

March 5, 2014

Ms. Sara Eyckmans International Coordinator Western Sahara Resource Watch Coordinator@wsrw.org

Dear Ms. Eyckmans,

Thank you for your letter of October 17, 2013 in reply to my letter at the end of August and your continued interest in Agrium. I apologize for the delay in getting back to you.

Unfortunately, we are unable to provide you the further clarifications that you are requesting in your first point due to the confidentiality provisions of our agreement with OCP in that we cannot discuss specific shipments or volumes. It should be noted that this is not an unusual provision or requirement of any significant commercial supply arrangement. With regards to points two, three and four raised in your letter, we are guided by the Canadian and US governments positions on the Western Sahara which are publicly available on the Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development Canada's and the US Department of State's websites respectively along with numerous statements on the public record. Our legal evaluations are consistent with these positions, and of course are confidential legal advice to us. Agrium's agreement with OCP complies with the respective trade and customs laws of these jurisdictions.

As a corporate citizen, Agrium's influence is limited to the sites that are under commercial agreements to provide products or services. This would include ensuring, through our due diligence and ongoing evaluation efforts, that the sites from which we source rock operate in a responsible manner and in compliance with our corporate responsibility practices. Through our due diligence, we sought and received a variety of information from OCP on their business, including key performance indicators on their environmental performance, community investment, labour profile, etc. We have encouraged OCP to make public some of this information which they have since done. We continue to encourage them to do go even further and also keep their information up to date.

If you are looking for information on OCP's operations within the Western Sahara you can refer to their website at http://www.ocpgroup.ma/en/group/global-presence/subsidiaries/phosboucraa or contact them directly.

If you have comments or concerns with the positions of the Canadian and US governments, I would recommend discussing it with them directly.

Thank you again for your continued interest in Agrium's business.

Sincerely,

Richard Downey, Vice President, Investor/Corporate Relations and Market Research