

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPTS-51945; FRL-6558-7]

Certain New Chemicals; Receipt and Status Information**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on the TSCA Inventory) to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of TSCA, EPA is required to publish a notice of receipt of a premanufacture notice (PMN) or an application for a test marketing exemption (TME), and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period from March 20, 2000 to April 7, 2000, consists of the PMNs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit I. of the "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPPTS-51945 and the specific PMN number in the subject line on the first page of your response.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Barbara Cunningham, Director, Office of Program Management, and Evaluation, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (7401), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Bldg., 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone numbers: (202) 554-1404; e-mail address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**I. General Information***A. Does this Action Apply to Me?*

This action is directed to the public in general. As such, the Agency has not attempted to describe the specific entities that this action may apply to. Although others may be affected, this action applies directly to the submitter

of the premanufacture notices addressed in the action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, 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 copies of this document and certain other available documents from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. 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" listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPPTS-51945. 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 TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, North East Mall Rm. B-607, Waterside Mall, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC. The Center is open from noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number of the Center is (202) 260-7099.

C. How and to Whom Do I Submit Comments?

You may submit comments through the mail, in person, or electronically. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPPTS-51945 and the specific PMN number in the subject line on the first page of your response.

1. *By mail.* Submit your comments to: Document Control Office (7407), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT), Environmental Protection Agency, Ariel Rios Bldg., 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460.

2. *In person or by courier.* Deliver your comments to: OPPT Document Control Office (DCO) in East Tower Rm. G-099, Waterside Mall, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC. The DCO is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the DCO is (202) 260-7093.

3. *Electronically.* You may submit your comments electronically by e-mail to: "oppt.ncic@epa.gov," or mail your computer disk to the address identified in this unit. Do not submit any information electronically that you consider to be CBI. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comments and data will also be accepted on standard disks in WordPerfect 6.1/8.0 or ASCII file format. All comments in electronic form must be identified by docket control number OPPTS-51945 and the specific PMN number. Electronic comments may also be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

D. How Should I Handle CBI that I Want to Submit to the Agency?

Do not submit any information electronically that you consider to be CBI. You may claim information that you submit to EPA in response to this document as CBI by marking any part or all of that information as CBI. Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. In addition to one complete version of the comment that includes any information claimed as CBI, a copy of the comment that does not contain the information claimed as CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public version of the official record. Information not marked confidential will be included in the public version of the official record without prior notice. If you have any questions about CBI or the procedures for claiming CBI, please consult the person listed under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT."

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 notice or collection activity.

7. Make sure to submit your comments by the deadline in this document.

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. Why is EPA Taking this Action?

Section 5 of TSCA requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on

the TSCA Inventory to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of TSCA, EPA is required to publish a notice of receipt of a PMN or an application for a TME and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period from March 20, 2000 to April 7, 2000, consists of the PMNs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

III. Receipt and Status Report for PMNs

This status report identifies the PMNs, both pending or expired, and the

notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period. If you are interested in information that is not included in the following tables, you may contact EPA as described in Unit II. to access additional non-CBI information that may be available.

In table I, EPA provides the following information (to the extent that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the PMNs received by EPA during this period: the EPA case number assigned to the PMN; the date the PMN was received by EPA; the projected end date for EPA's review of the PMN; the submitting manufacturer; the potential uses identified by the manufacturer in the PMN; and the chemical identity.

