

FIFRA. These registrations constitute all registrations held by Bayer Crop Science containing fipronil for use on rice or rice seed. In a letter dated April 20, 2004, Bayer CropScience requested voluntary cancellation of these product registrations. Notice of receipt of this request was published in the **Federal Register** on May 7, 2004 (69 FR 25577) (FRL-7358-1). One comment, submitted by the USA Rice Federation, requested an extension of the public notice period to July 1, 2004, so that they could continue discussions with Bayer CropScience to withdraw the request for voluntary cancellation. As the Icon registrations were time limited, with an expiration date of July 1, 2004, the Agency determined that an extension to the expiration date of July 1, 2004 would make the extension meaningless. In a notice published in the **Federal Register** on June 9, 2004 (69 FR 32345) (FRL-7363-7), the Agency agreed to extend the comment period to June 21, 2004 so that any comments could be considered before the expiration date.

After considering the comments received, EPA has decided to accept the voluntary cancellation requests. Accordingly, the Agency is issuing an Order canceling the three registrations identified in Table 1. This cancellation order is effective July 1, 2004. Any distribution, sale or use of the products subject to this cancellation order is only permitted in accordance with the terms of the existing stocks provision of this cancellation order. These registrations are listed in sequence by registration number in Table 1 of this unit:

TABLE 1.—APPROVED REGISTRATION CANCELLATIONS

| Reg-<br>istration<br>No. | Product name | Chemical name |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| 264–<br>576              | Icon 80WG    | fipronil      |
| 264–<br>577              | Icon 6.2FS   | fipronil      |
| 264–<br>580              | Icon 6.2SC   | fipronil      |

Table 2 of this unit includes the names and addresses of record for all registrants of the products in Table 1 of this unit, in sequence by EPA company number:

TABLE 2.—REGISTRANTS REQUESTING VOLUNTARY CANCELLATION

| EPA Com-<br>pany No. | Company name and address                                                    |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 264                  | Bayer CropScience, 2 T.W. Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 |

### III. Cancellation Order

Pursuant to Section 6(f) of FIFRA, EPA hereby approves the requested cancellations of the fipronil product registrations identified in Table 1 of this order. Accordingly, the Agency orders that the fipronil product registrations identified in Table 1 are hereby canceled as of July 1, 2004.

### IV. What is the Agency's Authority for Taking this Action?

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 canceled. FIFRA 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.

### V. What Comments Did the Agency Receive?

In response to the **Federal Register** Notice of June 9, 2004 (69 FR 32345), Bayer CropScience submitted a comment that they had sent a letter to the USA Rice Federation informing them that Bayer CropScience was not interested in selling or licensing Icon, and that the Agency should continue with cancellation of the Icon registrations. In addition, the USA Rice Federation submitted a comment dated June 21, 2004 stating that they had received a final negative response from Bayer CropScience. No other timely substantive comments were received.

### VI. Provisions for Disposition of Existing Stocks

The registrant is permitted to sell or distribute existing stocks for 1 year after the date the cancellation request was received, until April 21, 2005. This policy is in accordance with the Agency's statement of policy as prescribed in the **Federal Register** of June 26, 1991 (56 FR 29362) (FRL-3846-4). Existing stocks are those stocks of registered pesticide products which are currently in the United States and which have been packaged, labeled, and released for shipment prior to the effective date of the cancellation order, July 1, 2004. Existing stocks already in the hands of dealers or users can be

distributed, sold, or used legally until they are exhausted, provided that such further sale and use comply with the EPA-approved label and labeling of the affected product.

### List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests.

Dated: June 25, 2004.

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-7781-1]

### Neurotoxicity of Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene): Workshop Report

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

**ACTION:** Notice of availability.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the availability of a final report titled, *Summary Report of the Peer Review Workshop on the Neurotoxicity of Tetrachloroethylene (Perchloroethylene) Discussion Paper* (EPA/600/R-04/041), which is being published by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's, National Center for Environmental Assessment (NCEA) within the Office of Research and Development (ORD).

**ADDRESSES:** The document will be made available electronically through the NCEA Web site ([www.epa.gov/ncea](http://www.epa.gov/ncea)).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The Technical Information Staff, National Center for Environmental Assessment (8623D), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20460. Telephone: (202) 564-3261; fax: (202) 565-0050.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** EPA is developing a human health effects toxicological review document on tetrachloroethylene. As part of the document development process, EPA brought together recognized scientific experts to engage in a public discussion on the neurological effects of inhalation of tetrachloroethylene, as well as a review of studies that focus on these effects. The workshop was held February 25, 2004, and was organized and convened by Versar, Inc. under contract to EPA. Expert information gathered at the workshop will help in EPA's development of the draft assessment of tetrachloroethylene health effects.

