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Message

From: JENKINS, DANIEL J [AG/1920] [/O=MONSANTO/OU=NA-1000-01/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=813004]

Sent: 5/9/2014 2:10:26 PM

To: AHLERS, ERIN M [AG/1000] [/O=MONSANTO/OU=NA-1630-01/cn=Recipients/cn=172788]

Subject: RE: sodium sulfite/what is the resolution of this?

Got it, let me know...

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From: AHLERS, ERIN M [AG/1000] **Sent:** Friday, May 09, 2014 10:01 AM **To:** JENKINS, DANIEL J [AG/1920]

Subject: FW: sodium sulfite/what is the resolution of this?

Not to tattle, but you asked for real-time feedback.

I spoke with Erik on Wednesday and specifically ask that he NOT talk to the agency until he had a chance to discuss with Steve and collectively come up with a reasonable way to approach/state the issue/need without stirring up any unnecessary concern. The note Thursday appears to have been sent without that happening (Steve has not talked directly to Erik on the phone).

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I haven't had a chance to discuss with Erik, but if it happened in the manner that I think it did, I am very disappointed. Hope to talk to Erik about this today.

From: ADAMS, STEPHEN A [AG/1000] Sent: Thursday, May 08, 2014 4:41 PM To: JANUS, ERIK [AG/1920] Cc: AHLERS, ERIN M [AG/1000] Subject: RE: sodium sulfite/what is the resolution of this?
Erik —
If you talk to Kerry, I wouldn't push the NNG issue too hard – don't want to draw attention to the toxicity of our product but the idea of removing nitrates that could be transformed into nitroso compounds should be of interest to EPA.
Technology is anxious and needs to know how to proceed as quickly as possible, so as you hear anything, please pass it over the fence.
Thanks!
Steve
From: JANUS, ERIK [AG/1920] Sent: Thursday, May 08, 2014 2:41 PM To: ADAMS, STEPHEN A [AG/1000] Cc: AHLERS, ERIN M [AG/1000] Subject: RE: sodium sulfite/what is the resolution of this?
Steve,
Thanks for this add'l info. I have a note into Kerry Liefer following up on our last conversation and outlining some of the

new info you present below. I did indeed use your highlighted points, not verbatim, but used. Apologies for the delay,