John Hnatio

From: Sent: To: Subject: John Hnatio <jhnatio@thoughtquest.com> Tuesday, November 27, 2012 5:53 PM 'Barthel, Colin A' RE: Introduction F9-B

Colin: Thank you very much for your reply. I really appreciate your answering me. I had absolutely no idea why you were ignoring me. All the best and thanks.

From: Barthel, Colin A [mailto:BarthelC@battelle.org] Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2012 4:58 PM To: John Hnatio Cc: 'Bruce Becker'; Dave Park Subject: RE: Introduction

John,

While I appreciate your interest, I am not able to satisfy your request for information. I am sorry I cannot be more accommodating, but Battelle is not at liberty to discuss our relationship, statement of work, or other contractual or technical information without written authorization and approval from our FDA client. As I understand, you have their contact information should you need to get in touch with the FDA Food Defense Oversight Team. Regarding the meeting at GMA, it is a focus group feedback session for facility owner/operators. The tool is not available for further release until its public availability on the FDA website. Any additional questions on the tool, its development, and availability schedule should be directed to the FDA Food Defense Oversight Team.

Regards,

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From: John Hnatio [mailto:jhnatio@thoughtquest.com] Sent: Tuesday, November 27, 2012 2:39 PM To: Barthel, Colin A Cc: 'Bruce Becker'; Dave Park Subject: FW: Introduction

Colin: I am reaching out to Battelle for the fourth time in ten days. I am calling officially based on Battelle's FDA government contract work involving the safety of the food supply. As a taxpayer and a member of the food industry, I would very much appreciate a return call from you to discuss the upcoming meeting at GMA. My contact information is below and I can always be reached by cell at 301-606-9403. Thank-you. Best, j