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Re: Fluoropolymer Incineration ECA Signature Page

Please find enclosed signature page, Copy # 2-Public Version as required under the enforceable consent agreement (ECA) for the laboratory-scale incineration testing of fluoropolymer chemicals. AGC Chemicals Americas Inc. is not claiming CBI on any fluoropolymer chemicals in this submission; therefore Copy #3 signature page has been excluded.

Respectfully submitted,

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	ECA Subject Chemicals for AGC Chemicals Americas, Inc.					
Entry	Composite	CAS Registry#	CAS 9CI Name			
1	Dry non-melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #9002-84-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer			
2	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #27029-05-6	1-Propene, polymer with tetrafluoroethene			
3	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #9002-84-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer			

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(D) Aqueous Fluoropolymer Dispersions Composite #4: (containing: Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)

ethene, CAS No. 31784 04 0; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer,
CAS No. 9002-84-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene), CAS No. 25067-11-2; Propane,
1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- [(trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 26655-00-5; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)ethene, CAS No.

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Entry Composite		CAS Registry #	CAS 9CI Name		
1	Dry non-melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #9002-84-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer		
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7	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #35560-16-8	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with ethene and tetrafluoroethene
8	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #27029-05-6	1-Propene, polymer with tetrafluoroethene
9	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #54675-89-7	1-Propene, polymer with 1,1- difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene
10	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #26425-79-6	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(trifluoromethoxy) ethene
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APPENDIX A.3 COMPOSITION OF COMPOSITES TO BE TESTED

The four composite test substances for this test program are presented below in Table A.3-1 with the fluoropolymer types, CAS numbers, and associated monomers for these fluoropolymers. Each fluoropolymer used in each relevant test substance composite will have been made using APFO.

Table A.3-1. Tast Substance Composites by Type

Test Substance	Fluoropolymer Type	CAS Number	Associated Monomers
Composite 1 -	PTPS	9002-84-0	LEE
Dry non-melt resin	Modified PTFE	26653-00-5	PFE, PPVE
Composite 2 -	FEP	25067-11-2	TFE, HEP
Dry melt resins	PEA	26655-00-5	TFE, PPVE
-		31784-04-0	TFE, PEVE
	THV	25190-89-0	TPE, HEP, VOF
•	STEE	68258-85-5	PFE, E
e e e e e e e e e e e e e	HTE	35560-16-8	IFE, HFP, E
Composite 3 -	Fluoroelastomer	9011-17-0	WOR, HEP
Fluoroslastomers	Copolymers	-	
	Fluoroelastomer Terpolymers	25190-89 - 0	TFE, HFP, VDF
•	Base resistant	54675-89-7,	TEE, VDF, P
	elastomers	27029-05-6	TFE, P
	Perfluoroelastomers	26425-79-6	TFE, PMVE
	CTFE elastomers	9010-75-7	CIFE, VFD
	Low temperature		TEE, VOE
	elastomers	CBI	
Composite 4 - Aqueous	PTFE	9002-84-0	TF2
Dispersions	FEP	25067-11-2	TFE, HPP
	PFA	26655-00-5	TFE, PPVE
		3 "	TTE, FEVE
	THV	25190-89-0	TPE, HFP, VDF

Confidential business information (CBI) regarding the chemical identity of low temperature elastomers has been submitted to EPA under separate cover.

4.2.2 Composite 2

ang 10/6/0 FEP, PFA EEP. PEA. THV, ETEE, and HTE dry melt resins are available in powder form. Equal weights Visley of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1 above) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 2.

4.2.3 Composite 3

Fluoroelastomers are available in slab, lump, or sheet form. Composite 3 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

Equal weights of each component (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed on a rubber mill to produce a homogenous slab of preset thickness to yield Composite 3.

Or

Each component of Composite 3 will be cyrogenically cooled (to b) make the elastomers brittle) and size-reduced (e.g., ground) to produce powder. Equal weights of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 3.

4.2.4 Composite 4

Aqueous dispersions of PTFE, FEP, PFA, and THV are available as dispersions containing 20 to 60% fluoropolymer solids by weight. Composite 4 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

Equal weights (on a dry solids basis) of each component in a) aqueous dispersion form (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in liquid form. Solids will be separated from the resulting liquid composite to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids.