I. 73 PREMANUFACTURE NOTICES RECEIVED FROM: 03/20/00 TO 04/07/00

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-00-0633	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(G) Polymer for contained commercial/industrial use (incorporated into an article)	(G) 2-propenoic acid, polymer with butyl 2-propenoate, <i>n</i> -(1,1-dimethyl-3-oxobutyl)-2-propenamide, 2-methoxy-2-substituted-ethyl 2-propenoate and methyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate
P-00-0634	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(G) Associative monomer for use in polymers for thickening aqueous systems	(G) Vinyl modified non-ionic surfactant
P-00-0635	03/20/00	06/18/00	Eastman Chemical Company	(G) Chemical intermediate, industrial chemical additive	(S) 1,3-dioxolan-2-one, 4-ethenyl*
P-00-0636	03/21/00	06/19/00	CBI	(G) Polymerization inhibitor	(G) Alkylated nitrosophenylenediamine
P-00-0637	03/22/00	06/20/00	CBI	(G) Destructive use	(G) Substituted alkyl salt of halogenated organoborate
P-00-0638	03/22/00	06/20/00	CBI	(G) Destructive use	(G) Alkali metal salt of halogenated organoborate
P-00-0639	03/21/00	06/19/00	CBI	(S) Resin for coatings	(G) Polyether functional acrylic polymer
P-00-0640	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(G) Interior and exterior wall and trim paints	(G) Alkyd emulsion
P-00-0641	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Alcohols, C ¹⁶⁻²⁰ -branched, ethoxylated*
P-00-0642	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Alcohols, C ¹⁶⁻²⁰ -branched, propoxylated*
P-00-0643	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Alcohols, C ¹⁶⁻²⁰ -branched, ethoxylated propoxylated*
P-00-0645	03/22/00	06/20/00	CBI	(G) Acrylic adhesive or coating	(G) Acrylic
P-00-0646	03/21/00	06/19/00	CBI	(G) Component of a primer product	(G) Silane coupling agent
P-00-0647	03/22/00	06/20/00	CBI	(G) Printing ink resin	(G) Fatty acids, tall -oil, polymers with diamine, 5 (or 6) -carboxy-4-hexyl-2-cyclohexene-1-octanoic acid, fumaric acid, polyol, maleic anhydride, pentaerythritol and rosin)
P-00-0648	03/23/00	06/21/00	CBI	(G) Industrial Structural Adhesive	(G) Polyester polyol polyurethane
P-00-0649	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), α -(2-butylloctyl)-omega-hydroxy-*
P-00-0650	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Poly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethanediyl)], α -(2-butylloctyl)-omega-hydroxy-*
P-00-0651	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane, mono(2-butylloctyl) ether*
P-00-0652	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), α -(2-hexyldecyl)-omega-hydroxy-*

I. 73 PREMANUFACTURE NOTICES RECEIVED FROM: 03/20/00 TO 04/07/00—Continued

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-00-0653	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Poly[oxy(methyl-1,2-ethanediyl)], α -(2-hexyldecyl)-omega-hydroxy-*
P-00-0654	03/20/00	06/18/00	CBI	(S) Textile emulsifier	(S) Oxirane, methyl-, polymer with oxirane, mono(2-hexyldecyl) ether*
P-00-0655	03/27/00	06/25/00	CBI	(S) Coatings; adhesives	(G) Aromatic urethane
P-00-0656	03/28/00	06/26/00	Bedoukian Research, Inc.	(S) Chemical intermediate for flavor/fragrance product (FFDCA); chemical intermediate for fragrance used in soaps, detergents, air fresheners, scented papers etc.)	(G) Alkenyl ester
P-00-0657	03/27/00	06/25/00	CBI	(G) Thickener for aqueous cleaning solutions and highly filled latex compounds	(G) Styrene acrylic emulsion polymer
P-00-0658	03/27/00	06/25/00	CBI	(G) Thickener for aqueous cleaning solutions and highly filled latex compounds	(G) Styrene acrylic emulsion polymer
P-00-0659	03/27/00	06/25/00	CBI	(G) Thickener for aqueous cleaning solutions and highly filled latex compounds	(G) Styrene acrylic emulsion polymer
P-00-0660	03/27/00	06/25/00	CBI	(G) Thickener for aqueous cleaning solutions and highly filled latex compounds	(G) Styrene acrylic emulsion polymer
P-00-0661	03/27/00	06/25/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolic resins
P-00-0662	03/27/00	06/25/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolic resins
P-00-0663	03/27/00	06/25/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolic resins
P-00-0664	03/27/00	06/25/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolic resins
P-00-0665	03/27/00	06/25/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolic resins
P-00-0666	03/27/00	06/25/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolic resins
P-00-0667	03/27/00	06/25/00	CBI	(G) Additive for plastics	(G) Substituted biaryl aralkyl phosphite
P-00-0668	03/28/00	06/26/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolicresins
P-00-0669	03/28/00	06/26/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolicresins
P-00-0670	03/28/00	06/26/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolicresins

