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Administrator
US Environmental Protection Agency
P.O. Box 1473
Merrifield, VA 22116
Attention: Chemical Right-to-Know

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Dear Administrator Whitman:

FMC Corporation actively supports the EPA HPV Challenge Program, AR-201, and is pleased to submit the protest test plan and robust summary for the chemical:

☐ Butyllithium -- CAS No. 109-72-8

This submission includes an electronic copy of this cover letter and a report in Microsoft Word 2000 format. IUCLID format was not prepared, due to the fact that very little data exists or can be obtained on butyllithium, a pyrophoric and corrosive substance that reacts violently under most study conditions. I discussed the report format with Richard Hefner of the HPV Chemicals Branch, and he suggested this approach. Please contact me if you have any comments or questions regarding this submission.

Sincerely,

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