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Susan:

After listening to the benzene call day, I thought it might be important for me to brief you and/or Sam on US EPA Clean Air Act issues, particularly as they will apply to butadiene and benzene. For benzene it would be important to include Patsy. As we discussed earlier, it is also important for me to have a discussion with Sam regarding SD.

Regarding benzene, the Shanghai study is one of several benzene health 'projects'. Patsy and I have been discussing the need to better understand Clean Air Act issues pertaining to benzene and I have using the butadiene situation - and our actions - as an example.

Thus, sometime before the to be scheduled November Shanghai meeting that was discussed today, it would be useful for Sam to have a perspective of at least one regulatory benzene issue that might be impacted by the Shanghai study and other benzene research studies.

Butadiene and the Clean Air Act is important to Shell and the Shell and ACC advocacy plan would be also useful for Sam to hear. In addition, the butadiene plan might inform options for benzene.

Do you agree on the need to calibrate with you and/or Sam ? Do you have advice regarding timing ?

Thanks

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