

seeking fast track "me-too" registrations or amendments not involving new uses. There are no forms associated with this information collection.

V. What are EPA's Burden and Cost Estimates for this ICR?

Under the PRA, "burden" means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal Agency. For this collection it includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any previously applicable instructions and requirements; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

The ICR provides a detailed explanation of this estimate, which is only briefly summarized in this notice. The annual public burden for the MRL reporting information collection is estimated to average 1,442 hours per response. The following is a summary of the estimates taken from the ICR:

Respondents/affected entities: Pesticide registrants, pesticide companies, Interregional Research Project No. 4 (IR-4) petitioners, and third party registrants.

Estimated total number of potential respondents: 150.

Frequency of response: Once for each raw or processed commodity on which the pesticide is used.

Estimated total/average number of responses for each respondent: 1.

Estimated total annual burden hours: 216,300.

Estimated total annual burden costs: \$18,466,650.

VI. Are There Changes in the Estimates from the Last Approval?

No. The annual registrant burden estimate for this information collection will remain at 1,442 hours per year with the number of respondents submitting MRL petitions remaining at 150 annually. Changes to the ICR reflect the cost increase for labor rates only. The individual burden per product for PRA reporting has remained constant at 455 hours.

VII. What is the Next Step in the Process for this ICR?

EPA will consider the comments received and amend the ICR as appropriate. The final ICR package will then be submitted to OMB for review and approval pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.12. EPA will issue another **Federal Register** notice pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.5(a)(1)(iv) to announce the submission of the ICR to OMB and the opportunity to submit additional comments to OMB. If you have any questions about this ICR or the approval process, please contact the person listed in the "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT" section.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Information collection requests.

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Susan H. Wayland,

Acting Assistant Administrator for Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Formation and Request for Nominations to Serve on the Food Quality Protection Act, Science Review Board

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the formation and solicits nominations to serve on the Food Quality Protection Act, Science Review Board. The names, addresses, and professional affiliations of persons already serving on the Science Review Board are provided below. Section 104 of the Food Quality Protection Act of 1996 established the Science Review Board consisting of at least 60 scientists who shall be available to the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, Scientific Advisory Panel on an ad hoc basis to assist in reviews conducted by the Panel. The Scientific Advisory Panel was established under section 25(d) of Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act.

ADDRESSES: By mail, submit comments to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch, Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC, 20460. In

person, bring comments to: Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202, telephone: (703) 305-5805.

Comments and data also may be submitted electronically by sending electronic mail (e-mail) to: opp-docket@epa.gov. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comments and data also will be accepted on disks in WordPerfect 5.1/6.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket control number OPP-00586. No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Paul I. Lewis, FIFRA Scientific Advisory Panel (7101C), Office of Science Coordination and Policy, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location, telephone number, and e-mail address: Rm. 117, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202, telephone: (703) 305-5369 or 305-7351; e-mail: lewis.paul@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

Amendments to the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) enacted November 28, 1975 (7 U.S.C. 136w(d)), include a requirement under section 25(d) that notices of intent to cancel or reclassify pesticide regulations pursuant to section 6(b)(2), as well as proposed and final forms of rulemaking pursuant to section 25(a), be submitted to a Scientific Advisory Panel (SAP) prior to being made public or issued to a registrant. In accordance with FIFRA section 25(d), the SAP is to have an opportunity to comment on the health and environmental impact of such actions. The Panel shall also make comments, evaluations, and recommendations for operating guidelines to improve the effectiveness and quality of analyses made by Agency scientists.

Section 104 of the Food Quality Protection Act of 1996 (FQPA) (Pub. L. 104-170) established the FQPA Science Review Board (SRB) consisting of at least 60 scientists. These scientists shall be available to the SAP on an ad hoc basis to assist in reviews conducted by the Panel.

The Food Quality Protection Act mandated that members of the SRB shall be selected in the same manner as a member of SAP temporary subpanels.