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Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-00-0671	03/28/00	06/26/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolicresins
P-00-0672	03/28/00	06/26/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolicresins
P-00-0673	03/28/00	06/26/00	Lyondell Chemical Company	(G) Polyol to be used as a flexibilizer, monomer, or reactive diluent in resins for use in coatings, inks, sealants, elastomers, adhesives, and related applications	(G) Alkoxyated phenolicresins
P-00-0674	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(S) Resin for automotive coatings	(G) Modified carbamate acrylic polymer
P-00-0675	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(S) Resin for automotive coatings	(G) Modified carbamate acrylic polymer
P-00-0676	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(S) Resin for automotive coatings	(G) Modified carbamate acrylic polymer
P-00-0677	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(S) Resin for automotive coatings	(G) Modified carbamate acrylic polymer
P-00-0678	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(S) Resin for automotive coatings	(G) Modified carbamate acrylic polymer
P-00-0679	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(S) Resin for automotive coatings	(G) Modified carbamate acrylic polymer
P-00-0680	03/28/00	06/26/00	CBI	(G) Finishing product for leather for surface cover	(G) Fatty acids, reaction products
P-00-0681	03/29/00	06/27/00	BASF Corporation	(S) Fiber	(G) Isocyanate—functional polyester polyurethane
P-00-0682	03/29/00	06/27/00	Reichhold, Inc.	(G) Additive for high solids coatings	(G) Amine modified phenolic polymer
P-00-0683	03/30/00	06/28/00	CBI	(G) Polymer for contained commercial/industrial use (incorporated into an article)	(G) 2-propenoic acid, polymer with butyl 2-propenoate, <i>n</i> -(1,1-dimethyl-3-oxobutyl)-2-propenamido, 2-methoxy-2-substituted-ethyl 2-propenoate and methyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate*
P-00-0684	03/29/00	06/27/00	CBI	(G) Additive for plastics	(G) Butadiene, alkyl acrylate, styrene co-polymer
P-00-0685	03/29/00	06/27/00	CBI	(G) Additive for plastics	(G) Butadiene, alkyl acrylate, styrene co-polymer
P-00-0686	03/29/00	06/27/00	CIBA Specialty Chemicals	(S) Hardener for water-based anticorrosive coatings; hardener for water-based epoxy cement for civil engineering applic.	(G) Phenol,4,4'-(1-methylethylidene)bis-, polymers with aliphatic diamines, epichlorohydrin and polyethylene glycol
P-00-0687	03/31/00	06/29/00	CBI	(S) (for inkjet printer)(coating agent)	(G) Polyetherurethane and polyurea copolymer
P-00-0688	03/30/00	06/28/00	CBI	(G) Additive	(G) Diol
P-00-0689	03/30/00	06/28/00	CBI	(G) Additive	(G) Diol
P-00-0690	03/30/00	06/28/00	CBI	(G) Monomer and chemical intermediate	(G) Alkoxyated allyl methacrylate
P-00-0691	03/31/00	06/29/00	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive (auxillary)	(G) Modified polyamidecarboxylic acid
P-00-0692	04/03/00	07/02/00	CBI	(S) Vehicle of paints on tpo sheet (for car interior construction)	(G) Aliphatic polyurethane
P-00-0693	04/03/00	07/02/00	CBI	(S) Polymer adduct for adhesive uses	(G) Epoxy -nitrile rubber adduct
P-00-0694	04/03/00	07/02/00	CBI	(G) Open non-dispersive (resin)	(G) Hydrophilic aliphatic polyisocyanate
P-00-0695	04/03/00	07/02/00	CBI	(S) Component of fire fighting foam	(G) Perfluoroalkylated polyamino acid
P-00-0696	04/04/00	07/03/00	CBI	(G) Paper dye	(G) Sulfonated disazo dyestuff
P-00-0697	04/04/00	07/03/00	CBI	(G) Paper dye	(G) Sulfonated disazo dyestuff
P-00-0698	04/04/00	07/03/00	CBI	(G) Paper dye	(G) Lithium salt of a benzenoid stilbene/azo dyestuff

