

FACT SHEET

National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Aerosol Coatings: Interim Final Rule

ACTION

- On June 27th, 2025, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued an interim final rule to revise the compliance deadline for amendments to the National Volatile Organic Compound (VOC) Emission Standards for Aerosol Coatings (aerosol coatings rule) to January 17, 2027.
- The aerosol coatings source category includes aerosol coatings manufacturers, processors, wholesale distributors, and importers of aerosol coatings or their suppliers. There are approximately 46 regulated sources, and two companies account for about 70 percent of the U.S. market. The remaining sources are a mix of smaller aerosol marketing companies and larger coating suppliers.

BACKGROUND

- On January 17, 2025, the Biden EPA finalized amendments to the aerosol coatings rule that promoted consistency and uniformity, as appropriate, between the national aerosol coatings emission limitations and the California Air Resources Board's aerosol coating product regulations. Upon publication in the *Federal Register*, the amendments set a compliance deadline of July 17, 2025, for regulated entities.
- Today's action responds to a petition from industry requesting additional time to comply with the requirements set forth by the amendments to the aerosol coatings final rule.
- In this interim final action, EPA is changing the compliance date from July 17, 2025, to January 17, 2027.

COMMENTS

- Comments on this interim final action must be received on or before 30 days of publication. Interested parties can download a copy of the interim final rule notice from EPA's website at the following address: <https://www.epa.gov/stationary-sources-air-pollution/aerosol-coatings-national-volatile-organic-compound-emission>.
- This interim final rule is effective on the date of publication in the *Federal Register*, without further notification. However, if EPA receives any significant adverse comments within 30 days of publication related to the specific provisions that are amended in this interim rule, EPA will address these comments in another final rule.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

- Interested parties can download a copy of the final rule notice from EPA's website at [Aerosol Coatings: National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards](#).
- Today's action and other background information are also available electronically at <https://www.regulations.gov/>, EPA's electronic public docket and comment system.