The chair of the SAP, after consultation with the Administrator, may create temporary subpanels on specific projects to assist the full SAP in expediting and preparing its evaluations, comments, and recommendations. These subpanels will be composed of scientists to evaluate scientific studies relied upon by the Administrator with respect to the proposed action. Such additional scientists shall be selected by the SAP.

II. Applicability of Existing Regulations

With respect to the requirements of FIFRA section 25(d) that the Administrator promulgate regulations regarding conflicts of interest, EPA's existing regulations applicable to special government employees, which include advisory committee members, will apply to the members of the SRB. These regulations appear at 5 CFR part 2635.

III. Nominees to the Science Review Board

The Agency announces and solicits nominations of scientists to serve on the SRB. The Agency has already selected members to the SRB and seeks additional participants (a list of current SRB members follows). Members shall be scientists who have sufficient professional qualifications, including training and experience, to be capable of providing expert comments as to the impact on health and the environment of regulatory actions under sections 6(b) and 25(a) of FIFRA. Members will be selected from among, but are not limited to, toxicology, pathology, environmental biology, and related sciences (e.g. pharmacology, biotechnology, biochemistry and biostatistics). No persons shall be ineligible to serve on the SRB by reason of their membership on any other advisory committee to a Federal department or agency or their employment by a Federal department or agency (except the EPA). All nominees to the SRB should furnish information concerning their professional qualifications, educational background, employment history, and scientific publications.

If a SRB nominee is considered to assist in a review by the SAP for a particular session, the SRB nominee is subject to the provisions of 5 CFR part 2634, Executive Branch Financial Disclosure, as supplemented by the EPA in 5 CFR part 6401. As such, the SRB nominee is required to submit a Confidential Financial Disclosure Report (OGE Form 450) which shall fully disclose, among other financial interests, the nominee's employment, stocks and bonds, and where applicable,

sources of research support. The EPA will evaluate the nominee's financial disclosure form prior to the nominee being appointed to a panel reviewing agency actions. This evaluation will identify conflicts that may arise between the member's financial interests and the agency actions under review. If the SRB nominee's financial disclosure form is approved by the EPA, the nominee will be assigned to a SAP session and be hired as a Special Government Employee.

The SAP consists of 7 members appointed by the Administrator from a list of 12 nominees, 6 nominated by the National Institutes of Health and 6 by the National Science Foundation, utilizing a system of staggered terms of appointment. The members are: Dr. Ronald Kendall, The Institute of Environmental and Human Health/Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Lubbock, TX (chairperson); Dr. Charles Capen, Ohio State University, School of Veterinary Medicine, Department of Veterinary Biosciences, Columbus, OH; Dr. Ernest McConnell, Toxpath, Inc., Raleigh, NC; Dr. Fumio Matsumura, University of California, Institute of Toxicology and Environmental Health, Davis, CA; Herbert Needleman, M.D., University of Pittsburgh, School of Medicine, Pittsburgh, PA; Dr. Christopher Portier, National Institutes of Environmental Health Sciences, Research Triangle Park, NC, and; Dr. Mary Anna Thrall, Colorado State University, College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Science, Fort Collins, CO.

EPA Science Advisory Board members are also available to serve on the SRB (there are over 300 scientific consultants on the EPA Science Advisory Board). Several EPA Science Advisory Board scientific consultants have served in the past on the SRB to assist in reviews conducted by the Panel. The following are the names, addresses, and professional affiliations of current members on the SRB.

Current FQPA SRB Members

Dr. John Adgate, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN
 Dr. Marion Anders, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY
 Dr. Jack Barbash, United States Geological Service, Tacoma, WA
 Dr. Osman Basaran, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN
 Dr. William Brimijoin, Mayo Clinic and Medical School, Rochester, NY
 Dr. Arthur Buikema, Virginia Polytechnical Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA
 Dr. Allen Burton, Wright State University, Dayton, OH
 Dr. Janice Chambers, Mississippi State University, Mississippi State, MS

