believes that sending the public notice announcement to these groups is more effective than publishing the notice in a few local newspapers and is consistent with the requirements described in the April 6, 2011, memorandum, "*Regional Consistency for the Administrative Requirements of the State Implementation Plan Submittals and the Use of Letter Notices.*"

Additionally, the Rich Site Summary (RSS) feed on the DAQ website offers regular delivery to persons interested in receiving updates to the website content. The document was also made available for review during normal business hours at the DAQ Central Office in Raleigh and the Mooreville Regional Office.

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If you have any questions regarding this submittal, please contact Randy Strait at (919) 707-8721 or Randy.Strait@ncdenr.gov.

Sincerely,



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