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Subject: FW: Monograph Meeting
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Bonjour Aaron!

Kurt forwarded your below message on the volume 112 meeting. I'll be the Responsible Officer (I separated from EPA in January 2014 to join the IARC monographs program :-)). We chose the topic based on numerous nominations to evaluate pesticides, and intend to refine the specific pesticides or classes to be evaluated in the coming months, based on expert input, including from an upcoming advisory group meeting in April. Given the large number of compounds lacking IARC evaluations, or whose IARC evaluations may be outdated, I wouldn't be surprised if the advisory group may recommended further monograph meetings on the pesticides. We will nevertheless commence with the volume 112 monograph meeting in March 2015.

We'd be very interested in your perspective on the agents most appropriate for evaluation. In terms of compounds under consideration, Michael Alavanja at NCI submitted a number of nominations (including IARC group 3 compounds [carbaryl, permethrin and malathion] and compounds without IARC classifications [fonofos, lindane, diazinon, pendimethalin, EPTC, terbufos]. Atrazine was recommended for evaluation by the 2008 advisory group. Also nominated were glyphosate (Roundup), the phenoxy herbicides including 2,4-D, synergists (e.g., piperonyl butoxide), and any of the 23 compounds classified by EPA as "likely" or "suggestive" (see http://npic.orst.edu/chemicals_evaluated.pdf).

We will also soon be composing the Working Group. Would you be interested and available in being part of the volume 112 meeting? Otherwise, might you be able to recommend a colleague?

Please don't hesitate to share any thoughts by email, and I'd also be happy to contact you by telephone to discuss this further at your convenience. Do feel free to suggest a time next week if you'd be available to talk.

Many thanks--
Best wishes from Lyon,
Kate

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From: Blair, Aaron (NIH/NCI) [V] [<mailto:blaira@exchange.nih.gov>]
Sent: 19 March 2014 20:44
To: Straif Kurt (straif@iarc.fr)
Subject: Monograph Meeting

Kurt,

Just saw the announcement regarding a monograph meeting on "Some pesticides and related chemicals" Are there

specific pesticides to be evaluated, or is this the general class of pesticides?

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