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Department of Environmental Quality
Office of Environmental Assessment

Notice of Public Hearing – Proposed Revision to the Contingency Measures in the Proposed State Implementation Plan (SIP) for Baton Rouge (0111Pot2)

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the requirements of the Louisiana Environmental Quality Act, R. S. 30:2001 et seq., and 40 *Code of Federal Regulations*, §51.102, of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations concerning SIPs, the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality (LDEQ) will conduct a public hearing to receive testimony regarding this proposed revision to the contingency measures in the proposed SIP for Baton Rouge.

In Chapter 6 of the revisions to the Baton Rouge SIP, which was noticed on page 1800 of the October 20, 2001, *Louisiana Register*, it was indicated that the emission reductions contributions mix to be used for contingency measures was subject to change even though the total would remain the same. Accordingly, since the sources providing the reductions have changed, LDEQ is providing public notice and the opportunity to comment on this proposed change.

A public hearing on this proposed revision to the proposed contingency measures in the Baton Rouge SIP will be held in Baton Rouge at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, January 24, 2002, at LDEQ Headquarters, 7290 Bluebonnet Boulevard, Maynard Ketcham Building, Room 326.

Written comments regarding this proposed revision should be mailed to Vivian H. Aucoin, Office of Environmental Assessment, Environmental Planning Division, Box 82178, Baton Rouge, La. 70884-2178 or faxed to (225) 765-0617. Comments must be received by 4:30 p.m., January 24, 2002.

A copy of this proposed revision may be viewed from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, in Room 4400, the Public Records Room at LDEQ, 7290 Bluebonnet Blvd. or at the Capital Regional Office, 5222 Summa Court, Baton Rouge. A copy may be obtained by calling the Public Records Room at (225) 765-0843.

Persons with disabilities requiring accommodations for the hearing should contact Ms. Lucy Kraft at (225) 765-0402 in advance of the hearing.

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