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Hi Elizabeth:

To update my earlier email on this topic, I'm forwarding Flint Hills' reply brief in their request for an adjudicatory hearing before the Commissioner of ADEC. This is the last filing at this stage, and now the Commissioner has 30 days under ADEC's regulations to decide whether to grant the request and send it to an Administrative Law Judge (who is employed by a separate department of state government) to hold an adjudicatory hearing. The issue in the hearing would be the cleanup standard for sulfolane.

If the Commissioner does grant Flint Hills' request, we will undoubtedly need EPA's help in explaining the science behind derivation of the PPRTV for sulfolane. We may need to ask to have one or more of the EPA scientists that worked on the PPRTV testify. It all depends on what the Commissioner rules on this request. I'll keep you informed as this moves forward.

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