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**Sent:** 12/4/2017 2:36:40 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] **Ex. 6**  
**CC:** Press [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=b293283291dc44e0b5d1c36be9281d8a-Press]  
**Subject:** CNS-TV Chesapeake Bay Feature

Hey Hallie, you can attribute the following statement to an EPA spokesman.

“We continue to work with Congress to ensure that shared environmental goals of the region are met, including ensuring the Chesapeake Bay remains a priority.” – EPA Spokesman

**From:** Hallie Miller [REDACTED] **Ex. 6**  
**Date:** December 2, 2017 at 3:45:43 PM EST  
**To:** "schafer, joan" <[schafer.joan@epa.gov](mailto:schafer.joan@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: CNS-TV Chesapeake Bay Feature

Hello:

Just wanted to write and inform you that my piece is airing Tuesday and is still missing a response from the EPA. I wanted to provide you with one final chance at a statement before then.

Thanks,

Hallie

On Mon, Oct 23, 2017 at 3:43 PM, Hallie Miller [REDACTED] **Ex. 6** wrote:

Good afternoon,

Circling back to see if there's any update. A written statement would also suffice if there's no other alternative available at this time.

Thank you,

Hallie

On Mon, Oct 16, 2017 at 6:04 PM, Hallie Miller [REDACTED] **Ex. 6** wrote:

Hello:

I just wanted to check and see if there's any update with this request. I'll be in D.C. all day tomorrow and am also available Wednesday.

Thanks so much,

Hallie

On Fri, Oct 13, 2017 at 8:55 AM schafer, joan <[schafer.joan@epa.gov](mailto:schafer.joan@epa.gov)> wrote:

Thank you for your inquiry, Hallie. Let me check and get back to you. We may need to forward your inquiry to HQ due to the topic.  
Thanks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 13, 2017, at 8:51 AM, Hallie Miller  wrote:

Good morning,

My name is Hallie, and I'm a reporter with Maryland Capital News Service. I hope this email finds you well!

I'm working on a story about the possible outcomes of the Chesapeake Bay losing its federal funding. Ideally, I'd like to set up a time to talk to someone from the EPA on-camera. Please let me know if there's any availability on your end next week.

Thank you so much,

Hallie

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