Or

b) Solids will be separated from liquid for each component of Composite 4 to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids for each component. Equal weights of the solids form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together to yield Composite 4.

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Re.

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Fluoropolymer Incineration ECA Signature Materials – Docket Number OPPT-2003-0012

Dear Dr. Fritz:

As we reviewed Copy #5 of the Incineration ECA signature pages, we found two additional errors on page 21, the table of ECA Subject Chemicals for Dyneon, LLC. These were in Rows 6 and 12, in the Generic Identification number column. In both cases, the Generic identification numbers were listed. In order to have positive identification of the chemicals in those rows of the table the appropriate CAS # was written in, and the generic number was lined out.

The two changes were both signed by William Myers, as were all of the other changes in this Copy and in Copy #2, the public version of the signature materials. Would you please have Ward Penberthy initial the two additional changes.

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this letter, please contact me at 651-733-5637.

Respectfully submitted,

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		31784-04-0	TFE, PEVE
	THY	25190-89-0	TFE, HFP, VDF
	STEE	60250-05-5	PFE, E
•	HTB	35560-16-8	TFE, HFP, E
Composite 3 - Fluoroelastomers	Fluoroelastomer Copolymers	9011-17-0	VDF, HFP
	Fluoroelastomer Terpolymers	25190-89-0	TEE, RFP, VDF
	Base resistant	54675-89-7	TFE, VDF, P
	elastomers	27029-05-6	TFE, P
	Perfluoroelastomers	26425-79-6	TFE, PMVE
	CTFE elastomers	9010-75-7	CTFE, VFD
	Low temperature elastomers	CBI	TFE, VOF
Composite 4 - Aqueous	PTFE	9002-84-0	r.
Dispersions	FBP .	25067-11-2	TFE, HFP
· -	PFA	26655-00-5	FFE, PPVE
		31784-04-0	TPE, PEVE
	THV	25190-89-0	TPE, HEP, VOE

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4.2.2 Composite 2

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FEP, PFA ETFÉ
EEP, PEA, THV, ETEE, and HTE dry melt resins are available in powder form. Equal weights of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1 above) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 2.

4.2.3 Composite 3

Fluoroelastomers are available in slab, lump, or sheet form. Composite 3 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

a) Equal weights of each component (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed on a rubber mill to produce a homogenous slab of preset thickness to yield Composite 3.

Or

b) Each component of Composite 3 will be cyrogenically cooled (to make the elastomers brittle) and size-reduced (e.g., ground) to produce powder. Equal weights of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 3.

4.2.4 Composite 4

Aqueous dispersions of PTFE, FEP, PFA, and THV are available as dispersions containing 20 to 60% fluoropolymer solids by weight. Composite 4 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

a) Equal weights (on a dry solids basis) of each component in aqueous dispersion form (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in liquid form. Solids will be separated from the resulting liquid composite to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids.

Or

b) Solids will be separated from liquid for each component of Composite 4 to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids for each component. Equal weights of the solids form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together to yield Composite 4.

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Date: 10/11/04

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Dear Mr. Penberthy:

Washington, DC 20460

October 13, 2004

Wardner G. Penberthy

Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

In response to your letter of August 16, 2004, I am providing signed copies of the signature pages for the Enforceable Consent Agreement (ECA) for incineration testing of fluoropolymer-based polymers. Daikin America is agreeing to the terms of the ECA as recorded in the "public version" of the document (ECA Copy #2) with certain modifications. Specifically EPA has made modifications to the text of the ECA by letter of September 9, 2004 and October 6, 2004. In addition, Daikin notes one additional modification that it has communicated to the negotiation team on the ECA but that has not yet been made in the text of the ECA. On page 4 of the Public Version of the ECA, the description of the "Aqueous Fluoropolymer Dispersion Composite #4" is incorrect. In the last line of the description, the DCN number should be DCN No. 63040000018B. Provided that all of these modifications are made to the document text, Daikin consents to the terms of the ECA.

In Section XV of this ECA, EPA has stipulated that any confidential business information (CBI) produced in the course of this ECA will be provided to other federal agencies only in accord with the OPPTS TSCA CBI Protection Manual. Based on a review of this Manual, the signatories to this ECA were initially uncertain about whether EPA would hold other agencies to all substantive and procedural aspects of the EPA requirements for protection of CBI.

