

E. What Should I Consider as I Prepare My Comments for EPA?

You may find the following suggestions helpful for preparing your comments:

1. Explain your views as clearly as possible.
2. Describe any assumptions that you used.
3. Provide copies of any technical information and/or data you used that support your views.
4. If you estimate potential burden or costs, explain how you arrived at the estimate that you provide.
5. Provide specific examples to illustrate your concerns.
6. Offer alternative ways to improve the registration activity.
7. Make sure to submit your comments by the deadline in this notice.
8. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, be sure to identify the docket control number assigned to this action in the subject line on the first page of your response. You may also provide the name, date, and **Federal Register** citation.

II. Registration Applications

EPA received applications as follows to register pesticide products containing active ingredients not included in any previously registered products pursuant to the provisions of section 3(c)(4) of FIFRA. Notice of receipt of these applications does not imply a decision by the Agency on the applications.

Products Containing Active Ingredients Not Included in Any Previously Registered Products

1. File Symbol: 72757-R. Applicant: Ironwood Clay Company, Inc., c/o Plant Sciences Inc., 342 Green Valley Road, Watsonville, CA 95076-1305. Product Name: MinerALL. New Active Ingredient: Oceanic Clay. The proposed product is a new active ingredient that has not been previously registered. Proposed classification: None. To use as a crop-protectant and growth stimulator on vegetables, fruits, nuts, and ornamentals.

2. File Symbol: 69295-R. Applicant: Milwaukee Metro Sewage District, 260 W. Seeboth St., Milwaukee, WI 53204. Product Name: Milorganite Plus. Type of product: Biochemical. Active ingredient: Heat-dried activated sewage sludge at 100%. Proposed classification/Use: Deer repellent.

3. File Symbol: 72992-R. Applicant: Pokon and Chrystal B.V., Gooimeer 7, 1411 DD NAARDEN, The Netherlands (U.S. Agent James Kaplan, Pokon and Chrystal, 3063 NW, 21st St., Miami, FL

33172. Product Name: Chrystal AVB. Type of product: Biochemical pesticide. Active ingredient: Silver nitrate at 2.83%. Proposed classification/Use: Conditioner for ethylene sensitive cut flowers.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pest.

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Kathleen Knox,

Acting Director, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-30460B; FRL-6740-4]

Pesticide Product; Registration Approval

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces Agency approval of applications to register the pesticide products Clodinafop-propargyl Technical and Discover™ Herbicide containing an active ingredient not included in any previously registered product pursuant to the provisions of section 3(c)(5) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Joanne I. Miller, Registration Division (7505C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: 703-305-6224; and e-mail address: miller.joanne@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

You may be affected by this action if you are an agricultural producer, food manufacturer, or pesticide manufacturer. Potentially affected categories and entities may include, but are not limited to:

Cat-egories	NAICS	Examples of Potentially Affected Entities
Industry	111 112 311	Crop production Animal production Food manufac-turing

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	32532	Pesticide manu-facturing

This listing is not intended to be exhaustive, but rather provides a guide for readers regarding entities likely to be affected by this action. Other types of entities not listed in the table could also be affected. The North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) codes have been provided to assist you and others in determining whether or not this action might apply to certain entities. If you have questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.

B. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

1. *Electronically.* You may obtain electronic copies of this document, and certain other related documents that might be available electronically, from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. To access this document, on the Home Page select "Laws and Regulations," "Regulations and Proposed Rules," and then look up the entry for this document under the "**Federal Register**—Environmental Documents." You can also go directly to the **Federal Register** listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

To access a fact sheet which provides more detail on this registration, go to the Home Page for the Office of Pesticide Programs at <http://www.epa.gov/pesticides/>, and select "fact sheet."

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPP-30460B. The official record consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any public comments received during an applicable comment period, and other information related to this action, including any information claimed as confidential business information (CBI). This official record includes the documents that are physically located in the docket, as well as the documents that are referenced in those documents. The public version of the official record does not include any information claimed as CBI. The public version of the official record, which includes printed, paper versions of any electronic comments submitted during an applicable comment period, is

available for inspection in the Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

In accordance with section 3(c)(2) of FIFRA, a copy of the approved label, the list of data references, the data and other scientific information used to support registration, except for material specifically protected by section 10 of FIFRA, are also available for public inspection. Requests for data must be made in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act and must be addressed to the Freedom of Information Office (A-101), 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460. The request should: Identify the product name and registration number and specify the data or information desired.

