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To:	Topham, Nathan; Koerber, Mike; VanLare, Paula; Manibusan, Mary; French, Chuck; Jordan, Scott
Cc:	Thomas, Amanda L. EOP/OMB; Hodson Marten, Elke L. EOP/OMB
Subject:	RE: Interagency Passback on Wood Heaters Rule
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Dear all,

Thank you for EPA's most recent passback. Please see the two attached files: 1) the edited preamble with tracked changes (we accepted your edits on the version from yesterday and tracked new edits) and 2) the 2018 proposed RIA with tracked changes.

The preamble edits provide conforming edits for the economic analysis.

On the RIA, we believe there may have been some miscommunication. As we discussed on the phone, the 2018 proposed rule RIA can be a good starting point for the economic analysis. We have provided edits and comments in the attached on how the RIA can be amended to be applicable for this rule package.

If a call would be helpful, we are available to discuss by phone later today.

Thank you,
Austin

From: Hodson Marten, Elke L. EOP/OMB <Elke.L.HodsonMarten@omb.eop.gov>
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Subject: Re: Interagency Passback on Wood Heaters Rule

Hi all,

We're planning to send passback later this morning.

Elke

> On May 13, 2020, at 8:42 AM, Topham, Nathan <Topham.Nathan@epa.gov> wrote:
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> Hey Austin,

Just checking in. Any update on the status of wood heaters and when you anticipate it may be cleared by OMB? A lot of people over here have been inquiring.

Thanks,
Nate

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Subject: Interagency Passback on Wood Heaters Rule

Hi Austin,

Attached you'll find a new version that incorporates the following:

1. Per our call yesterday, adds language and a citation linking the impact on retailers to manufacturers based on information in the record.
2. Makes wording edits to clarify the intent of this action (i.e. differentiating this proposal from a "sell-through" that would have added time to the original 5 year period)
3. Removes comment bubbles and accepts edits from prior iterations to clean up the document

Per the discussion between EPA senior management and OMB that took place yesterday, we'll be adding the following to the docket: The 2018 proposal supplemental RIA with a cover note indicating this document shows an illustration of what costs for a "sell-through" action may look like.

Our senior management has asked that OMB please clear the package today.

Thanks,
Nate

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Subject: DOJ/EPA/OMB Call
Importance: High

Dear all,

DOJ wants to have another call with EPA to discuss wood heaters. Would you all be available either 3:00-4:30 pm today or 3:30-4:00 pm tomorrow?

Thank you,
Austin