In a letter dated February 3, 2004, EPA's Office of General Counsel has provided an assurance that another federal agency receiving "off-site" access to CBI information generated in the course of this ECA must satisfy all aspects of the Manual and EPA's regulations, both substantive and procedural. EPA informs us that this letter is Document OPPT-2003-0012-0712 in the ECA Docket. With this understanding, Daikin America has agreed to sign this ECA.

Daikin will continue to work with EPA, in the context of the ECA process or parallel information collection processes, to obtain a better understanding about PFOA in the environment. Thank you for your cooperation in the development of this ECA.

Sincerely yours,



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	ECA Subject Chemicals for Daikin America, Inc. *					
Entry	Composite	CAS Registry #	CAS 9CI Name			
1	Dry non-melt Fluoropolymer Resin					
2	Aqueous Dispersion					
3	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum					
4	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum					
*	* Entries "X'd" out indicate redacted information claimed as CBI by the Company.					

¹ Data in the table lists the chemical(s) and composite contributions for which Daikin America, Inc. is responsible. The Company developed these data in response to EPA's letter of January 6, 2004. There is both a Public and CBI version of this page because the Company has asserted that data in this table are considered by them to be entitled to treatment as TSCA confidential business information (CBI) (see Part XIV. D. of this ECA regarding confidentiality of information).

² Daikin America, Inc. is not obligated under this ECA to perform Phase I PFOA Transport Testing (see Part III. C. and VII.A. of this ECA).

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ECA Subject Chemicals for Daikin America, Inc.				
Entry	Composite	Generic ID †	Generic Name	
1	Dry non-melt Fluoropolymer Resin	DCN # 63040000018A	Polytetrafluoroethylene	
2	Aqueous Dispersion	DCN # 63040000018B	Polytetrafluoroethylene	
3 '	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	DCN # 63040000018C	Fluoroelastomer	
4	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	DCN # 63040000018D	Fluoroelastomer	

[†] The CBI protected CAS Registry numbers have been substituted with Document Control Numbers (DCN) for the Company claimed CBI information held by the EPA. The DCN is assigned by EPA to a company claimed CBI submission that is tracked by the Confidential Business Information Center (CBIC); the terminating letter indicates which substance is being referenced.

Date: Oct.04, 15

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Attn: Dr. Greg Fritz

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Sincerely,

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	ECA Subject Chemicals for E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company				
Entry	Composite	CAS Registry #	CAS 9CI Name		
1	Dry non-melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #9002-84-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer		
2	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #25067-11-2	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene		
3	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #26655-00-5	Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- (trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene		
4	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #31784-04-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)ethene		
5	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #9002-84-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer		
6	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #25067-11-2	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene		
7	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #26655-00-5	Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- (trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene		

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2	Dry non-melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #26655-00-5	Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- (trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	408 10,
3	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #25067-11-2	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	
4	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #26655-00-5	Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- (trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	3CS 10/1
5	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #25190-89-0	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with 1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene	
6	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin			

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Entry	Composite	CAS Registry #	CAS 9CI Name	
7	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	CAS #35560-16-8	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with ethene and tetrafluoroethene	
8	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #27029-05-6	1-Propene, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	
9	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #54675-89-7	1-Propene, polymer with 1,1- difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene	
10	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #26425-79-6	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(trifluoromethoxy) ethene	
11	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #9010-75-7	Ethene, chlorotrifluoro-, polymer with 51-difluoroethene	
12	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	\nearrow		
13	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #9002-84-0	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer	
14	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #25067-11-2	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	
15	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #26655-00-5	Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- [(trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	
16	Aqueous Dispersion	CAS #25190-89-0	1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with 1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene	
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Aqueous Fluoropolymer Dispersions Composite #4: (containing:

Ethene, tetrafluoro-polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)

ethene, CAS No. 31784 04 0; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer, Sology

CAS No. 9002-84-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene), CAS No. 25067-11-2; Propane,

1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- [(trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 26655-00-5; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)ethene, CAS No.

