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Subject: RE: Copper Smelting NESHAP

Patrick-

Just wanted to follow up with the live website with more information.

<https://www.epa.gov/stationary-sources-air-pollution/clean-air-act-section-112-presidential-exemption-information>

Best,
Abbie



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Patrick –

I will have further information for you later today but there is an email address going live later today to submit information regarding the Presidential exemption.

Best,
Abbie



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Abbie:

Our mutual friend Ryan Jackson said that you're helping manage the various NESHAP reconsiderations, including the copper smelting NESHAP (Subpart QQQ). Ryan and I worked together in Trump 45 when I was the OECA DAA.

On behalf of our client Freeport McMoRan, I'm writing to set up a brief call with you to discuss the process by which Freeport could best support the EPA's efforts to reconsider the rule and obtain a Presidential exemption under Section 112(i).

We're aware that information supporting a Presidential exemption is due March 31, so we'd like to chat with you as far in advance of that date as is convenient for you.

I'd be joined on the call by Todd Weaver from Freeport.

Warm regards,
Patrick

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