ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-66274; FRL 6398-1]

Notice of Receipt of Requests to Voluntary Cancel 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 requests by registrants to voluntarily cancel certain pesticide registrations.

DATES: Unless a request is withdrawn, the Agency will approve these use deletions and the deletions will become effective on July 10, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: James A. Hollins, Office of Pesticide Programs (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location for commercial courier delivery, telephone number and e-mail address: Rm. 224, Crystal Mall No. 2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202, (703) 305–5761; e-mail: hollins.james@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this 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 section."

- B. How can I get additional information or copies of support documents?
- 1. Electronically. You may obtain electronic copies of this document and various support documents are available from the EPA Home Page at the Federal Register-Environmental Documents entry for this document under "Laws and Regulations" (http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/).
- 2. In person. The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPP–66274. 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 Highway, 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 cancel some 32 pesticide products registered under section 3 or 24(c) of FIFRA. These registrations are listed in sequence by registration number (or company number and 24 number) in the following Table 1.

TABLE 1. — REGISTRATIONS WITH PENDING REQUESTS FOR CANCELLATION

Registration No.	Product Name	Chemical Name		
000239—02514	Get-A-Bug Snail, Slug & Insect Killer	2,4,6,8-Tetramethyl-1,3,5,7-tetroxocane		
		1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate		
000264—00292	Ethrel Plant Regulator for Flue Cured Tobacco	(2-Chloroethyl)phosphonic acid		
000264—00376	Cerone–2 Plant Regulator	(2-Chloroethyl)phosphonic acid		
000538—00114	Proturf 101V Broad Spectrum Fungicide	Tetrachloroisophthalonitrile		
000538—00141	Proturf 18–5–5 Fertilizer Plus 101 Broad Spectrum Fungicide	Tetrachloroisophthalonitrile		
000869—00176	Green Light Ant Killer	Bendiocarb (2,2-dimethyl-1,3-benzoldioxol-4-yl methylcarbamate)		
000869—00228	Green Light Lawn Insect Granules	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate		
001270—00252	ZEP Tox III Wasp and Hornet Killer	(Butylcarbityl)(6-propylpiperonyl) ether 80% and related compounds 20%		
		(1-Cyclohexene-1,2-dicarboximido)methyl 2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylpropenyl)cycloprop		
		Cyclopropanecarboxylic acid, 3-(2,2-dichloroethenyl)-2,2-dimethyl-,		
001386—00633	Smith-Douglass 10% Sevin Dust	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate		
005481—00280	2% Methomyl Insecticide Dust	S-Methyl N-((methylcarbamoyl)oxy)thioacetimidate		
006175—00034	Indoor Flea & Tick Spray with Dursban	O,O-Diethyl O-(3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridyl)phosphorothioate		
007401—00051	Ferti-Lome containing Sevin for Control of Soil Insects	1-Naphthyl- <i>N</i> -methylcarbamate		
007401—00208	Hi-Yield Sevin and Molasses	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate		
008660—00136	Greenup Ant, Roach and Insect Powder	Bendiocarb (2,2-dimethyl-1,3-benzoldioxol-4-yl methylcarbamate)		
009198—00072	Custom Mix 20-4-10 with Betasan	S-(O,O-Diisopropyl phosphorodithioate) ester of N-(2-mercaptoethyl)benzenesulfonamide		

TABLE 1. — REGISTRATIONS WITH PENDING REQUESTS FOR CANCELLATION—Continued

Registration No.	Product Name	Chemical Name			
009198—00073	Custom Mix 25-6-10 with Betasan	S-(O,O-Diisopropyl phosphorodithioate) ester of N-(2-mercaptoethyl)benzenesulfonamide			
009198—00139	The Andersons Pest Arrest Lawn Insecticide I	1-Naphthyl- <i>N</i> -methylcarbamate			
009198—00141	The Andersons Pest Arrest Fire Ant Killer	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate			
009198—00142	The Andersons Pest Arrest Flea & Tick Killer	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate			
009198—00143	The Andersons Pest Arrest Lawn Insecticide II	1-Naphthyl- <i>N</i> -methylcarbamate			
009198—00144	The Andersons Fertilizer with 4.55% Sevin	1-Naphthyl- <i>N</i> -methylcarbamate			
009198—00145	The Andersons 6.3% Granular Sevin	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate			
009198—00147	The Andersons Pest Arrest 5% Dust	1-Naphthyl- <i>N</i> -methylcarbamate			
009198—00148	The Andersons Pest Arrest 10% Dust	1-Naphthyl-N-methylcarbamate			
011684—00002	Jirdon Lawn Fertilizer containing Dacthal Herbicide 12-	Dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate			
028293—00165	Unicorn Household Fogger	(1-Cyclohexene-1,2-dicarboximido)methyl 2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylpropenyl)cycloprop			
		4-Chloro-alpha-(1-methylethyl)benzeneacetic acid, cyano(3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl			
028293—00188	Unicorn Fogger #6	(1-Cyclohexene-1,2-dicarboximido)methyl 2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylpropenyl)cycloprop			
		$(S-(R^*,R^*))-4$ -Chloro-alpha- $(1$ -methylethyl)benzeneacetic acid,			
028293—00194	Unicorn Fire Ant Injector Aerosol	(1-Cyclohexene-1,2-dicarboximido)methyl 2,2-dimethyl-3-(2-methylpropenyl)cycloprop			
		$(S-(R^*,R^*))-4$ -Chloro-alpha- $(1$ -methylethyl)benzeneacetic acid,			
030950—00007	Diazinon 25% Emulsifiable Concentrate	O,O-Diethyl O-(2-isopropyl-6-methyl-4-pyrimidinyl) phosphorothioate			
041875—00001	Super Tropical Antifouling P-18	Cuprous oxide			
046515—00028	Super K-Gro Fire Ant Mound Drench	O,O-Diethyl O-(3,5,6-trichloro-2-pyridyl) phosphorothioate			
051036 ID—95—0015	Endosulfan 3 EC	6,7,8,9,10-Hexachloro-1,5,5α,6,9,9α-hexahydro-6,9-methano- 2,4,3-benzodioxathiepin-3-oxide			

Unless a request is withdrawn by the registrant within 180 days (30 days when requested by registrant) of publication of this notice, orders will be issued canceling all of these registrations. Users of these pesticides or anyone else desiring the retention of a registration should contact the applicable registrant during this comment period.

