

Stennis Space Center, Mississippi. The committee will meet from 10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on May 15 and from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on May 16. Agenda items will include: Program Status (Update), Director's Perspective (Overview), Co-Chairs Perspective, and Program Priorities. The meeting is open to the public.

James D. Giattina,

Director, Gulf of Mexico Program.

Draft Agenda— IC/TAC Co-Chair Workshop, May 15–16, 1996

Wednesday, May 15

- Welcome & Introduction of Participants 10:00 am
- Program Status (Update)
- Director's Perspective (Overview)
 - Director's Vision
 - Observed Program Strengths and Weaknesses
 - Lessons Learned (Past Ecosystem Management Experiences)
 - Practical Future Concepts/Challenges/Solutions
- Co-Chairs Perspective (Roundtable Discussion)
 - Observed Program Strengths and Weaknesses
 - Reaction to Future Concepts/Challenges/Solutions
 - Appropriate Future Role of the Committees
- Adjourn for the day—4:30 pm
- Director's Social—6:00 pm
(A sampling of the Gulf's sustainable resources!)

Thursday, May 16

- Program Priorities—8:30 am
 - Review of Goals and Objectives
 - Establish Consensus on Future Committee Roles & Responsibilities
- Workshop Summary (Director Facilitated)—2:00 pm
 - Summarize Workshop Agreements
 - Establish Follow-up Steps/Actions
- Workshop Adjourned—3:00 pm

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[OPP–00432; FRL–5364–5]

Standard Operating Procedure for Measuring Cholinesterases in Laboratory Rats and Dogs Exposed to Non-Reversible Cholinesterase Inhibitors

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of availability and request for comments.

SUMMARY: EPA is making available for public comment Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) for measuring cholinesterases. This SOP specifies the details of a clinical methodology for performing cholinesterase enzyme

assays in tissues taken from laboratory rats and dogs. This SOP is limited in scope to the measurement of cholinesterase levels in control animals and in animals exposed to a non-reversible cholinesterase inhibitor. This method is essentially the Ellman procedure (1961), with the stipulation that specific parameters be tightly controlled (e.g. pH, wavelength, substrate concentration, etc.).

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before May 28, 1996..

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments in triplicate to: Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person: Bring comments to: Rm. 1132, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically by sending electronic mail (e-mail) to: opp-docket@epamail.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 will also be accepted on disks in WordPerfect in 5.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number "OPP–00432." Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments on this document may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries. Additional information on electronic submissions can be found under "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION."

Information submitted as a comment in response to this notice may be claimed confidential 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. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public docket. Information not marked confidential will be included in the public docket without prior notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Robert B. Jaeger, Designated Federal Official, FIFRA Scientific Advisory Panel (7509C), Office of Pesticide Programs, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M Street, SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location and telephone number: Rm. 819B, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA (703) 305–5369 or 305–7351; e-mail: jaeger.bruce@epamail.epa.gov.

Copies of the SOP may be obtained by contacting: By mail: Public Docket and Freedom of Information Section, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person or for courier pick-up: Office location and telephone number: Rm. 1132, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA, (703) 305–5805 or 305–5454. By internet: e-mail requests to: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov. The SOP is also electronically available on EPA's gopher server (gopher://gopher.epa.gov) and the world wide web (www) (<http://www.epa.gov>) under the heading "Rules, Regulations and Legislation".

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: A public record has been established for this notice under docket number "OPP–00432" (FRL–5364–5) (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The public record is located in Rm. 1132, Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

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List of Subjects

Environmental protection.

Dated: April 18, 1996.

Stephanie R. Irene,
*Acting Director, Health Effects Division,
Office of Pesticide Programs.*

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[PF-649; FRL-5359-7]

Various Pesticide and Food/Feed Tolerance Petitions; Amendments and Filings**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).**ACTION:** Notice.**SUMMARY:** This notice announces initial filings and amendments of pesticide petitions (PP), filing of food and feed additive petitions (FAP) all proposing the establishment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various agricultural commodities.**DATES:** Comments, identified by the docket number [PF-649] must be received on or before May 28, 1996.**ADDRESSES:** By mail, submit written comments to: Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental

Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person, bring comments to: Rm. 1128, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA 22202.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this notice may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of that information as "Confidential Business Information" (CBI). Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by EPA without prior notice. All written comments will be available for public inspection in Rm. 1128 at the address given above, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

