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Revised Agenda
Regional Dioxin Meeting

January 11, 1984

10:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Regional Administrator's Conference Room - 14th Floor

230 S. Dearborn Street

Chicago, Illinois

<u>TOPIC</u>	<u>LEAD</u>	<u>TIME</u>
. Introduction	Val Adamkus	
. National Strategy	Jon Barney	30 minutes
. Regional Strategy	Howard Zar	
- Tiers 1 & 2	Greg Vanderlaan	45 minutes
- Tiers 3 thru 7	Howard Zar	35 minutes
- Tier 4	Boniface Thayil	10 minutes
LUNCH		45 minutes (12:15 p.m. - 1 p.m.)
. Michigan Studies	Gary Amendola	30 minutes
. State-by-State Dioxin Activity Status Report	Illinois Indiana Michigan Minnesota Ohio Wisconsin	1 1/2 hours
. Laboratory Perspectives	Marcia Kuehl	30 minutes
. Community Relations	Vanessa Musgrave	15 minutes

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Introductory Comments for Dioxin Coordination Meeting
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I want to welcome all of you state agency representatives to this initial Regional V dioxin coordination meeting. I understand that this is the first such meeting being conducted by the Agency in the country. For our part, I hope this session is the initiation of regular discussions between the states and the Region on the various dioxin activities, some of which have already commenced. It's my strong feeling that the EPA as it undertakes the planning and implementing of the national dioxin strategy can only benefit from close cooperation and information sharing with the states, who often possess the clearest understanding of environmental problems in the field. With routine communication and coordination between us, I think it will help EPA in turn be responsive to needs and ideas raised by the states concerning dioxin.

Today's meeting is designed to kick off discussion by focussing on the final National Dioxin Strategy released in December and by providing all of us here the first opportunity to collaborate on a

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