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Mr. William L. Kovacs Vice-President Environment, Technology & Regulatory Affairs U.S. Chamber of Commerce 1615 H. Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20062

> Re: Interim Response to U.S. Chamber of Commerce's (Chamber) Request for Reconsideration of Request for Correction (RFC 04019)

Dear Mr. Kovacs:

I want to provide you with a status update regarding the U.S. Chamber of Commerce's (Chamber's) Request for Reconsideration (RFR 04019A) submitted under the Environmental Protection Agency's Information Quality Guidelines (IQG). Our goal was to provide a formal response to this RFR by July 3, 2006. We are in the final phase of our internal review and are preparing for a consultation with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) as part of their Information Quality Act (IQA) oversight role.

We anticipate the response to the Chamber's RFR will be sent to you within 90 days. If you have any questions about this letter, please contact me at (202) 564-6830.

Sincerely,

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Reggie Cheatham Director, Quality Staff