1,2 ethanediol does not contain as an integral part of its composition, except as impurities, any elements other than those listed in 40 CFR 723.250(d)(2)(ii).

d.1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol is not designed nor reasonably anticipated to substantially depolymerize, degrade, or decompose.

e. 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol is manufactured from monomers that are listed in the Toxic Substance Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substance Inventory or manufactured under an applicable TSCA section 5 exemption.

f. 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol is not a water-absorbing polymer.

g. 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol does not contain any reactive functional groups.

h. The minimum number-average molecular weight of 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol is 2,580 Daltons. Substances with molecular weights greater than 400 Daltons are generally not absorbed through the intact skin, and substances with molecular weights greater than 1,000 generally are not absorbed through the intact gastrointestinal (GI) tract. Chemicals not absorbed through the skin or GI tract are incapable of eliciting a toxic response via these routes of exposure.

i. 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol has a number average molecular weight of approximately 2,580 Daltons and contains less than 4.3% oligomeric material below molecular weight of 500 Daltons and less than 7.0% oligomeric material below 1,000 molecular weight.

C. Aggregate Exposure

1. *Dietary exposure*. The physical-chemical characteristics of 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol lead to the conclusion that there is a reasonable certainty of no harm from exposure to the polymer from food or drinking water nor from an aggregate exposure.

2. *Non-dietary exposure*. The physical-chemical characteristics of 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol lead to the conclusion that there is a reasonable certainty of no harm from exposure to the polymer from non-dietary means.

D. Cumulative Effects

At this time there is no information to indicate that any toxic effects produced by 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol would be cumulative with those of any other chemical. Given the compound's categorization as a low risk polymer, and its proposed use in pesticide formulations, there is no expectation of increased risk due to cumulative exposure.

E. Safety Determination

1. *U.S. population*. Based on the polymer's physical-chemical properties, and that it meets or exceeds the polymer exemption criteria at 40 CFR 723.250 for low-risk polymers, adverse effects are not expected.

2. *Infants and children*. Based on the polymer's physical-chemical properties, and that it meets or exceeds the polymer exemption criteria at 40 CFR 723.250 for low-risk polymers, adverse effects are not expected.

F. International Tolerances

There are no CODEX maximum residue limits established for 1,3-Benzene dicarboxylic acid, 5-sulfo-, 1,3-dimethyl ester, Sodium salt, polymer with 1,3-benzene dicarboxylic acid, 1,4-benzene dicarboxylic acid, dimethyl 1,4-benzene dicarboxylate and 1,2 ethanediol in or on crops or commodities at this time.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Notice of Availability of Annual Reports as Required by the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (EPAct)

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of availability of annual reports as required by the EPAct of 1992.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency announces the availability of reports summarizing compliance with alternative fueled vehicle acquisition requiremetns of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (EPAct). These reports are available at the following Web site: *http://www.epa.gov/greeningepa/greenfleet/index.htm.* or by request to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Transportation Management Office. These reports have been prepared and are being made publicly available as mandated by EPAct, which was designed to increase United States energy security in cost-effective and environmentally beneficial ways, in part through increased use of alternative fuels by vehicles owned and operated by the Federal governmnet.

DATES: These reports will be available starting December 1, 2002.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement Under CERCLA for the Pruitt & Grace Superfund Site

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

ACTION: Notice; proposal of CERCLA Prospective Purchaser Agreement for the Pruitt & Grace Superfund site.

SUMMARY: EPA is proposing to execute a Prospective Purchaser Agreement (''PPA'') under authority of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (''CERCLA''), 42 U.S.C. 9601 *et seq.*, as amended, and under the