Dr. Robert Chapin, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, Research Triangle Park, NC
 Dr. Luz Claudio, Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, NY
 Dr. Joel Coats, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa
 Dr. Rory Conolly, Chemical Industry Institute of Toxicology, Research Triangle Park, NC
 Dr. Michael Cunningham, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, Research Triangle Park, NC
 Dr. Terri Damstra, World Health Organization, Research Triangle Park, NC
 Dr. Kenneth Davis, University of Memphis, Memphis, TN
 Dr. Michael Doyle, University of Georgia, Griffin, GA
 Dr. J. Larry Duda, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA
 Dr. Amira Eldefrawi, University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD
 Mr. James Fallon, United States Geological Service, Moundview, MS
 Dr. Richard Fenske, University of Washington, Seattle, WA
 Dr. David Ferro, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA
 Dr. John Fletcher, University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK
 Dr. Paul Foster, Chemical Industry Institute of Toxicology, Research Triangle Park, NC
 Dr. Natalie Freeman, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ
 Dr. David Gaylor, Food and Drug Administration, Jefferson, AK
 Dr. James Gibson, Dow AgroSciences LLC, Indianapolis, IN
 Dr. Christian Grue, Washington Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit, Seattle, WA
 Dr. Philip Guzelian, University of Colorado, Denver, CO
 Dr. Robert Hale, Virginia Institute of Marine Science, Gloucester Point, VA
 Dr. George Hallberg, The Cadmus Group, Waltham, MA
 Dr. Lenwood Hall, University of Maryland, Queenstown, MD
 Dr. James Hanson, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD
 Dr. Gordon Hard, American Health Foundation, Valhalla, NY
 Dr. Jerry Hatfield, National Soil Tilth Laboratory, Ames, IA
 Dr. Dale Hattis, Clark University, Worcester, MA
 Dr. Paul Hendley, Zeneca AG Products, Richmond, CA
 Dr. Diane Henshel, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
 Dr. Robert Herrick, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
 Dr. Elwood Hill, University of Nevada, Reno, NV
 Dr. Robert Hill, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
 Dr. Charles Hobbs, Lovelace Respiratory Research Institute, Albuquerque, NM
 Dr. Bruce Hope, Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Portland, OR
 Dr. Art Hornsby, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

