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**F) ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT**

The Petitioner claims that the petition and claim are categorically excluded from having to prepare an environmental assessment (EA) or environmental impact statement (EIS) under 21 CFR §25.32(p), categorical exclusions from EA's or EIS's in foods, food additives, and color ingredients for issuance of a health claim petition. To the best of the Petitioner's knowledge, the subject petition and substance are in compliance with and regulated by the provisions of 21 CFR §25.32(p) and no extraordinary circumstances exist that would require a submission of an EA.