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Leah:

I will concur once I am sure the issue of the three Executive Oder citations is resolved.

**1. Section 15.5, revised page 6:** EO 12146, as the text to be added in (b)(5) (revised page 19-20) does speak to a debt between agencies, but the EO does not say agencies should negotiate. What it says is that if agencies can not resolve disputes between themselves, the dispute is to be submitted to the Attorney General.. Please revise the text to read:

**"This section would be amended to include reference to Executive Order 12146, which references interagency resolution of disputes, exclude specifically from coverage .....Code."**

**2. Section 15.5 (b)(5) (revised pages 19-20):** EO 12146.

**"A claim between Federal agencies. Federal agencies should attempt to resolve interagency claims as referenced in Executive Order 12146 (3 CFR, 1980.....)."**

**3. Revised page 45 - EO 12988.** "...(c) Before referring a debt to DOJ for litigaiton, the NRC shall notify each person . . . ."

Robin