

AGENDA

September 7, 1977

Re: EPA Meeting on September 8th

I. BACKGROUND

A. EPA Meeting

1. Goals
2. Participants
3. Risks for SPI
4. FOIA Requests

- (a) EPA
- (b) NIOSH

II. EPA MEETING - SPI POSITION

A. Strategy Options

1. SPI Opening Statement
 - (a) Review Background
 - (b) Restate SPI's Position
2. SPI Position - Internal Use Only

- (a) No Compromise - EPA must withdraw proposed amendments immediately.

- (i) Risks
- (ii) Benefits

- (b) SPI will consider EPA compromise proposals if EPA will withdraw the proposed amendments.

- (i) Risks
- (ii) Benefits

- (c) SPI will consider EPA compromise proposals if offered by EPA without the withdrawal of amendments.

- (i) Risks
- (ii) Benefits

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(d) SPI will drop its demand for withdrawal of the amendments and enter into negotiations with EPA to make the proposed amendments acceptable.

(i) Risks

(ii) Benefits

(e) SPI will make affirmative settlement proposals.

III. PROBLEMS AND IDEAS REGARDING A POTENTIAL COMPROMISE (Internal Use)

A. Issues on which SPI cannot compromise

1. Zero goal v. Cost-Risk-Benefit
2. Offset
3. Other Areas?

B. Ideas for future PVC Steering Committee consideration

1. Lower emission limits
2. Definition of resin grade
3. Funds for research on new technology
4. SPI willing to attend additional meetings and to listen to and consider any compromise proposals of EPA or EDF
5. EPA review when existing Standard fully implemented
6. Program for actual monitoring data once Standard fully implemented
7. Funding for technological research
8. Fund a research associate position at EPA for industry representative
9. Particular proposed amendments, either as proposed or with modifications

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