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

TABLE 2. — REGISTRANTS REQUESTING VOLUNTARY CANCELLATION

EPA Com- pany No.	Company Name and Address		
000239	The Scotts Co., D/B/A The Ortho Group, Box 1749, Columbus, OH 43216.		
000264	Rhone-Poulenc Ag Co., Box 12014, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709.		
000538	The Scotts Co., 14111 Scottslawn Rd, Marysville, OH 43041.		
000869	Green Light Co., Box 17985, San Antonio, TX 78217.		
001270	ZEP Mfg. Co., Box 2015, Atlanta, GA 30301.		
001386	Universal Cooperatives Inc., 1300 Cooperatives, Inc., Eagan, MN 55121.		
005481	AMVAC Chemical Corp., Attn: Jon C. Wood, 2110 Davie Ave., Commerce, CA 90040.		
006175	Schering-Plough Veterinary Operations, Inc., 1095 Morris Ave., Union, NJ 07083.		
007401	Brazos Associates, Inc., c/o Voluntary Purchasing Groups, Inc., Box 460, Bonham, TX 75418.		
008660	Pursell Industries, Inc., Box 540, Sylacauga, AL 35150.		
009198	The Andersons Lawn Fertilizer Division, DBA/ Free Flow Fertilizer, Box 119, Maumee, OH 43537.		
011684	Jirdon Agri Chemicals Inc., Box 516, Morrill, NE 69358.		
028293	Unicorn Laboratories, 12385 Automobile Blvd., Clearwater, FL 33762.		
030950	Maldonado & Co Inc., Box 363231, San Juan, PR 00936.		
041875	All Purpose Marine Paints Inc., 58 Van Dyke St, Brooklyn, NY 11231.		

TABLE 2. — REGISTRANTS	RECHESTING	VALUNTARY	CANCELLATION.	-Continued
TABLE Z. — REGISTRAINTS	REQUESTING	VULUNTARY	CANCELLA HON-	-Continuea

EPA Com- pany No.	Company Name and Address	
046515	Celex, Division of United Industries Corp., Box 15842, St Louis, MO 63114.	
051036	Micro-Flo Co, Box 772099, Memphis, TN 38117.	

III. 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 amended to delete one or more uses. The Act 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.

IV. Procedures for Withdrawal of Request

Registrants who choose to withdraw a request for cancellation must submit such withdrawal in writing to James A. Hollins, at the address given above, postmarked before July 10, 2000. This written withdrawal of the request for cancellation will apply only to the applicable 6(f)(1) request listed in this notice. If the product(s) have been subject to a previous cancellation action, the effective date of cancellation and all other provisions of any earlier cancellation action are controlling. The withdrawal request must also include a commitment to pay any reregistration fees due, and to fulfill any applicable unsatisfied data requirements.

V. Provisions for Disposition of Existing Stocks

The effective date of cancellation will be the date of the cancellation order. The orders effecting these requested cancellations will generally permit a registrant to sell or distribute existing stocks for 1 year after the date the cancellation request was received by the Agency. This policy is in accordance with the Agency's statement of policy as prescribed in Federal Register (56 FR 29362) June 26, 1991; [FRL 3846-4]. Exception to this general rule will be made if a product poses a risk concern, or is in noncompliance with reregistration requirements, or is subject to a data call-in. In all cases, productspecific disposition dates will be given in the cancellation orders.

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 action. Unless the provisions of an earlier order apply, 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(s). Exceptions to these general rules will be made in specific cases when more stringent restrictions on sale, distribution, or use of the products or their ingredients have already been imposed, as in Special Review actions, or where the Agency has identified significant potential risk concerns associated with a particular chemical.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests, Product registrations.

Dated: December 15, 1999.

Richard D. Schmitt.

Acting Director, Information Resources Services Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-00633A; FRL-6486-3]

Proposed Test Guidelines; Extension of Comment Period

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice; Extension of Comment

Period.

SUMMARY: On December 15, 1999, EPA issued a notice announcing the availability of proposed tests for the Series 810–Product Performance Testing Guidelines titled "OPPTS 810.3700 Insect Repellents For Human Skin and Outdoor Premises" and a Pesticide Registration (PR) Notice titled "Insect Repellents: Labeling, Data Citations, and Testing Criteria" explaining specific areas of the guideline and recommended label language. Due to the complexity of the proposed test guideline and the potential health concerns to humans,

EPA has decided to extend the comment period from January 14, 2000, to February 14, 2000.

DATES: Comments, identified by docket control number OPP-00633, must be received by EPA on or before February 14, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit III. of the "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPP-00633 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Forgeneral information contact: Communications Services Branch (7506C), Field and External Affairs Division, Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (703) 305-5017; fax number: (703) 305-5558.

For technical information contact: Robyn Rose, Office of Pesticide Programs, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (703) 308-9581; email address: rose.robyn@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. Although this action may be of particular interest to those persons who are or may be required to conduct testing of chemical substances under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA), or the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), 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 applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the technical person listed under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT."