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Honorable Carol M. Browner
Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
401 M Street, SW
Washington, DC 20460

Subject: Notification of a Consultation on the Agency's Science Strategy

Dear Ms. Browner:

The Executive Committee (EC) of the Science Advisory Board (SAB), met on July 14, 1999 to conduct a consultation with Dr. Dorothy Patton from the Office of Science Policy in the Office of Research and Development on the efforts underway to develop an Agency-wide Science Strategy. The SAB has developed the consultation as a mechanism to advise the Agency on technical issues that should be considered in the development of regulations, guidelines, or technical guidance before the Agency has taken a position. A consultation is conducted under the normal requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, which include advance notice of the public meeting in the Federal Register.

As is our customary practice, there will be no formal report from the SAB as a result of this consultation, nor do we expect any formal response from the Agency.

Sincerely,

Dr. Wm. Randall Seeker, Acting Chair
Science Advisory Board



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