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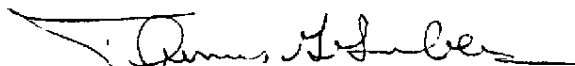
Dear Dan:

As you requested in your letter of May 5, attached are current material safety data sheets for the products our records indicate you currently purchase.

The CAS number, or numbers, for each component are in Section 1 of the MSDS's. By this letter, Vista certifies that each of these products, or product components are on the TSCA inventory.

Based on the current products we sell Alcolac, Alfonic 1412-A Alcohol Ether Sulfate is the only one containing any California Proposition 65 listed substances. This product contains ethanol at a level of approximately 14%.

Sincerely,



Thomas G. Grumbles, C.I.H.
Environmental Quality Manager

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Attachment

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TO: Distribution

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FROM: T. G. Grumbles
DATE: June 23, 1989

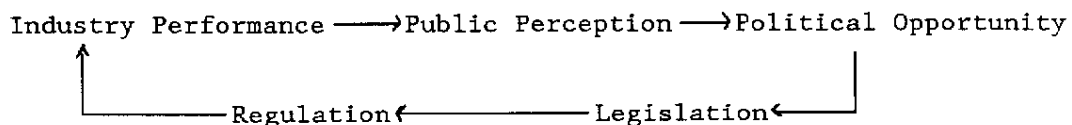
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SUBJ: CMA RESPONSIBLE CARE UPDATE

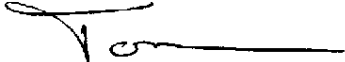
I recently attended a Responsible CARE Coordinators Meeting. Highlights and comments from the meeting are below.

1. The UK and Australia are beginning to develop Responsible CARE programs through their respective chemical trade groups.
2. The point was made that the chemical industry's bad public image was from poor performance not from bad "public relations". This is the foundation of Responsible CARE being a performance based program.
3. As of June 1, 155 out of 173 CMA member companies had signed the commitment forms.
4. The development of Codes of Management Practice has begun. Drafts for waste minimization, community relations, transportation, and safe plant operations are out for review. They expect completion by early spring.
5. The Public Advisory Panel has been formed and the first meeting has been held.
6. A flow diagram of the results of public perception was discussed. Below is the diagram.



7. Canadian Chemical Association representatives discussed experiences with Responsible CARE the last three years. In general, the aspect of public responsiveness has had the greatest impact or shown the highest return.

We hope to present the Environmental Policy Statement to the Board in July. If approved, we will proceed to communicate the policy and Responsible CARE to all parts of the company. I'll keep you informed of our progress and I'll be seeking your involvement.


T. G. Grumbles

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