-31784-04-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3- hexafluoro-, polymer with 1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 25190-89-0; and polytetrafluoroethylene, DCN No. 63040000018C).8

The procedure for constructing each composite is described in Appendix A.4. The polymer components for each composite will be unfilled first quality product polymer, substantially free of inorganic constituents. Each component of the four composites to be tested under this ECA will be accompanied by a certificate of analysis showing it to meet applicable product specifications.

III. OBLIGATION OF SIGNATORY COMPANIES

- A. The Companies are bound by the terms of this ECA as specified below.
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EPA uses a variety of numerical identification systems for tracking chemicals. These include Chemical Abstract Service Registry numbers (CAS) (assigned to non-confidential listed chemicals), pre-manufacture notice (PMN) numbers (assigned by EPA when chemicals enter EPA's new chemical review process, document control numbers (DCN) (assigned by the Confidential Business Information Center for EPA tracking), and Accession (ACC) numbers (provided by EPA when a chemical identity requires protection as TSCA CBI). In addition, Polymer Exemption products will not have a TSCA Inventory ID number but may have a commercial trade identity.

to seek judicial review of any rule that may be adopted by EPA that imposes requirements to test any of the fluoropolymer chemicals listed in Appendix A.1 to this ECA.

XXII. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS BY COMPANIES

By signing this ECA, the Companies are not admitting that the requirements of TSCA Section 4 have been satisfied for promulgating a test rule to generate the data required by this ECA.

The Companies contend that the documents generated for the incineration testing program under this ECA are protected from public disclosure under 5 U.S.C. section 552(b)(4) and 15 U.S.C. section 2613(a) and do not constitute studies subject to disclosure under 15 U.S.C. section 2613(b). Accordingly, the public information disclosure provisions of this ECA are, in the view of the Companies, a waiver of legal rights.

XXIII. IDENTITY OF THE COMPANIES AND PRINCIPAL TEST SPONSOR

The Principal Test Sponsor is:

Fluoropolymer Manufacturers Group Allen Weidman The Society of the Plastics Industry, Inc. 1801 K Streert, N.W., Suite 600K Washington, DC 20006 202-974-5233

The Companies subject to this ECA are:

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APPENDIX A.3 COMPOSITION OF COMPOSITES TO BE TESTED

The four composite test substances for this test program are presented below in Table A.3-1 with the fluoropolymer types, CAS numbers, and associated monomers for these fluoropolymers. Each fluoropolymer used in each relevant test substance composite will have been made using APFO.

Table A.3-1. Test Substance Composites by Type

Test Substance	Fluoropolymer Type		Associated Monomers
Composite 1 -	PTFE	9002-84-0	TEE
Dry mon-melt resin	Wodlfled FIEE	26655-00-5	TFE, PPVE
Composite 2 -	ere	25067-11-2	TFE, HEP
ory melt realns	EEA	26655-00-5 31784-04-0	TFE. PPVE TFE. PEVE
	THY	25190-89-0	EFS, MFP, VDE
	STEE	68258-85-5	TFE, E
• • 1	HTE	35560-16-8	TPE, HEP, R
Composite] - Fluoroelastomers	Fluoroelastomer Copolymers	9011-17-0	VDP, HFP
	Fluoroelastomer Terpolymers	25190-89-0	TFE, RFP, VDF
	Base registant elastomers	54 675-09-7 , 27029-05-6	rfe, vof, p rfe, p
	Perfluoroelastomers	26425-79-6	TFE, PMYE
	CIFE elastomers	9010-75-7	CTEE, VED
	Low temperature elastomers	CBI	TFE, VOF
Composite 4 - Aqueous	FAFS	9002-84-0	rfa (
)ispersions	FEP	25067-11-2	PFE, HFP
	PFA	CONTRACTOR OF THE PARTY OF THE	FFE, PPVE
		31794 94 0	TEE, PEVE
	THV	25190-89-0	CFE, HEP, VOE

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4.2.2 Composite 2

EEP, PEA, THV, ETEE, and HTE dry melt resins are available in powder form. Equal weights of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the in Section 4.1 above) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 2.

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Equal weights of each component (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed on a rubber mill to produce a homogenous slab of preset thickness to yield Composite 3.

Or

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Aqueous dispersions of PTFE, FEP, PFA, and THV are available as dispersions containing 20 to 60% fluoropolymer solids by weight. Composite 4 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

Equal weights (on a dry solids basis) of each component in a) aqueous dispersion form (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in liquid form. Solids will be separated from the resulting liquid composite to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids.

