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Mr. R. J. Mahoney - C2NA

BIPHENYL PLANT - ANNISTON

Mr. E. H. Harbison, Jr.
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Confirming, I've committed to Mr. Mahoney that we will do any expediting feasible to reach a decision on the continued viability of our Anniston biphenyl plant.

The discontinuance of our PCB manufacture - and of its Anniston feedstock impact - is a foregone conclusion. Only the precise timing needs sharpening. The moot decision regards the economic viability of the other products in the biphenyl plant - their volumes, their future prospects, etc.

Please respond after you've had a chance to look at the decision timetable to permit our giving our Anniston host the best possible guidance.

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