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From: Jones, Jim
Sent: Wed 5/4/2016 11:42:33 AM
Subject: Fwd: glyphosate: POLITICO on EPA report

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From: Chris Portier <cportier@me.com>
Date: May 4, 2016 at 7:38:18 AM EDT
To: Jim Jones <Jones.jim@Epa.gov>
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Subject: glyphosate: POLITICO on EPA report

GLYPHOSATE STORM'S A-BREWIN': The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has made a preliminary finding that glyphosate is unlikely to cause cancer in humans — but the agency isn't ready to go public yet. The EPA briefly posted online an October 2015 final report from its Cancer Assessment Review Committee, which concluded glyphosate is "not likely to be carcinogenic to humans." It then pulled it from its website. The committee said evidence from existing epidemiological studies and tests of lab animals doesn't meet the bar for classifying the herbicide as a carcinogen. An agency spokesperson told POLITICO the report was removed because assessment was ongoing. "Our assessment will be peer reviewed and completed by end of 2016," said the spokesperson.