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Subject: revision to Fluoropolymers Appendix A.1

Colleagues -

As discussed toward the end of today's ECA drafting committee call, below is revised wording for the first two sentences of the last paragraph of Appendix A.1 for Fluoropolymers (lines 22-27 of the first page of Appendix A.1 of the latest WPD document for fluoropolymers that I have from Rich). Please note that I have highlight affected text in bold blue and only shown the final/as revised text since I could not figure out how to show track changes in this e-mail.

If you have any questions or comments, please let me know.

Thank you.

Best Regards,

Robert Giraud

Subsequent analysis of the list of fluoropolymers received by EPA supported the conclusion that the individual chemicals listed below are representative of all known commercial fluoropolymer chemicals and the basic chemistries are represented by the four composite test substances that are subject to testing under this ECA (i.e., dry melt fluoropolymer resin, dry non-melt resin, dry non-melt fluoroelastomer gum, aqueous fluoropolymer dispersions) (see ECA Appendix A.2 and A.3). The fluoropolymer structure is predominantly $-(CF_2)_x-$, which under incineration conditions EPA believes can be a potential source of PFOA.

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