

January 14, 2019

Standard Mail

Regional Hearing Clerk (E-19J) U.S. EPA, Region 5 77 West Jackson Boulevard Chicago, IL 60604

Subject:

Confirmation of Wire Transfer

Consent Agreement and Final Order for Case Title: In the Matter of Stepan Company

Docket No.: FIFRA-05-2019-0004



Dear Clerk:

The parties have agreed that settling the above entitled matter, by means of a Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO), and without the filing of a complaint or adjudication of any issue, is in the interests of the parties and in the public interest.

Accordingly, Respondents have submitted a wire transfer in full settlement of the civil penalty due under the terms of this CAFO. A copy of the communication to the Federal Reserve Bank and the wire transfer is attached for your files.

We believe these actions constitute a complete response to the remaining items in the CAFO. If any other items remain unaddressed, please advise me at your convenience by contacting me at (224) 330-3414. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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