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electronic mail (e-mail) to: OPP-Docket@epamail.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 will also be accepted on disks in WordPerfect 5.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number [PF-649]. No CBI should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments on this document may be filed online at many Federal Depository Library. Additional information on electronic submissions can be found below in this document.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Registration Division (7505C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. In person, contact the PM named in each petition at the following office location/telephone number:

Product Manager	Office location/telephone number	Address
Rick Keigwin (PM 10)	Rm. 214, CM #2, 703-305-6788, e-mail: keigwin.rick@epamail.epa.gov	1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA. .
Robert Forest (PM 14)	Rm. 219, CM #2, 703-305-6600, e-mail: forest.robert@epamail.epa.gov.	Do.
Dennis Edwards (PM 19).	Rm. 266A, CM #2, 703-305-6386, e-mail: edwards.dennis@epamail.epa.gov.	Do.
Teresa Stowe (PM 22)	Rm. 229, CM #2, 703-305-7740, e-mail: stowe.teresa@epamail.epa.gov.	Do.
Joanne I. Miller (PM 23).	Rm. 237, CM #2, 703-305-7830, e-mail: miller.joanne@epamail.epa.gov.	Do.
Robert J. Taylor (PM 25).	Rm. 245, CM #2, 703-305-6027, e-mail: taylor.robert@epamail.epa.gov.	Do.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has received pesticide and feed additive petitions as follows proposing the establishment and/or amendment of regulations for residues of certain pesticide chemicals in or on various agricultural commodities.**Initial Filings**

1. *PP 5F4490.* E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., P.O. Box 80038, Wilmington, DE 19880-0038, proposes to amend 40 CFR 180.445 to increase the tolerance for residues of the herbicide methyl 2[[[[[4,6-dimethoxy-pyrimidin-2-yl)amino] carbonyl]amino]sulfonyl]methyl]benzoate to 0.5 ppm in or on the raw agricultural commodity rice straw. The petition was subsequently amended to revise the tolerance level to 0.3 ppm. (PM 23)

2. *PP 5F4547.* American Cyanamid Co., Agricultural Research Center, P.O. Box 400, Princeton, NJ 08543-0400, proposes to amend 40 CFR 180.206 by revising the established tolerance for the residues of the insecticide phorate (*O,O*-diethyl S[(ethylthio)methyl]phosphorodithioate

and its cholinesterase-inhibiting metabolites in or on the raw agricultural commodity beans, succulent at 0.1 ppm and beans, dried at 0.1 ppm. The proposed analytical method for determining residues is chromatograph equipped with a flame photometric detector. (PM 14)

3. *PP 6E4679.* Rohm and Haas Company, 100 Independence Mall West, Philadelphia, PA 19106-2399, proposes to amend 40 CFR 180.842 by establishing a tolerance for the residues of the insecticide Benzoic acid (3,5-dimethyl-,1-(1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-2-(4-ethylbenzoyl) hydrazide in or on the raw agricultural commodity wine grapes at 0.5 ppm. The proposed analytical method for determining residues is HPLC separation with UV detection. (PM 10)

4. *PP 6F4649.* American Cyanamid Co., P.O. Box 400, Princeton, NJ 08543-0400, proposes to amend 40 CFR part 180 by establishing a tolerance for the residues of the herbicide AC 299,263,(±)-2-[4,5-dihydro-4-methyl-4-(1-methylethyl)-5-oxo-1*H*-imidazol-2-yl]-5-

(methoxymethyl)-3-pyridine carboxylate acid in or on soybeans at 0.1 ppm. The proposed analytical method for determining residues is HPLC. (PM 25)

5. *PP 6F4676.* ISK Bioscience Corporation, 5966 Heisley Road, P.O. Box 8000, Mentor, OH 44061-8000 proposes to amend 40 CFR 180.275 by establishing a tolerance for the residues of the fungicide Chlorothalonil (tetrachloroisophthalonitrile) and its metabolite, 4-hydroxy-2,5,6-trichloroisophthalonitrile in or on the raw agricultural commodity non-bell peppers at 5.0 ppm. (PM 22)

6. *PP 6F4680.* Drexel Chemical Co, P.O. Box 13327 Memphis, TN 38113-0327, proposes amending 40 CFR 180.106 by establishing a tolerance for residues of the herbicide diuron (3-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-1,1-dimethylurea) in or on the raw agricultural commodity catfish at 1 part per million. The analytical method is liquid chromatography (HPLC). (PM-25)

7. *FAP 6F4682.* Gustafson, Incorporated, P.O. Box 669965, Dallas,

Texas 75266-0065, proposes to amend 40 CFR 180.472 by establishing a regulation to permit the residues of the insecticide/miticide imidacloprid (1, [chloro-3-pyridinyl]methyl-*N*-nitro-2-imidazolidinimine on the raw agricultural commodities field corn, forage at 0.10 ppm, field corn, fodder at 0.20 ppm and field corn, grain at 0.05 ppm.

