

representatives of the general public, and officials of State and local governments, review the monitoring requirements for not fewer than twelve contaminants identified by the Administrator, and promulgate any necessary modifications." The regulatory changes suggested in the ANPRM covered 64 chronic contaminants including inorganic chemicals (IOCs), synthetic organic chemicals (SOCs) and volatile organic chemicals (VOCs).

The monitoring changes suggested in the ANPRM were developed, in part, considering the occurrence data that were available at that time. Recognizing that this data was limited, we solicited additional data that could be used in developing the proposed rule. In response to this solicitation and as part of additional information gathering, EPA received a tremendous amount of new occurrence data. The Agency has completed a preliminary assessment of some of the data and intends to present these findings to stakeholders in order to gather opinions from interested stakeholders on whether EPA should proceed with its suggested revisions as presented in the ANPRM, or consider other approaches and modifications. We will consider the comments and views expressed in developing the proposed regulation, and encourage the full participation of all stakeholders throughout this process.

**DATES:** The stakeholder meeting regarding Chemical Monitoring Reform and Permanent Monitoring Relief will be held on:

1. April 16, 1998, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. EST in Washington, DC.

**ADDRESSES:** To register for the meeting, please contact the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791, or Ed Thomas of EPA's Office of Ground Water and Drinking Water at (202) 260-0910. Interested parties who cannot

attend the meeting in person may participate via conference call and should register with the Safe Drinking Water Hotline. Conference lines will be allocated on the basis of first-served, first served.

The stakeholder meeting will be held at the following location:

1. Washington Information Center, 401 M Street, S.W., Room 17, Washington, DC 20460.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For general information on meeting logistics, please contact the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791. For information on the activities related to this rulemaking, contact: Ed Thomas, U.S. EPA at (202) 260-0910 or E-mail to thomas.edwin@epamail.epa.gov.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-34120; FRL 5775-5]

### Notice of Receipt of Requests for Amendments to Delete Uses in Certain Pesticide Registrations

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 6(f)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, EPA is issuing a notice of receipt of request for amendment by registrants to delete uses in certain pesticide registrations.

**DATES:** Unless a request is withdrawn, the Agency will approve these use

deletions and the deletions will become effective on September 14, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** By mail: James A. Hollins, Office of Pesticide Programs (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location for commercial courier, delivery, telephone number and e-mail: Rm. 216, CM#2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA, (703) 305-5761; e-mail: hollins.james@epamail.epa.gov.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. Introduction

Section 6(f)(1) of FIFRA, provides that a registrant of a pesticide product may at any time request that any of its pesticide registrations be amended to delete one or more uses. The Act further provides that, before acting on the request, EPA must publish a notice of receipt of any such request in the **Federal Register**. Thereafter, the Administrator may approve such a request.

### II. Intent to Delete Uses

This notice announces receipt by the Agency of applications from registrants to delete uses in the 22 pesticide registrations listed in the following Table 1. These registrations are listed by registration number, product names, active ingredients and the specific uses deleted. Users of these products who desire continued use on crops or sites being deleted should contact the applicable registrant before September 14, 1998 to discuss withdrawal of the applications for amendment. This 180-day period will also permit interested members of the public to intercede with registrants prior to the Agency approval of the deletion. (Note: Registration number(s) preceded by \*\* indicate a 30-day comment period).

TABLE 1—REGISTRATIONS WITH REQUESTS FOR AMENDMENTS TO DELETE USES IN CERTAIN PESTICIDE REGISTRATIONS

EPA Reg No.	Product Name	Active Ingredient	Delete From Label
000100-00597	Dual 8E Herbicide	Metolachlor	Use on stone fruits, tree use on stone fruits, tree nuts, grapes (nonbearing) and citrus
000100-00673	Dual Herbicide	Metolachlor	Use on stone fruits, tree nuts, grapes (nonbearing) and citrus
000100-00710	Bicep II Herbicide	Atrazine; Metolachlor	Roadside uses
000264-00518	Weedone Lo Vol 6	Acetic acid, (2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-2-ethylhexyl ester	Sugarcane & drainage ditchbank uses
**000352-00361	Du Pont Methomyl Composition	Methomyl	Greenhouse food crop uses
**000352-00366	Du Pont Methomyl Technical	Methomyl	Greenhouse food crop uses
000432-00541	Bioallethrin	<i>d-trans</i> -Allethrin	All feed/food uses
000432-00587	Crossfire Technical	<i>d-trans</i> -Allethrin	All feed/food uses