Dr. Robert Horton, Iowa State University, Ames, IA
 Dr. Lovell Jones, University of Texas, Houston, TX
 Dr. Russell Jones, Rhone-Poulenc, Inc., Research Triangle Park, NC
 Dr. Mont Juchau, University of Washington, Seattle, WA
 Dr. Kathleen Keeler, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE
 Dr. John Kissel, University of Washington, Seattle, WA
 Dr. Robert Kreiger, University of California, Riverside, CA
 Dr. Sam Kung, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
 Dr. Tom LaPoint, University of North Texas, Denton, TX
 George Lambert, M.D. University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, Piscataway, NJ
 Dr. Peter Landrum, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Ann Arbor, MI
 Dr. Dennis Laskowski, Dow AgroSciences LLC, Indianapolis, IN
 Dr. Ross Leidy, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC
 Dr. Martin Locke, United States Department of Agriculture, Stoneville, MS
 Dr. Charles MacTutus, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY
 Dr. Margaret McCarthy, University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD
 Dr. William McCarthy, Hoffman-LaRouche, Inc., Nutley, NJ
 Dr. F.M. Anne McNabb, Virginia Polytechnical Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA
 Dr. Victor McFarland, United States Army Core of Engineers, Vicksburg, MS
 Dr. Charles Menzie, Menzie-Cura and Associates, Inc., Chelmsford, MA
 Dr. Karl Mierzejewski, Independent Consultant, State College, PA
 Dr. Robert Moore, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI
 Dr. Tom Mueller, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN
 Dr. Mark Nearing, United States Department of Agriculture, West Lafayette, IN
 Dr. Benjamin Nelson, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Cincinnati, OH
 Dr. Jeff Novak, United States Department of Agriculture, Florence, SC
 Dr. Raymond O'Connor, University of Maine, Orono, ME
 Dr. John O'Donoughe, Eastman Kodak, Rochester, NY
 Dr. Jim Oris, Miami University, Oxford, OH
 Dr. Reynaldo Patino, Texas Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit, Lubbock, TX
 Robert Peiffer, DVM, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
 Dr. James Petty, United States Geological Survey, Columbia, MO
 Dr. Carey Pope, Northeast Louisiana University, Monroe, LA
 Dr. Nu-may Ruby Reed, California Environmental Protection Agency, Sacramento, CA
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 Dr. Lorenz Rhomberg, Harvard Center for Risk Analysis, Boston, MA
 Dr. George Roderick, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, HI
 Dr. Tim Roland, United States Department of Agriculture, Edinburg, TX
 Dr. William Rutula, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
 Dr. Ali Sadeghi, United States Department of Agriculture, Beltsville, MD
 Dr. Syed Sattar, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada
 Dr. Daniel Saunders, Frito Lay, Dallas, TX
 Dr. Jay Schreider, Department of Pesticide Regulation, Sacramento, CA
 Dr. Jeffery Scott, United States Department of Commerce, Charleston, SC
 Dr. Lynne Sehulster, Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta, GA
 Dr. Dhiren Shah, Food and Drug Administration, Washington, DC
 Dr. James Shih, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD
 Dr. Lawrence Sirinek, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Columbus, OH
 Dr. William Slikker, National Center for Toxicological Research, Jefferson, AK
 Dr. David Smith, Mississippi State University, Mississippi State, MS
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 Dr. Mark Sobsey, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
 Dr. Tammo Steenhuis, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
 Dr. James Swenberg, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC
 Dr. Harold Thistle, United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Missoula, MT
 Dr. Mark Tumeo, Cleveland State University, Cleveland, OH
 Dr. Harold van Es, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY
 Dr. Ian van Wesenbeeck, Dow Elanco, Indianapolis, IN
 Dr. John Vandenbergh, North Carolina State University, Chapel Hill, NC
 Dr. Joel Walker, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AK
 Dr. John Wargo, Yale University, New Haven, CT
 Dr. R. Don Wauchope, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Tifton, GA
 Dr. Carol Weisskopf, Washington State University, Richland, WA
 Dr. Richard (Rick) Wetzler, Tufts University, Medford, MA
 Dr. Mark Whalon, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI
 Dr. Willis Wheeler, Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences, Gainesville, FL

List of Subjects

Environmental protection.

Dated: May 17, 1999.

Susan H. Wayland,

Acting Assistant Administrator for Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-100143; FRL-6083-6]

Lockheed Martin Energy Research Corp. and Summitec Corp.; Transfer of Data

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a notice to certain persons who have submitted information to EPA in connection with pesticide information requirements imposed under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA). Lockheed Martin Energy Research Corp. and its subcontractor, Summitec Corp., under an Interagency Agreement (IAG) with the Department of Energy (DOE), IAG No. DW89938591-01, will perform work for the EPA Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP), and will be provided access to certain information submitted to EPA under FIFRA and the FFDCA. Some of this information may have been claimed to be confidential business information (CBI) by submitters. This information will be transferred to Lockheed Martin Energy Research Corp. and Summitec Corp. consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR 2.307(h)(3), 2.309(c), and 2.308(l)(2) and will enable Lockheed Martin Energy Research Corp. to fulfill the obligations of the contract.

DATES: Lockheed Martin Energy Research Corp. and Summitec Corp. will be given access to this information no sooner than June 21, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Richard Schmitt, Information Resources Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location and telephone number: Rm. 703, Crystal Mall 2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA, (703) 305-5484; e-mail: schmitt.richard@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under IAG No. DW89938591-01, which supports the OPP regulatory efforts, Lockheed Martin Energy Research Corp. and Summitec Corp. will (1) conduct analysis and evaluation of registrant submissions for FIFRA registration and (2) perform special technical assistance projects to assist the Office of Pesticide Programs/EPA with issues associated with setting standards.

OPP has determined that access to this information is necessary for the preformation of these tasks.