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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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THE ADMINISTRATOR

Michael Honeycutt, Ph.D. Chair Science Advisory Board U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20460

Dear Dr. Honeycutt:

Thank you very much for the April 24, 2020, Science Advisory Board report reviewing the scientific and technical basis of the Strengthening Transparency in Regulatory Science 2018 proposed rule and 2020 supplemental notice of proposed rulemaking. The information in the report, along with the public comments, will be considered as the agency develops the final rule.

The agency appreciates the SAB's review of these issues.

Sincerely,

Andrew R. Wheeler

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