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**Subject:** FW: Consent Order for Wolverine - Settlement Communication
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Attachment C.PDF

To ensure your own version of the state's proposal is up to date. Tom

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Hello Mr. Byl,

Here are the attachments for the Consent Order.

Thank you,

Lisa Agosta

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Understood. DEQ staff are, I assume, working as fast as they can. A compressed time frame in the middle of the holidays doesn't make this the ideal situation. They will send them directly to you to cut out the middleman.

Of course, given the unique situation and the effort to expedite this, we will all have to work under the understanding that documents may be subject to further changes.

I think they will be on their way shortly.

Peter

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Thanks Peter. There are some very important items in those attachments, which makes it difficult to provide a meaningful response before receiving them.

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John,

Polly is out of the office for a few days. DEQ is still tweaking the attachments. I will forward those to you as soon as we are able.

Peter

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Polly, can someone forward Attachments A, B and C?

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All –

Please find attached the State's draft Administrative Order on Consent to address PFAS contaminants related to Wolverine's operations and waste disposal from the former tannery in Rockford, Michigan. As you know, the State has been working with EPA to coordinate efforts on this matter, and we anticipate setting up time to discuss these at your earliest convenience. Tom Williams from EPA is sending the EPA version to you now, so you should have both draft Orders in hand simultaneously.

Brian and I are both out of town early next week, but if you have questions about the content of the State Order as you review, you may contact Dep. Dir. Sue Leeming at MDEQ directly; she can tap technical staff as needed for technical questions, and she will reach out for legal counsel from my office as necessary. I will have access to email in the evenings, so your questions, or MDEQ's, can also be handled electronically to the extent that can work.

I will be back in the office and available any time, all day on Friday, Jan. 5 to participate in a call or meeting with your team to review the State Order, with MDEQ staff involvement, as well as U.S. EPA.

We look forward to discussing this with you.

Polly

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