

# Conversation Contents

consultation on our 316b rule

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**From:** "Gilinsky, Ellen" <Gilinsky.Ellen@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Fri May 31 2013 11:35:25 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
**To:** "Gary\_Frazer@fws.gov" <Gary\_Frazer@fws.gov>  
**Subject:** consultation on our 316b rule

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**From:** "Frazer, Gary" <gary\_frazer@fws.gov>  
**Sent:** Fri May 31 2013 12:12:16 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
**To:** Rick Sayers <Rick\_Sayers@fws.gov>  
**Subject:** Fwd: consultation on our 316b rule

Rick, give me a call once you've digested. Paul, I'll conference you in. -- gDF

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**To:** Michael BEAN <michael\_bean@ios.doi.gov>  
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FYI. I'm going to call Nancy Stoner tomorrow (she's furloughed today and cannot talk business). Will follow up with you and Paul and Rick after that discussion. -- gDF

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**Sent:** Sat Jun 01 2013 05:48:17 GMT-0600 (MDT)  
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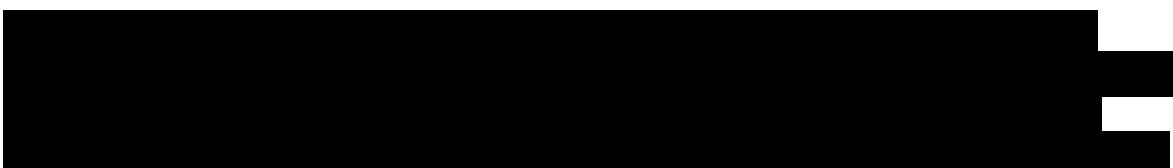
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