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**To:** Michel, Eric  
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Thanks!

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**From:** Michel, Eric  
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**To:** Ottenberg, Geoffrey  
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**Subject:** Coal Tar Application

Geoff,

The attached NACE Recommended Practice addresses the application of coal tar enamel to a pipe in the field. Make sure they're planning on using a coal tar enamel system for the coating -- if so this RP should be applicable. Some things you can stay alert to are the shelf life of the coating material (paragraph 4.2.2), pipe surface prep (section 6), coating application (section 7), and inspection for holidays (paragraph 8.4.3).

If they're using a different external coating, let me know and I'll try to find the applicable standard.

Eric

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