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Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-00-0699	04/06/00	07/05/00	CBI	(G) Multi-purpose adhesive (open, non-dispersive use); laminating adhesive (open, non-dispersive use); edgebanding adhesive (open, non-dispersive use)	(G) Polyurethane prepolymer; polyurethane adhesive
P-00-0700	04/06/00	07/05/00	CBI	(G) Ion exchange resin for water treatment	(G) Crosslinked copolymer of substituted polystyrene
P-00-0701	04/06/00	07/05/00	Mitsui Chemicals America, Inc.	(S) Mechanical parts of precision and industrial machine	(G) Polyimide
P-00-0702	04/06/00	07/05/00	CBI	(G) Plastics lubricant; vapor barrier; fertilizer additive; chemical intermediate; miscellaneous uses	(G) Olefin oligomers
P-00-0703	04/07/00	07/06/00	CBI	(G) Component of a primer product	(G) Organosilicic compound
P-00-0704	04/06/00	07/05/00	CBI	(S) Liquid dye for wet end and surface dyeing of paper	(G) Alkyldiamine, reaction products with halogenated heterocycle, amino-hydroxy-sulfonated polycycle, and trisubstituted heterocycle, compd. with substituted alkanic acid
P-00-0705	04/07/00	07/06/00	Poco, LLC	(S) Pesticide; canine external care products; equine external care products; fragrance additive	(S) Chamaecyparis lawsoniana, ext. (natural mixture distilled from the wood fiber of port orford cedar / chamaecyparis lawsoniana—continuation sheet page 8*
P-00-0706	04/07/00	07/06/00	CBI	(S) Base fluid for hydraulic fluids; base fluid for engine lubricants	(G) Mixed polyol—glycerol fatty acid ester

In table II, EPA provides the following information (to the extent that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the Notices of Commencement to manufacture received:

