

## ORAL ARGUMENT NOT YET SCHEDULED

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

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AMERICAN LUNG ASS'N, et al.,	)	
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Petitioners,	)	
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v.	)	Docket No. 17-1172
	)	(and consolidated cases)
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL	)	
PROTECTION AGENCY, et al.,	)	
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Respondents.	)	
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**RESPONDENTS' STATUS REPORT**

Respondents United States Environmental Protection Agency and Andrew R. Wheeler, Acting Administrator,<sup>1</sup> (collectively "EPA") submit this Status Report in response to the Court's Order dated June 6, 2018, which directed EPA to file a status report, by July 31, 2018, "detailing the status of all final designations for the 2015 ozone national ambient air quality standards." On July 17, 2018, the Acting Administrator of EPA, Andrew R. Wheeler, signed a notice making final designations for eight counties in the San Antonio, Texas metropolitan area. A pre-publication version of this notice, along with related materials, is publicly

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<sup>1</sup> Andrew R. Wheeler is automatically substituted for his predecessor pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 43(b)(2).

available at: <https://www.epa.gov/ozone-designations/designations-san-antonio-metropolitan-area>. As discussed in prior status reports, those eight San Antonio area designations had been the only outstanding designations, so all designations for the 2015 ozone standards are now completed.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 19th day of July, 2018, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served by the Court's CM/ECF system on all counsel of record in this matter.

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