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Subject: RE: How to submit Denka's new RFC?
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Hello EPA!

I don't want to be a pain, but I was really hoping to submit the RFC in the next few hours. If I don't hear otherwise, I'll try to send everything to quality@epa.gov in one shot later this afternoon.

Thanks!

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Thanks, Bob. We are nearly ready to submit.

The total size of the documentation, now that it's assembled, is actually around 10 megabytes, not 15.

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Hi Patrick,

Thank you for providing the information. I will send it forward so that we can determine the best way to receive your submittal.

Regards,

Bob

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Life is either a daring adventure...or nothing. H. Keller

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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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Hello Patrick - - Please refer to the Guidelines for Ensuring and Maximizing the Quality, Objectivity, Utility, and Integrity of Information Disseminated by the Environmental Protection Agency for submitting your Request for Correction (RFC) to the Agency. I've also included the instructions listed in the addendum, dated 9/1/2020 below:

An affected person may submit a request via any one of the methods listed here:
- **E-mail** at quality@epa.gov
- **Mail** to Enterprise Quality Management Division, Mail Code 2821T, U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, DC, 20460
- **By courier or in person** to Enterprise Quality Management Division, William Jefferson Clinton Building West, Room 6408A, 1301 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, DC, 20460

While mail or courier are viable options I encourage you to submit your RFC to quality@epa.gov, as many of us are still teleworking due to COVID 19. This will ensure an immediate receipt of your RFC.

With regards to having a "drop box" or another mechanism for you to upload your data, I've reach out to one of our sister offices in OMS. I will need to provide them the following information to assist us in receiving your data:

- How much data, e.g., gigabytes (GB) will you be submitting?
- What is the data type/format, e.g., TXT, HTML, XML, PDF, etc?
- When do you plan for this data transfer to occur and is there potential for recurrence?

Once we hear back from you with the answers to the above questions, I will pass this information to see how we can assist with the data transfer.

Please let us know if you need anything else. Thank you!

Regards,

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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