II. 38 NOTICES OF COMMENCEMENT FROM: 03/20/00 TO 04/07/00

Case No.	Received Date	Commencement/Import Date	Chemical
P-00-0030	04/04/00	03/17/00	(G) Modified polyacrylate
P-00-0064	03/29/00	02/27/00	(G) Epoxy acrylate
P-00-0090	04/03/00	03/13/00	(G) Hindered amine adduct
P-00-0094	04/03/00	03/30/00	(G) Aromatic sulfonic acid derivative
P-00-0134	03/30/00	03/13/00	(S) L-aspartic acid, <i>n,n'</i> -1,2-ethanediylbis-, trisodium salt*
P-00-0186	03/27/00	02/29/00	(G) Perfluorinated polyamine
P-00-0266	03/28/00	03/06/00	(G) Acrylic acid, polymer with partial salt of acrylate ester
P-93-0549	04/03/00	03/22/00	(S) Cas-index name: 1,4-dioxaspiro [4,5] decane-2-methanol, 9-methyl-6-(1-methylethyl)-
P-97-0957	04/07/00	03/20/00	(G) Non-etherified phenolic resin
P-98-0677	03/21/00	02/25/00	(G) Aqueous amine salt
P-98-0789	03/20/00	03/01/00	(G) Polyester oligomer
P-98-1043	03/20/00	03/09/00	(G) Substituted amino alkyl triazinyl benzenesulfonic acid derivative
P-99-0309	03/28/00	03/13/00	(G) Substituted alkylphthalimide
P-99-0660	04/05/00	03/21/00	(G) Acrylmodified polysiloxane
P-99-0786	03/27/00	03/21/00	(G) Liquid cationic polymer
P-99-0864	04/04/00	03/24/00	(G) Polyester urethane aqueous dispersion
P-99-0874	03/23/00	03/07/00	(G) Modified polyvinyl alcohol
P-99-0899	03/28/00	03/21/00	(G) Blocked diisocyanato-hexane, homopolymer
P-99-1034	03/28/00	03/21/00	(G) Hydrocarbon modified rosin resin
P-99-1043	03/30/00	03/22/00	(G) Triazine derivative
P-99-1110	04/07/00	03/21/00	(S) Alcohols, C ₁₂₋₁₄ , ethers with polyethylene glycol mono-butyl ether*
P-99-1111	04/07/00	03/21/00	(S) Alcohols, C ₁₂₋₁₄ , ethers with polyethylene-polypropylene glycol mono-me ether*
P-99-1112	04/07/00	03/21/00	(S) Alcohols, C ₈₋₁₀ dimers, ethers with polyethylene glycol mono-butyl ether*
P-99-1113	04/07/00	03/21/00	(S) Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl), α -butyl-omega-(octyloxy)*
P-99-1193	04/04/00	03/22/00	(G) Isocyanate terminated urethane polymer
P-99-1208	03/30/00	03/16/00	(S) 1,3-butadiene, homopolymer, maleated, 2-[(2-methyl-1-oxo-2-propenyl)oxy]ethyl esters*

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Case No.	Received Date	Commencement/ Import Date	Chemical
P-99-1210	04/04/00	03/16/00	(S) 5-isoquinolinesulfonic acid*
P-99-1213	04/05/00	04/01/00	(S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₁₀₋₂₅ , branched*
P-99-1214	04/05/00	04/01/00	(S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₁₅₋₃₀ , branched, high viscosity index*
P-99-1215	04/05/00	04/01/00	(S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₂₀₋₄₀ , branched, high viscosity index*
P-99-1216	04/05/00	04/01/00	(S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₂₅₋₅₅ , branched, high viscosity index*
P-99-1229	04/07/00	03/16/00	(G) Styrene-acrylonitrile-based polymer
P-99-1286	03/27/00	03/06/00	(G) Condensation of an acrylic modified alkyd resin and urea resin
P-99-1291	04/03/00	03/22/00	(G) Rosin modified fatty acids, tall-oil, polymer with glycerol, phenols, petroleum naphtha conc. maleic anhydride and petroleum distillates
P-99-1343	04/07/00	03/16/00	(S) Propanoyl fluoride, 2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-3-(trifluoromethoxy)-*
P-99-1382	03/20/00	02/18/00	(G) Disubstituted fluorene
P-99-1383	03/20/00	03/03/00	(G) Methane bridged bis(substituted cyclopentadiene)
P-99-1401	03/31/00	03/27/00	(G) Salt of acidic polymers

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Chemicals, Premanufacturer notices.

Dated: May 18, 2000.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Certain New Chemicals; Receipt and Status Information

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on the TSCA Inventory) to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of TSCA, EPA is required to publish a notice of receipt of a premanufacture notice (PMN) or an application for a test marketing exemption (TME), and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period from April 10, 2000 to April 21, 2000, consists of the PMNs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new

chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

ADDRESSES: Comments may be submitted by mail, electronically, or in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit I. of the "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPPTS-51946 and the specific PMN number in the subject line on the first page of your response.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**I. General Information***A. Does this Action Apply to Me?*

This action is directed to the public in general. As such, the Agency has not attempted to describe the specific entities that this action may apply to. Although others may be affected, this action applies directly to the submitter of the premanufacture notices addressed in the action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, 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 copies of this document and certain other available documents from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. 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" listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPPTS-51946. 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 TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, North East Mall Rm. B-607, Waterside Mall, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC. The Center is open from noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number of the Center is (202) 260-7099.