TABLE 1—REGISTRATIONS WITH REQUESTS FOR AMENDMENTS TO DELETE USES IN CERTAIN PESTICIDE REGISTRATIONS—Continued

EPA Reg No.	Product Name	Active Ingredient	Delete From Label
000432-00750	Bioallethrin Technical	<i>d-trans</i> -Allethrin	All feed/food uses
000432-00751	Esbiol	<i>s</i> -Bioallethrin	All feed/food uses
000432-00752	Esbiothrin Technical	<i>d-trans</i> -Allethrin	All feed/food uses
000655-00788	Prentox Carbaryl 5D	Carbaryl	Uses for ticks & fleas on dogs and cats
000655-00789	Prentox Carbaryl 10D	Carbaryl	Uses for ticks & fleas on dogs and cats
**000862-00011	Sunspray 6E	Petroleum Oil	Herbaceous flowers & foliage plants
005905-00505	Weed Rhap LV-4D	Acetic acid, (2,4-dichlorophenoxy)-, 2-ethylhexyl ester	Sugarcane, drainage ditchbanks, aquatic non-food uses
**011678-00005	Thionex Endosulfan Technical	Endosulfan	Alfalfa (grown for forage), artichokes, field corn, watercress, peas (seed crop only), soybeans, sugarbeets, safflower, sunflower
**011678-00025	Thionex Endosulfan 35 EC	Endosulfan	Alfalfa (grown for forage), artichokes, field cord, watercress, peas (seed crop only), soybeans, sugarbeets, safflower, sunflower
**019713-00099	Drexel Endosulfan 2EC	Endosulfan	Artichokes, field corn, watercress, barley, oats, rye, wheat, peas (seed crop only), soybeans, bean (canery residue), sugarbeets, safflower, sunflower, alfalfa (grown for forage)
**019713-00319	Velsicol Endosulfan Technical	Endosulfan	Artichokes, field corn, watercress, barley, oats, rye, wheat, peas (seed crop only), soybeans, bean (canery residue), sugarbeets, safflower, sunflower, alfalfa (grown for forage)
048273-00003	Ametryne 80W	Ametryn	Citrus, potato use
**062719-00088	Dursban ME20 Microen-capsulated Insecticide	Chlorpyrifos	Termiticide uses
**066222-00002	Thionex Endosulfan 50 WP Insecticide	Endosulfan	Alfalfa (grown for forage), artichokes, field corn, watercress, peas (seed crop only),

(Note: Registration number (s) preceded by \*\* indicate a 30-day comment period)

The following Table 2, includes the names and addresses of record for all registrants of the products in Table 1, in sequence by EPA company number.

TABLE 2—REGISTRANTS REQUESTING AMENDMENTS TO DELETE USES IN CERTAIN PESTICIDE REGISTRATIONS

Company No.	Company Name and Address
000100	Novartis Crop Protection, Inc., P.O. Box 18300, Greensboro, NC 27419.
000264	Rhone-Poulenc Ag Co., P.O. Box 12014, 2 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709.
000352	DuPont Ag Products, Registration & Regulatory Affairs, Walker's Mill, Barley Mill Plaza, Wilmington, DE 19880.
000432	AgrEvo Environmental Health, 95 Chestnut Ridge Road, Montvale, NJ 07645.
000655	Prentiss Incorporated, C.B. 2000, Floral Park, NY 11002.
000862	Sun Company, P.O. Box 1135, Marcus Hook, PA 19061.
005905	Helena Chemical Co., 6075 Poplar Ave., Suite 500, Memphis, TN 38119.
011678	Makhteshim - Agan of North America, 551 Fifth Ave., Suite 1100, New York, NY 10176.
019713	Drexel Chemical Co., P.O. Box 13327, Memphis, TN 38113.
048273	RegWest Co., P.O. Box 2220, Greeley, CO 80632.
062719	DowElanco, 9330 Zionsville Road, Indianapolis, IN 46268.
066222	Makhteshim - Agan of North America, 551 Fifth Ave., Suite 1100, New York, NY 10176.

