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Honorable Christine T. Whitman
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RE: Chemical Right-to-Know Program - Assessment Plan and Robust Summaries for the Acetic Acid and Salts Category, Registration Number

Dear Administrator Whitman:

The American Chemistry Council Acetic Acid and Salts Panel (Panel) submits for review and public comment its assessment plan report and robust summaries for the Acetic Acid and Salts Category under the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) High Production Volume Chemical Challenge Program. The Panel members are listed in the assessment plan report. Included in this package is a computer diskette that contains electronic copies of the assessment plan and robust summaries.

The Panel understands that there will be a 120-day review period for the assessment plan report and that all comments generated by, or provided to, EPA will be forwarded to the Panel for consideration.

Thank you in advance for attention to this matter. If you have any questions regarding the assessment plan report or robust summaries, please contact Laurie Miller, the Panel Manager. She can be reached at 703-741-5611 (telephone), 703-741-6091 (telefax) or laurie_miller@americanchemistry.com (email).

Sincerely yours,

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