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MEMORANDUM

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DATE: February 12, 1982

SUBJECT: New Source of Naphthalene Acetic Acid (NAA)
a "Me-too" registration under SOP 3068.2
(EPA Reg. No. 264-29, -141, -137, -142, -248 and -336)

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Action Requested: Union Carbide has requested a new source of NAA, its sodium salt and its amide and ethyl ester. [redacted] and according to the RCB memo of Feb. 3, 1982 by Richard Loranger, the old and new products are not identical.

Recommendation: Based on my comparison of the analysis of [redacted] I find that any difference between them is incrementally negligible.

PRODUCT INGREDIENT SOURCE INFORMATION IS NOT INCLUDED