### III. Existing Stocks Provisions

The Agency has authorized registrants to sell or distribute product under the previously approved labeling for a period of 18 months after approval of

the revision, unless other restrictions have been imposed, as in special review actions.

### List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests, Product registrations

Dated: March 4, 1998.

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
AGENCY**

[OPP-34123; FRL 5779-8]

**Notice of Receipt of Requests for  
Amendments to Delete Uses in Certain  
Pesticide Registrations**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection  
Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 6(f)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, EPA is issuing a notice of receipt of request for amendment by registrants to delete uses in certain pesticide registrations.

**DATES:** Unless a request is withdrawn, the Agency will approve these use deletions and the deletions will become effective on March 19, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** By mail: Margery M. Exton, Office of

Pesticide Programs (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location for commercial courier, delivery, telephone number and e-mail: Rm. 216, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA, (703) 308-9399; e-mail:

exton.margery@epamail.epa.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Introduction**

Section 6(f)(1) of FIFRA provides that a registrant of a pesticide product may at any time request that any of its pesticide registrations be amended to delete one or more uses. The Act further provides that, before acting on the request, EPA must publish a notice of receipt of any such request in the **Federal Register**. Thereafter, the Administrator may approve such a request.

**II. Intent to Delete Uses**

This notice announces receipt by the Agency of applications from registrants to delete uses in six technical grade chlorpyrifos pesticide registrations listed in the following Table 1. These registrations are listed by registration number, product names, active ingredients and the specific uses deleted. Although the food use sites

being deleted have been registered sites for chlorpyrifos products, tolerances have not been established for these commodities under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA).

Therefore, under FIFRA section 2(bb), these uses represent an unreasonable adverse effect on the environment, as they would result in human dietary risk from residues resulting from use of a pesticide in or on food inconsistent with the standard under section 408 of FFDCA. As such, the Agency is hereby waiving the 180-day comment period normally given for the deletion of a minor use, in accordance with FIFRA section 6(f)(1)(c). The Agency has determined that, while these actions require publication for the purpose of announcement, a comment period is not warranted.

The remaining use deletions (non-food sites) announced in this Notice will retain a 30-day comment period. Users of these products who desire continued use on sites being deleted should contact the applicable registrant before April 17, 1998 to discuss withdrawal of the applications for amendment. This 30-day period will also permit interested members of the public to intercede with registrants prior to the Agency approval of the deletion.

TABLE 1. — REGISTRATIONS WITH REQUESTS FOR AMENDMENTS TO DELETE USES IN CERTAIN PESTICIDE REGISTRATIONS

EPA Reg No.	Product Name	Active Ingredient	Delete From Label
062719-00015	Dursban® F Insecticidal Chemical	Chlorpyrifos	Use on popcorn and carrot (including seed)
062719-00044	Dursban® R Insecticidal Chemical	Chlorpyrifos	Use on popcorn and carrot (including seed)
011678-00045	Pyrinex Chlorpyrifos Insecticide	Chlorpyrifos	Use on popcorn and carrot (including seed)
011678-00054	Pyrinex Chlorpyrifos Insecticide	Chlorpyrifos	Use on popcorn; PEST CONTROL INDOORS (Indoor): Indoor broadcast use; total release foggers for indoor residential and non-residential (except greenhouse) use; coating products intended for large surface areas such as floors, walls, and ceilings inside residential dwellings, offices, schools, or health care institutions including, but not limited to, houses, apartments, nursing homes and patient rooms in hospitals. PETS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS (Indoor): Animals dips, sprays, shampoos, dusts; AQUATIC USES (AQUATIC FOOD CROP) (AQUATIC, NON-FOOD): Any aquatic use, including mosquito larvicide; PEST CONTROL INDOORS OR OUTDOORS (DOMESTIC INDOOR OR OUTDOOR): Paint additives.
070907-00001	Gharda Chlorpyrifos Technical	Chlorpyrifos	Use on popcorn and as a paint additive.
004787-00027	Chlorpyrifos Technical	Chlorpyrifos	Use on popcorn

The following Table 2 includes the names and addresses of record for all

registrants of the products in Table 1, in sequence by EPA company number.