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On Wednesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, I spoke with DOE Assistant General Counsel Dan Cohen by telephone. This conversation concerned what process DOE might use for completing the new test method for residential refrigerators in light of concerns raised by the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers.

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