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RE: Request for Correction (RFC #12001) – *Analyses associated with the impact of biofuels*

Dear Ms. Brill:

I would like to provide you with a status update regarding the EPA response to the October 13, 2011, Information Quality Guidelines Request for Correction (RFC #12001) submitted by the Competitive Enterprise Institute and ActionAid USA.

When we sent you the June 21, 2012, interim response, we anticipated that the final response would be sent to you by October 25, 2012. However, due to the complexity of the issues raised in your RFC, the internal review of the response has not yet been completed.

We would like to assure you that we are working diligently to provide you with a substantive response to your information quality concerns. Although we are requesting an extension of 90 business days, we anticipate a response much sooner than that.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Monica Jones", is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

Monica Jones
Acting Director, Quality Staff

cc: Malcolm D. Jackson, Assistant Administrator and Chief Information Officer,
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Sam Kazman, General Counsel, Competitive Enterprise Institute
Hans Bader, Senior Attorney, Competitive Enterprise Institute