8. *PP 6H5743*. Agrevo Environmental Health, 95 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Montvale, NJ 07645 proposes to amend 40 CFR parts 185 and 186 by establishing tolerances at 3 ppm for residues of the insecticide *d*-trans-chrysanthemum monocarboxylic acid ester of *dl*-2-allyl-4-hydroxy-3-methyl-2-cyclopenten-1-one in or on all food items in food handling establishments and all feed handling establishments when applied in accordance with conditions prescribed in the pesticide petition. (PM 10)

A record has been established for this rulemaking under docket number [PF-649] (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The public record is located in Room 1132 of the Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

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List of Subjects

Environmental protection,
Administrative practice and procedure,

Agricultural commodities, Animal feeds, and Pesticide and pests.

Dated: April 11, 1996.

Stephne L. Johnson,

Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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[5435-4]

Proposed Prospective Purchaser Agreement for the Former Vygen Corporation and Olin Corporation Facilities at the Fields Brook Superfund Site; 42 U.S.C. 9622(h)

AGENCY: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("U.S. EPA").

ACTION: Proposal of Prospective Purchaser Agreement for the former Vygen Corporation and Olin Corporation facilities at the Fields Brook Superfund Site.

SUMMARY: U.S. EPA proposes to address the prospective purchase by Vision Properties, Inc. ("the Settling Respondent") of the Vygen property ("the Property"), which contains the former Vygen Corporation and Olin Corporation facilities at the Fields Brook Superfund site ("the Site") in Ashtabula County, Ohio. The Site consists of Fields Brook and its watershed and contains a number of industrial facilities including the former Vygen and Olin facilities. U.S. EPA intends to enter into a Prospective Purchaser Agreement ("Agreement") with the Settling Respondent in order to address the potential liability of the Settling Respondent. The key terms and conditions of the Agreement may be briefly summarized as follows: (1) The Settling Respondent agrees to, in regard to the Property, (a) collect and remove all existing sediment from within the existing storm sewers and the concrete pond and bring such sediment to an acceptable off-site landfill, and upgrade the storm sewers on the Property to prevent Property contamination from having an easy route for release to Fields Brook; and/or (b) collect and remove all existing sediment from the concrete pond, plug all existing storm sewers and storm drainage outflow pipes and if Settling Respondent also plans to replace the existing storm sewer system with a stormwater drainage system, it shall avoid areas of the Property which have been contaminated from previous site activities; (2) the Settling Respondent agrees to grant to EPA and Ohio an irrevocable right of access at all

reasonable times to the Property and to any other property to which access is required for the implementation of response actions at the Site, for the purposes of performing and overseeing response actions at the Site under Federal law; and (3) U.S. EPA affords the Settling Respondent a covenant not to sue or take any other civil or administrative action against Settling Respondent for any and all civil liability for injunctive relief or reimbursement of response costs pursuant to Section 106 or 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606 or 9607(a) with respect to the Existing Contamination. The Site is on the National Priorities List (NPL) and further response activities at the Site are contemplated, but these activities are not anticipated to involve the Vygen and Olin facilities.

DATES: Comments on the proposed AOC must be received by U.S. EPA on or before May 28, 1996.

ADDRESSES: A copy of the proposed AOC is available for review at U.S. EPA, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. Please contact Michael Berman at (312) 886-6837, prior to visiting the Region 5 office.

Comments on the proposed AOC should be addressed to Michael Berman, Office of Regional Counsel, U.S. EPA, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard (Mail Code CS-29A), Chicago, Illinois 60604.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael Berman at (312) 886-6837, of the U.S. EPA Region 5 Office of Regional Counsel.

A 30-day period, commencing on the date of publication of this notice, is open pursuant to Section 122(i) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), for comments on the proposed AOC. Comments should be sent to the addressee identified in this notice.

Valdas V. Adamkus,

Regional Administrator, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collections being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission; Comments Requested

April 18, 1996.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the