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Sent: 8/10/2020 6:42:09 PM
To: Volk, Everett [volk.everett@epa.gov]; Joffe, Brian [Joffe.Brian@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Draft DB Memo to File on NEPA FE plus short draft summary comment and response

OK thanks! Will send now.

From: Volk, Everett <volk.everett@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, August 10, 2020 12:41 PM
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Makes sense to me. And I'm fine if you send now.

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From: Perkins, Erin <Perkins.Erin@epa.gov>
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Hi –

Thanks for talking with him. I haven't sent the memo to OGC yet, but did send a summary email when I let them know we had this issue, which I think I cc'd you both on. Ex. 5 AC/DP

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Please let me know if you would like me to send the memo to him now, or if you would like me to wait until you have both reviewed....?

Thanks,
Erin

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Erin,

I talked to Tom Marshall earlier today. Apparently, Allison is out, but he committed to promptly reviewing whatever we send him on the DB NEPA issues. Have you sent him the draft yet, and if not, do you want to send or do you want me to?

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Hello –

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Erin

Comment Summary:

EPA received multiple comments regarding EPA's compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), NEPA's implementing regulations as well as the doctrine of NEPA functional equivalency. EPA also received comments regarding the adequacy of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)'s NEPA analysis.

Response:

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