

3745-31-18      Attainment provisions - air quality models.

(A)    Applicability

This section applies to any *major stationary source* or *major modification* that is to be constructed in an area designated in 40 CFR 81.336 et seq as attainment for an air pollutant for which the *major stationary source* or *major modification* is major.

(B)    All estimates of ambient concentrations required under rule 3745-31-10 of the Administrative Code through rule 3745-31-27 of the Administrative Code shall be based upon the applicable air quality models, databases and other requirements specified in appendix W of part 51 of the code of federal regulations ("Guideline on Air Quality Models").

(C)    Where an air quality impact model specified in appendix W of part 51 of the code of federal regulations ("Guideline on Air Quality Models") is inappropriate, the model may be changed or another model substituted. Such a change or substitution of a model may be made on a case-by-case basis or, where appropriate, on a generic basis for a specific State program. Written approval of the administrator of the United States environmental protection agency must be obtained for any change or substitution. In addition, use of a changed or substituted model must be subject to notice and opportunity for public comment under procedures developed in accordance with rule 3745-31-47 of the Administrative Code.

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