

Charge to the Committees of the Ozone Transport Commission on Development of A Memorandum of Understanding on Adoption of New Local Control Measures Toward Achieving the Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS)

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Anna Garcia Executive Director The Ozone Transport Commission (OTC) directs the Executive Staff and the OTC Committees, including the Stationary and Area Sources Committee, the Mobile Source Committee, and the Modeling Committee, to jointly develop a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) regarding the adoption of new local measures by the OTC states based on the analysis of potential control measure options currently underway by the Committees. The Executive Staff and Committees are directed to have the MOU available for consideration by the Commission at its June 2010 meeting.

The Commission hereby instructs the Executive Staff and Committees of the OTC to:

- Complete the analysis and screening modeling, including air quality impacts and cost analyses, to identify appropriate local measures to reduce emissions from stationary, area and mobile sources;
- Conduct an additional meeting with stakeholders to elicit their feedback and comment on the measures under evaluation;
- Complete the work in sufficient time for consideration at the June 2010 Commission; and
- Draft a MOU for action at the June 2010 Commission meeting that includes measures the OTC states will pursue to reduce the emission of ozone precursors and achieve the associated emission reduction cobenefits as expeditiously as practical.

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