A paper copy of the fact sheet, which provides more detail on this registration, may be obtained from the National Technical Information Service (NTIS), 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

II. Did EPA Approve the Applications?

The Agency approved the applications after considering all required data on risks associated with the proposed use of clodinafop-propargyl, and information on social, economic, and environmental benefits to be derived from use. Specifically, the Agency has considered the nature of the chemical and its pattern of use, application methods and rates, and level and extent of potential exposure. Based on these reviews, the Agency was able to make basic health and safety determinations which show that use of clodinafop-propargyl when used in accordance with widespread and commonly recognized practice, will not generally cause unreasonable adverse effects to the environment.

III. Approved Applications

EPA issued a notice published in the **Federal Register** of September 25, 1998 (63 FR 51351) (FRL-6031-6) which announced that Novartis Crop Protection, Inc., P.O. Box 18300, Greensboro, NC 27419 had submitted an application to register the pesticide products: (1) Clodinafop-propargyl Technical, EPA file symbol 100-ONO for formulation only into herbicides for weed control in certain crops and (2) Clodinafop-2E Herbicide, EPA File Symbol 100-ONT for use in wheat to control wild oats, green and yellow

foxtail, and Persian darnel. These products were not previously registered.

The applications submitted by Novartis Crop Protection, Inc., were approved on June 6, 2000, for the products listed below:

1. EPA Registration Number: 100-907. Product name: Discover™ Herbicide. Active ingredient: Clodinafop-propargyl: propanoic acid, 2-[4-[(5-chloro-3-fluoro-2-pyridinyl)oxy]phenoxy]-2-propynyl ester, (2R)- at 22.3%. For use on spring wheat to control grass weeds.

2. EPA Registration Number: 100-909. Product name: Clodinafop-propargyl Technical. Active ingredient: Clodinafop-propargyl: propanoic acid, 2-[4-[(5-chloro-3-fluoro-2-pyridinyl)oxy]phenoxy]-2-propynyl ester, (2R)- at 97.5%. For formulation of herbicides for use on spring wheat.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests.

Dated: August 30, 2000.

James Jones

Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-6867-5]

Notice of First Amendment to Administrative Settlement Agreement Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as Amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; request for public comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 122(i) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), notice is hereby given of a proposed administrative cost recovery settlement agreement concerning the Old City of York Landfill Superfund Site, Springfield Township, York County, Pennsylvania (Proposed Settlement). The Proposed Settlement with the City of York, Pennsylvania (Settling Party) has been approved by the Attorney General, or her designee, of the United States Department of Justice. The Proposed Settlement was signed by

the Regional Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region III, on June 19, 2000, pursuant to section 122(h) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622, and is subject to review by the public pursuant to this notice.

The Proposed Settlement resolves EPA's claim for past response costs under Section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607, against the Settling Party and requires the Settling Party to make a payment of EPA's past response costs totaling \$105,000.00 in exchange for a limited covenant for past response costs.

For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this notice, EPA will receive written comments relating to the Proposed Settlement. EPA will consider all comments received and may withdraw or withhold consent to the Proposed Settlement if such comments disclose facts or considerations which indicate the Proposed Settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. EPA's response to any written comments received will be available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before October 11, 2000.

Availability: The proposed settlement agreement is available for public inspection at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region III, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103. A copy of the proposed settlement agreement may be obtained from, Regional Docket Clerk (3RC00), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103; telephone number (215) 814-2489. Comments should reference the "Old City of York Landfill Superfund Site" and "EPA Docket No. III-92-37-DC" and should be forwarded to Suzanne Canning at the above address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ami Y. Antoine (3RC43), Sr. Assistant Regional Counsel, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103, Phone: (215) 814-2497.

Dated: August 24, 2000.

Bradley M. Campbell,

Regional Administrator, Region III.

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