Or

Solids will be separated from liquid for each component of b) Composite 4 to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids for each component. Equal weights of the solids form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together to yield Composite 4.

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Re: Fluoropolymer Incineration ECA Signature Materials – Docket Number OPPT-2003-0012

Dear Dr. Fritz:

This letter contains page 4 of the Incineration ECA Copy #2, transmitted to Dyneon in a letter from Jim Willis dated January 10, 2005. This page has been initialed as requested in that letter.

EPA also requested that Dyneon clarify our position regarding some changes we suggested to ECA page #21. We have determined that we do not want to reveal the chemical abstract numbers for entries #6 and #12 in the second table of the signature pages for the company specific version (Copy #5) of the Incineration ECA. Therefore, please do not make those changes, but revert to the unchanged page.

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this letter, please contact me at 651-733-5637.

Respectfully submitted,

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(D) Aqueous Fluoropolymer Dispersions Composite #4: (containing: Bthene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)—ethene, CAS-No. 31784-04-0; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer, CAS No. 9002-84-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene), CAS No. 25067-11-2; Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- [(trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 26655-00-5; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethexy)ethene, CAS No. 21784-04-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with 1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 25190-89-0; and polytetrafluoroethylene, DCN No. 6304000001825.

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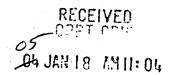
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1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- [(trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 26655-00-5; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)ethene, CAS No. 25184-04-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3- hexafluoro-, polymer with
1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 25190-89-0; and polytetrafluoroethylene, DCN No. 6304000001827.

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Mr. Jim Willis Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (7405M) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

Dear Jim:

On behalf of Daikin America, Inc. (DAI), I am submitting the signature pages for the Enforceable Consent Agreements (ECAs) for incineration of fluorotelomer-based polymers and fluoropolymers. These signature pages are in response to your letter to Satoshi Doi, President of DAI, dated January 10, 2005.

DAI is pleased to complete these ECAs as a means to improve the information base on potential release of PFOA to the environment. In signing these documents as requested by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), it is important that DAI's understandings be clear:

- In providing DAI's signature on modifications to the ECA text related to information about other companies, DAI can only be acknowledging that the modifications have been made. We understandably cannot certify the accuracy of the underlying information provided by other companies.
- In previous correspondence with EPA, notably our letter to Wardner G. Penberthy on October 13, 2004, DAI has explained that the company's agreement to these ECAs relies on EPA's representation, contained in a February 3, 2004 letter from the Agency's Office of General Counsel, that another federal agency receiving "off-site" access to confidential business information must satisfy all aspects of the OPPTS TSCA CBI Protection Manual and EPA's regulations, both substantive and procedural.

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DAI looks forward to working with EPA to better understand the health and environmental implications of PFOA. Thank you for your cooperation in the development of this ECA.

Best regards,

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(D) Aqueous Fluoropolymer Dispersions Composite #4: (containing: Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethoxy)—ethene, CAS No. 31784-04-0; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, homopolymer, CAS No. 9002-84-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3-hexafluoro-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene), CAS No. 25067-11-2; Propane, 1,1,1,2,2,3,3-heptafluoro-3- [(trifluoroethenyl)oxy]-, polymer with tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 26655-00-5; Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(pentafluoroethexy)ethene, CAS No. 31784-04-0; 1-Propene, 1,1,2,3,3,3- hexafluoro-, polymer with 1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene, CAS No. 25190-89-0; and polytetrafluoroethylene, DCN No. 630400000186).

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to seek judicial review of any rule that may be adopted by EPA that imposes requirements to test any of the fluoropolymer chemicals listed in Appendix A.1 to this ECA.

XXII. RESERVATION OF RIGHTS BY COMPANIES

By signing this ECA, the Companies are not admitting that the requirements of TSCA Section 4 have been satisfied for promulgating a test rule to generate the data required by this ECA.

The Companies contend that the documents generated for the incineration testing program under this ECA are protected from public disclosure under 5 U.S.C. section 552(b)(4) and 15 U.S.C. section 2613(a) and do not constitute studies subject to disclosure under 15 U.S.C. section 2613(b). Accordingly, the public information disclosure provisions of this ECA are, in the view of the Companies, a waiver of legal rights.

