

In light of this limitation, I do not view the Commission's action today as effectively eliminating, without prior notice, the ability of pipelines to apply for optional certificates.

(As a final matter, I add that the optional certificates used to be commonly known as optional "expedited" certificates. Presumably, the promised speed of Commission action on applications for optional certificates—at least in comparison to the slower pace of Commission action on traditional applications—once provided much of the motivation to pipeline certificate applicants, filing under optional procedures, that were confident that there was a market for additional capacity. Alas, as the Commission explains in its proposed rulemaking in a related docket, optional certificates today provide none of the expedition contemplated at the time of promulgation of optional certificate regulations in 1985. This is because "[e]nvironmental review is the driving force in total processing time, and environmental review requirements are the same under either program." Hopefully, there will not be a delay in the future.)

Therefore, I respectfully concur.

Curt L. Hebert, Jr.,

Commissioner.

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Science Advisory Board; Meeting Cancellation Notice

Meeting Cancellation—Executive Committee Subcommittee on Peer Review of the Integrated Risk Project—February 15, 2000

The meeting of the Subcommittee on Peer Review of the Integrated Risk Project of the Executive Committee of the Science Advisory Board (SAB) that was scheduled for February 15, 2000 between the hours of 3:00 and 5:00 EST has been *canceled*. The meeting was advertised in 65 FR 3681, dated January 24, 2000. The meeting will be rescheduled at a later time. For further

information, please contact Mr. Tom O. Miller, Designated Federal Officer for the Integrated Risk Project: Tele: 202-564-4558. Email: miller.tom@epa.gov.

Dated: February 10, 2000.

Donald G. Barnes,

Staff Director, Science Advisory Board.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-64045; FRL 6488-8]

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 August 14, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: James A. Hollins, Office of Pesticide Programs (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Building, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20460. Office location for commercial courier delivery, telephone number and e-mail addresses: Rm. 224, Crystal Mall No. 2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy, Arlington, VA 22202, (703) 305-5761; e-mail: hollins.james@epa.gov

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does This Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. Although this action may be of particular interest to persons who produce or use pesticides, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the information in this notice,

consult the person listed under **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" and then look up the entry for this document under the "**Federal Register**—Environmental Documents." You can also go directly to the **Federal Register** listing at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPP-64045. 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 this official record, which includes printed, paper versions of any electronic comments submitted during as 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 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

II. What Action is the Agency Taking?

This notice announces receipt by the Agency of applications from registrants to delete uses in six pesticide registrations. These registrations are listed in the following Table 1 by registration number, product name, active ingredient and specific uses deleted.

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

| EPA Reg. No. | Product Name | Active Ingredient | Delete From Label |
|--------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---|
| 002792-00028 | Deccosol 122 Concentrate | Sodium o-phenylphenate | Sweet potatoes, apples, cantaloupes |
| 003125-00319 | Bayleton Technical | Triadimefon | Use on wheat, sugar beet, cucurbit and grasses grown for seed |