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Mr. Thomas Miller, Designated Federal Officer
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Dear Mr. Miller:

The Wood Preservative Science Council is submitting the attached written comments for consideration by the EPA SAB Arsenic Review Panel during their meeting in September 2005. These documents address key areas of the power of existing studies and the available human epidemiological studies which should be considered by the Panel in their evaluation and recommendations on inorganic arsenic. We believe that the information evaluated by the Panel should include appropriate consideration of the the considerable new literature and advancements in scientific knowledge relative to the carcinogenicity of inorganic arsenic.

These documents will form the basis of the oral comments which will be made during the public comment period by Dr. Pamela Mink. Time for those comments already has been requested. We appreciate your consideration of our request and anticipate that these documents will be distributed to the Panel members in a timely manner.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dear Tom,

Please disregard the documents I e-mailed to you on Friday. We had the wrong copyright on the meta analysis paper.

Thank you for getting the attached final reports to the panel members in a timely manner.

I apologize for the confusion.