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SUBJECT: NALED: Drinking Water Assessment

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Dear Mr. Solomon:

Attached is a copy of the October 21, 1997, Drinking Water Assessment for Naled. The enclosed document is the same as the one provided to you on July 16, 1998.

This assessment evaluates the impacts to drinking water associated with the use of Naled. The drinking water assessment will be used for developing the risk assessment for the Reregistration Eligibility Decision (RED) document. As such, the Agency encourages Valent to carefully review this assessment. Please comment on any errors, such as computational or mathematical mistakes within 30 days of receiving this letter.

As discussed in earlier conversations, the Agency intends to open a public docket for Naled on August 10, 1998. The Drinking Water Assessment for Naled will be in the public docket when it is opened for a 90-day comment period. During this time, Valent can provide additional comments.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Diane Isbell at (703) 308-8154.

Sincerely,

Kathy S. Monk, Chief  
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