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Mr. James I. Palmer, Jr.
Regional Administrator
U.S. EPA, Region 4
Atlanta Federal Center
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Dear Mr. Palmer:

Enclosed is the technical justification for the nonattainment area recommendations made for Alabama by Governor Bob Riley for the 24-hour fine particulate air quality standard. The Governor's letter is being sent under separate cover.

Should you require additional information, please contact me at (334) 271-7868.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ronald W. Gore".

Ronald W. Gore, Chief
Chief, Air Division

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Enclosure

cc: Beverly Banister, EPA