showed me.

Q And I'm not trying to get into a discussion of the involvement of your employees with re-analysis of Dr. Zhang's data to the extent there was any involvement. I'm simply trying to establish that at the time the ingestion studies were performed, Dr. Zhang's earlier paper at least raised in the scientific literature a concern that hexavalent chromium in sufficient dose could cause stomach cancer when ingested?

A I don't know if I want to agree with that because I don't know what fraction of the scientific community gave that study serious consideration. I just don't know.

Q Okay.

A Well, I mean studies out of China at the time involving water pollution and even today are suspect unless all the other contaminants in the water are looked at, both microbial and chemical. And there happens to be a high background incidence of stomach tumors in China irrespective of chromium. And he acknowledged that and I think everybody that studies that in China acknowledges that. And so I don't know how many people in the scientific community took that relationship he thought he saw very seriously. I just