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Per your request. By way of background, OPPE typically collects all of the OD comments (including OGC) and reports them back to the program. Please note that you need to be working with Gaylon Morris in OPPE on this.

## Sarah

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From: Knowlton, Sarah B. To: Morris, Gaylon D. Cc: Fingerhut, Marilyn

Subject: Comments on report to Congress Date: Friday, September 15, 1995 3:19PM

## Gaylon:

I've done a quick review of the Worker Family Protection report to Congress. I compared the current report to my notes from the Worker Family Protection Task Force meeting and the Task Force's suggestions. Given NIOSH's desire to get this out pronto, I will only address those comments that are of a higher priority. (I had hoped that more of the Task Force's comments would be included, but that's history at this point.)

1. Page 58, last sentence before the bullets: The Task Force raised the issue that this sentence reads as though these are NIOSH recommendations, when in fact they are merely what the Ag Extension offices say. A Task Force member suggested replacing the sentence with something like "The following methods have been identified in the literature to address this issue:"

I will defer to Marilyn on this comment as this is really a matter of NIOSH policy.

2. Page 71 (Chapter 6) 1st paragraph: Delete the following sentences: "This review demonstrates that, with rare exception, both Federal and State laws have not been drafted to protect family members directly from workers' home contamination; if prevention of take-home contamination is a

Change the following sentence to read "Below are summaries of Federal and State laws that are relevant to the issue of workers' home contamination."

Marilyn: I am coordinating comments through Gaylon and thus did not add Bob and Alice on the cc.

Call if you have any questions.

Sarah