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From: Jarvela, Steve
Sent: Fri 1/17/2014 6:37:44 PM
Subject: FYI Column Inquiry

Cindy and John,

I have contacted TCI Chemicals in Portland, Ore (TCI America's home office) trying to get any information on the physical and chemical properties of MCHM, since they make the stuff for research purposes. While looking at their web site I noticed that one can order GC columns from them. I just spoke with Ms Anselmo who stated that they haven't heard back from their Parent Company (Tokyo Chemical Industry) in Japan. I told them we would be using it on aqueous samples and needing a detection/quantification limit in the ppb.

If they need additional information I will be passing that request onto you to continue the discussion.

Btw – the next morning brief will be on Tuesday (same time same call-in #) unless the fit hits the shan over the weekend.

Thank you,

Steve

From: Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy @TCIchemicals.com [mailto Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy @TCIchemicals.com]
Sent: Thursday, January 16, 2014 6:08 PM
To: Jarvela, Steve
Subject: Column Inquiry
Importance: High

Dear Mr. Jarvela,

I understand you inquired today to see if we have a column for M1412, 4-Methyl-1-

cyclohexanemethanol (cis- and trans- mixture).

We are going to ask our column specialist at our parent company this evening, however, I thought I would try and get a little more information to better understand your needs.

Can you please confirm what type of solution you are planning to use the column on? We are thinking probably aqueous solutions, but I would like to confirm. Also if you can advise what type of resolution you are looking for that would be helpful.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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