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Sent: 7/15/2021 11:59:50 AM
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Subject: RE: How to submit Denka's new RFC?

Brian,

Thanks for the quick response. This is just what we needed to know.

Bob

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Robert, EPAs email via M365 can handle email messages with up to 250 attachments and a total of 150 MB per message.

Unless your requirements change, email should suffice.

Thank you
Brian

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Hi Brian,

Katherine is on leave today. Denka has responded to our questions about the data he wishes to submit. Here is what he said.

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Hello Katherine,

I will plan to send everything to quality@epa.gov as you have suggested. I will respond all to this email chain once complete.

To answer your questions:

1. We expect the data to be no more than 15 megabytes in size.
2. Formats will consist of PDF with the exception of a single Excel spreadsheet.
3. We are on schedule to transmit the information the afternoon of Thursday, 7/15/21.

I suppose the most pertinent question is: can the email address handle 15 megabytes of information in a single email, or would I have to break it up?

Thanks!

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What is your recommendation on receiving this amount of data?

Thanks for helping us out with this!

Bob

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Hi Brian - - Thank you for responding to my email. I've cancelled my invite and if we need to meet I will complete the scheduling request you sent me. In the meantime, I do not have the answers to your questions below; however we ask the RFC requester to provide this information.

Thank you and I will be back in touch once I learn more!

Katherine

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Hi Katherine, I'm happy to help. Can you provide some insight in terms of what you're trying to accomplish so John Gibson can help?

- How much data, e.g., gigabytes (GB)
- Data type/format, e.g., TXT, HTML, XML, PDF, etc.
- When do you need this data transfer and is there potential for recurrence?

Thank you
Brian

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Importance: High

Hi Brian - - I was wondering if you would have a few minutes to chat with me about receiving a large amount of data? Please see the email below from Vaughn.

Thank you!

Katherine

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Thank you. Please reach out to Brian Epley if you need options on how they can get us the data.

Thank you
Vaughn

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Hello all - - I will prepare a response to Patrick Walsh after our monthly QCIX call this morning which ends at noon.

Katherine

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Hi OMS,

We here at Denka plan on submitting our new RFC regarding chloroprene toxicity next week, barring any unforeseen circumstances. In discussing the format of the RFC with my toxicology consultants at Ramboll, we realized that the PBPK model code and other materials, all of which are vital to ensure that the agency can track and repeat what Ramboll did, are likely too large to be emailed to the agency and would probably best be submitted via some sort of Dropbox or other uploading mechanism. Can you provide me guidance on how you would prefer we get this information to you all? Again, we remain on schedule to submit on 7/15 or 16.

As far as the actual request goes, the RFC itself will consist of a letter that follows the Information Quality Guidelines, and the model and other information are exhibits to that letter. How shall I submit the letter? I can PDF it and email it to you, and/or if you prefer, I can print it and send it via US Mail. Please let me know how you'd like me to proceed.

Thanks!

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