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Dear Ron:

Although not a work practice subcommittee member, I recommend that Tennessee Eastman's proposed additions not be included in the work practice guidelines. The peroxide formation problem is covered adequately under Training 4 along with flammability and polymerization.

In case you have not seen the NIOSH request for information on Vinyls in the Federal Register, I attach a copy. I suggest that we send them the work practices guidelines if this has not already been done.

Sincerely,

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