Archived: Thursday, May 31, 2012 3:40:25 PM From: Bill Blackburn Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 1:41:22 PM To: Mark Bailey; Eric M. Robeson; Bob Berry; Albert Yockey Subject: RE: Potential environmental regulations Response requested: No Importance: Normal

The date works for me

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From: Mark Bailey Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 8:40 AM To: Eric M. Robeson; Bob Berry; Albert Yockey; Bill Blackburn Subject: FW: Potential environmental regulations

FYI/input. I am free all day on the 7<sup>th</sup>. I suspect they will not only want to discuss the regulatory requirements, but also wish to discuss the lobbying effort as well. Al, we may want to include Tom Shaw and John Talbert as well although I am a little uneasy about our having too big a crowd when it appears they may only have 2 individuals. Thanks, Mark

From: Authier, Guy (RTA) [mailto:guy.authier@riotinto.com]
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 7:22 AM
To: Mark Bailey
Cc: Seberger, Donald (RTSS)
Subject: Potential environmental regulations

Hello Mark.

Thank you for your e-mail and your willingness to meet to discuss how our two organizations might work together to respond to the pressures that our businesses will face in light of the new, pending, and potential environmental regulations.

If it meets your schedule, I would like to schedule a meeting with you and your team at a time that coincides with a time when I will already be in Kentucky. Currently, I am scheduled to be in Sebree for a portion of your Labor Day week. I am wondering whether you are able to give us some time on Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> (PM). I have the greatest degree of flexibility in my schedule on that day. If there is another date that works for you, please advise and I will endeavor to accommodate you.

I will be accompanied at the meeting by Don Seberger (who is on our corporate staff in the Chicago Office). You may recall meeting him during the course of the Unwind discussions and negotiations in 2009. Don has been monitoring the environmental regulations and working with the Government Relations team.

We propose at this time to limit the attendees at the meeting to members of our two organizations. Our hope is that we can keep the meeting low-key and informal.

Please let me know your availability.

I look forward to seeing you again.

Best regards.

## **Guy Authier**

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