XXIII. IDENTITY OF THE COMPANIES AND PRINCIPAL TEST SPONSOR

The Principal Test Sponsor is:

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6	Dry melt Fluoropolymer Resin	><				

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8	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #27029-05-6	1-Propene, polymer with tetrafluoroethene	
9 .)	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #54675-89-7	1-Propene, polymer with 1,1-difluoroethene and tetrafluoroethene	
10	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #26425-79-6	Ethene, tetrafluoro-, polymer with trifluoro(trifluoromethoxy) ethene	
11	Dry non-melt Fluoroelastomer Gum	CAS #9010-75-7	Ethene, chlorotrifluoro-, polymer with 51-difluoroethene	
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APPENDIX A.3 COMPOSITION OF COMPOSITES TO BE TESTED

The four composite test substances for this test program are presented below in Table A.3-I with the fluoropolymer types, CAS numbers, and associated monomers for these fluoropolymers. Each fluoropolymer used in each relevant test substance composite will have been made using APFO.

Table A. 3-1. Test Substance Composites by Type

Test Substance	Fluoropolymer Type		Associated Monomers	
Composite 1 -	PTFS	9002-84-0	TEE	
Dry non-melt resin	Modified PTFE	26655-00-5	TFE, PPVE	
Composite 2 -	PEP	25067-11-2	TFE, HFP	
Dry melt resins	PFA	26655-00-5	TFE, PPVE	
		31784-04-0	TFE, PEVE	
	VHT	25190-89-D	TPE, HFP, YDF	
•	STEE	60250-05-5	PPE, E	
•	HTE	35560-16-9	TPE, HEP, E	
	Fluorcelastomer	9011-17-0	VDF, HFP	
Fluoroelastomers	Copolymers	<u> </u>		
•	Fluoroelastomer	25190-89-0	IFE, HFP, VDF	
	Terpolymera			
	Base resistant	54675-89-7.	TFE, VDF, P	
	elastomers	27029-05-6	TFE, P	
	Perfluoroelastomers	26425-79-6	Tee, PMVE	
	CTFE elastomers	9010-75-7	CIFE, VFD	
	Low temperature		TFE, VOF	
	elastomers	CBI		
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aueous				
	FEP	25067-11-2	TFE, HPP	
	PPA	26655-00-5	TVE, PPVE	
		21704-04-0	TYE, PEVE	
	PHV		FFS, HFP, VDF	

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Confidential business information (CBI) regarding the chemical identity of low temperature elastomers has been submitted to EPA under separate cover.

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4.2.2 Composite 2

FEP, PFA ETFÉ

EEP, PEA, THV, ETEE, and HTE dry melt resins are available in powder form. Equal weights 19/25

EEP, PEA, THV, ETEE, and HTE dry melt resins are available in powder form. Equal weights of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1 above) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 2.

4.2.3 Composite 3

Fluoroelastomers are available in slab, lump, or sheet form. Composite 3 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

 Equal weights of each component (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed on a rubber mill to produce a homogenous slab of preset thickness to yield Composite 3.

Or

b) Each component of Composite 3 will be cyrogenically cooled (to make the elastomers brittle) and size-reduced (e.g., ground) to produce powder. Equal weights of the powder form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in dry form to yield Composite 3.

4.2.4 Composite 4

Aqueous dispersions of PTFE, FEP, PFA, and THV are available as dispersions containing 20 to 60% fluoropolymer solids by weight. Composite 4 will be prepared following one of the following approaches:

a) Equal weights (on a dry solids basis) of each component in aqueous dispersion form (following the approach in example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together in liquid form. Solids will be separated from the resulting liquid composite to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids.

Or

b) Solids will be separated from liquid for each component of Composite 4 to yield low water content (i.e., drip free) fine solids for each component. Equal weights of the solids form of each component (following the approach in the example for Composite Z in Section 4.1) will be mixed together to yield Composite 4.



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Re: Initialed Replacement Page for Fluoropolymer Incineration ECA

Please find enclosed, initialed replacement page; Copy # 2-Public Version, page 4, as required under the enforceable consent agreement (ECA) for the laboratory-scale incineration testing of fluoropolymer chemicals.

Respectfully submitted,

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