



CHEMICAL MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION

October 28, 1994

Dear Vinyl Chloride Health Committee Members:

As discussed on the October 24 conference call, I have enclosed a commitment form for your pro-rata share of the \$300,000 budget for the 1994-1995 research and advocacy program. The details of the program and basis for your pro-rata share are attached.

Your completion of the commitment form is essential for CMA to execute any contract for ~~the research projects, consultant agreements, and retention of counsel~~ for the TSCA Section 4 testing requirement negotiations with EPA and ATSDR. Therefore, please return your commitment form to me by November 18. Please note that if you requested payment in two installments for your earlier commitment (See Table 1, Column 3), your second installment will be due in January 1995.

If you have any questions, please call me at (202) 887-1192.

Sincerely,

Hasmukh C. Shah, Ph.D.
Manager, Vinyl Chloride Panel

Enclosures

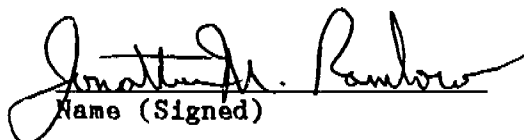
CHEMICAL MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION
Vinyl Chloride Panel
Vinyl Chloride Research Coordinators
Commitment Form

☒ My company commits its pro-rata share of \$300,000 research and advocacy budget as described in the attached July 5, 1994 Explanation of VCRC Budget. The Vinyl Chloride Panel is conducted under the policies and procedures outlined in the CHEMSTAR Panel Guidelines and briefly noted on the reverse of this form.

☐ While appreciating the opportunity, my company declines to participate.

CMA has estimated that 16% of the total CMA 1994/95 fiscal year "dues and similar income", which includes CHEMSTAR contributions, is allocable to lobbying and political expenditures to which Section 162 (e)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, applies. Consequently, this portion of your commitment is not deductible as an ordinary and ~~necessary~~ business expense for federal income tax purposes. Further, contributions to CMA are not tax deductible as charitable contributions.

Panel Representative


Name (Signed)

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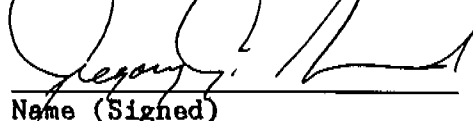
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