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Hi, Ed - Just checking in on these. Where do things stand? I'm assuming we're still on for 5 today - let me know if you're not able to talk then.

Joel

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Just a reminder that we would like to hear back about these tomorrow.

Thanks.

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▼ Marna McDermott---09/30/2011 04:48:49 PM---Hi Ed, EPA is in the process of responding to a FOIA appeal and we have identified the following two

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Hi Ed,

EPA is in the process of responding to a FOIA appeal and we have identified the following two documents as requiring consultation with your office:



We are proposing to release these after applying the redactions marked.

I am also attaching the original FOIA request and the appeal:



We need to complete a final appeal determination by October 26, 2011, and would very much appreciate your review by October 21, 2011.

Please let me know if any further information would be useful.

Thanks,  
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