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Subject: RE: Denka Air Monitoring for Chloroprene
Attachments: EPA Response to DPE re CAA 114 Monitoring 11 23 2021.pdf

Dear Wilma,

Thank you for your email regarding the community air monitoring in LaPlace, LA. EPA understands your concerns regarding the potential for a gap in community ambient air monitoring beginning in January 2022.

Denka has indicated that the company will continue its community air monitoring beyond Dec 31, 2021. In addition, attached is a letter to the company from November 23, 2021, setting a deadline of January 7, 2022, for additional fence-line monitoring. With the air monitoring continuing and the fence-line monitoring projected, we do not anticipate a gap in air monitoring data for chloroprene air concentrations.

Again, thank you for reaching out to me. If you have additional questions, please contact Cheryl Seager at seager.cheryl@epa.gov.

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Denka is scheduled to stop collecting 24 hour summa canister air samples for Chloroprene at the six locations surrounding
their facility in Reserve/LaPlace at the end of December 2021.

Based on Denka's communications with EPA concerning the proposed Passive Air Monitoring for Chloroprene and 1,3-Butadiene,
it appears it will be some time much later in 2022 before Denka initiates the passive monitoring for Chloroprene and 1,3-Butadiene
at the 18 monitoring locations surrounding their facility.

There is a desperate need to not have a gap in air monitoring data for Chloroprene air concentrations beginning in January 2022.

I would like to request that EPA initiate summa canister air sampling at the six EPA air monitoring locations around the Denka facility
on a 24 hour basis, once every 6 days for Chloroprene beginning January 1, 2022 until the Denka passive air monitoring program is initiated,
and is appropriately implemented.

Thank you for considering this request.

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