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cc: K. W. Easley
D. B. Hosmer

SUBJECT NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION - TRACE CONTAMINANTS PROGRAM

REFERENCE

TO

Bob Hartmann - Kearny
Paul Heisler - Krummrich
Max Galloway - Nitro
Les Gilbert - Everett
Chuck Malloch - Trenton

As handle.

Attached is a questionnaire from Stanford Research related to the National Science Foundations "Trace Contaminants Program". Also attached are several letters elaborating on the intent.

Based on Warren Easley's investigation of this study and positive reaction, we have recommended cooperation. Accordingly, we'd appreciate your assistance in filling out a form for each product which you manufacture (see list below). Please enter your best estimate of each item requested. Don't go to any great lengths to develop data not readily available.

Nonylphenol, ethoxylated (9 moles ethylene oxide)	-	Trenton-Kearny
Nitrobenzene	-	WGK
p-Dichlorobenzene	-	WGK
2,2-Dithiobis (benzothiazole)	-	Nitro
o-Dichlorobenzene	-	WGK
Polyhalogenated biphenyls (Aroclor 1254)	-	WGK
Tricresyl phosphate	-	WGK
2-Mercaptobenzothiazole	-	Nitro
Di (2-ethylhexyl) adipate	-	Everett

P.B. Hodges: Enclosed is the completed questionnaire with best estimates we can make.
Thomas D. Healon

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We have promised a response by Feb. 1. Accordingly, we'd like to have your input by the 28th.

We are in the process of executing a security agreement with S. R. I. to cover this submission.

Thanks,

Paul Hodges

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