The *Summary Report of the Peer Review Workshop on the Neurotoxicity of Tetrachloroethylene* (*Perchloroethylene*) Discussion Paper, prepared by Versar, Inc., summarizes the discussions at the February 25, 2004, workshop. The expert consultants based their discussion on an October 2003 External Review Draft EPA paper entitled, *Neurotoxicity of Tetrachloroethylene* (*Perchloroethylene*) Discussion Paper (EPA/600/P-03/005A), which was provided both to the expert consultants and to the public prior to the workshop meeting. At the workshop, the external experts provided EPA with their individual opinions on science issues related to the neurotoxicological effects of tetrachloroethylene.

Dated: June 25, 2004.

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Director, National Center for Environmental Assessment.

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Public Information Collection(s) Requirement Submitted to OMB for Emergency Review and Approval

June 21, 2004.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Communications Commission, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Written comments should be submitted on or before August 2, 2004. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contacts listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all comments to Kristy L. LaLonde, Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Room 10236 NEOB, Washington, DC 20503, (202) 395-3087 or via the Internet at [Kristy\\_L\\_LaLonde@omb.eop.gov](mailto:Kristy_L_LaLonde@omb.eop.gov), and Les Smith, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1-A804, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554 or via Internet to [Leslie.Smith@fcc.gov](mailto:Leslie.Smith@fcc.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Les Smith at (202) 418-0217 or via Internet at [Leslie.Smith@fcc.gov](mailto:Leslie.Smith@fcc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Commission has requested approval of these two information collections under the emergency processing provisions of the PRA by July 16, 2004.

*OMB Control Number:* 3060-0095.

*Title:* Multi-Channel Video

Programming Distributors Annual Employment Report, FCC Form 395-A.

*Type of Review:* Revision of currently approved collection.

*Form Number:* FCC 395-A.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit entities.

*Number of Respondents:* 2,500.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 53 minutes (0.88 hours).

*Frequency of Response:*

Recordkeeping; Annual reporting requirement.

*Total Annual Burden:* 2,200 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* None.

*Privacy Impact Assessment:* No impact(s).

*Needs and Uses:* FCC Form 395-A, "The Multi-Channel Video Programming Distributor Annual Employment Report," is a data collection device used to assess industry employment trends and provide reports to Congress. The report identifies employees by gender and race/ethnicity in fifteen job categories. FCC Form 395-A contains a grid which collects data on full and part-time employees and requests a list of employees by job title, indicating the job category and full or part-time status of the position. Every cable entity with 6 or more full-time employees and all Satellite Master Antenna Television Systems (SMATV) serving 50 or more subscribers and having 6 or more full-time employees must complete Form 395-A in its entirety and file it by September 30 each

year. However, cable entities with 5 or fewer full-time employees are not required to file but if they do, they need to complete and file only Sections I, II and VIII of the FCC Form 395-A, and thereafter need not file again unless their employment increases. In addition, cable entities with 6 or more full-time employees will file a Supplemental Investigation Sheet once every 5 years.

On June 4, 2004, the FCC released the Third Report and Order and Fourth Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (3rd R&O), *In the Matter of Review of the Commission's Broadcast and Cable Equal Employment Opportunity Rules and Policies*, MM Docket No. 98-204, FCC 04-103, in which it considers issues relating to the Annual Employment Report forms, including FCC Form 395-A, "The Multi-Channel Video Programming Distributor Annual Employment Report." In the 3rd R&O, the Commission is adopting revised rules for MVPDs to file FCC Form 395-A, which cable and other MVPDs will use to file annual employment reports. The intent of this 3rd R&O is to update rules for MVPDs to file Form 395-A consistent with new rules adopted in the 2nd R&O. The intent of the Fourth Notice of Proposed Rulemaking is to provide time for cable and other MVPDs and the public to address the issue of whether the Commission should keep these forms confidential after they are filed. With the effective date of the rule revisions adopted in the 3rd R&O, MVPDs and broadcasters must start keeping records of their employees so they can prepare their annual employment reports due to be filed on September 30, 2004.

*OMB Control Number:* 3060-0390.

*Title:* Broadcast Station Annual Employment Report, FCC Form 395-B.

*Form Number:* FCC Form 395-B.

*Type of Review:* Extension of currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit entities; Not-for-profit institutions.

*Number of Respondents:* 14,000.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 0.88 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* Annual reporting requirement.

*Total annual burden:* 12,320 hours.

*Total Annual Costs:* None.

*Privacy Impact Assessment:* No impact(s).

*Needs and Uses:* FCC Form 395-B, "The Broadcast Station Annual Employment Report," is used to assess industry employment trends and provide reports to Congress. Licensees with five or more full-time employees are required to file Form 395-B on or before September 30th of each year. The