

for infants or children. The standard uncertainty factor of 100x should be used for all segments of the human population when calculating risks associated with chlorothalonil.

F. International Tolerances

A maximum residue level has not been set for chlorothalonil on almonds by the Codex Alimentarius Commission.

II. Public Record

EPA invites interested persons to submit comments on this notice of filing. Comments must bear a notation indicating the docket number [PF-708].

A record has been established for this notice of filing under docket number [PF-708] 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 8:30 a.m. to 4 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.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at:
opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov

Electronic comments must be submitted as ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption.

The official record for this notice of filing, as well as the public version, as described above will be kept in paper form. Accordingly, EPA will transfer all comments received electronically into printed paper form as they are received and will place the paper copies in the official record which will also include all comments submitted directly in writing. The official record is the paper record maintained at the address in "ADDRESSES" at the beginning of this document.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Administrative practice and procedure, Agricultural commodities, Pesticides and pests, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Dated: February 7, 1997.

Donald R. Stubb,

Acting Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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[OPP-50825; FRL-5587-6]

Receipt of an Application for an Experimental Use Permit of a Plant-Pesticide

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On November 15, 1996, EPA received an application from Rogers Seed Company for an experimental use permit (EUP) for the plant-pesticide *Bacillus thuringiensis* CryIA(b) delta-endotoxin and the genetic material (plasmid vector pZ01502) necessary for its production in corn. The Agency has determined that this application may be of regional and national significance. Therefore in accordance with 40 CFR 172.11(a), the Agency is soliciting public comments on this application.

DATES: Written comments must be received by March 17, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Written comments, in triplicate, should bear the docket control number OPP-50825 and be submitted 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, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Crystal City, 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 control number "OPP-50825." No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments on this document may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this document 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 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. 1132 at the Virginia address given above from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: Mike Mendelsohn, Regulatory Action Leader, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division, Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location, telephone number, and e-mail address: 5th Floor, Westfield Building North Tower, 2800 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA, (703) 308-8715, e-mail: mendelsohn.mike@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On November 15, 1996, EPA received an EUP application from Rogers Seed Company, 600 N. Armstrong Pl., Boise, Idaho 83704. The EUP application is assigned EPA File Symbol 65268-EUP-R. Rogers Seed has applied to test sweet corn on a total of 7,730 acres in California, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Iowa, Illinois, Kentucky, Maryland, Minnesota, Washington, and Wisconsin.

Upon review of the Rogers Seed application, any comments received in response to this notice and any other relevant information, the U.S. EPA will set conditions under which the experiments will be conducted. Any issuance of an EUP amendment approval will be announced in the Federal Register.

Dated: January 30, 1997.

Janet L. Andersen,

Director, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collections Submitted to OMB for Review and Approval

February 7, 1997.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commission, 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

following proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimates; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before March 17, 1997. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Direct all comments to Dorothy Conway, Federal Communications Commission, Room 234, 1919 M St., N.W., Washington, DC 20554 or via internet to dconway@fcc.gov and Timothy Fain, OMB Desk Officer, 10236 NEOB, 725 17th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20503 or fain_t@a1.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Dorothy Conway at 202-418-0217 or via internet at dconway@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Approval No.: 3060-0397.
Title: Special Temporary Authority, Section 15.7(a).
Form No.: N/A.
Type of Review: Reinstatement without change of a previously approved collection.
Respondents: Businesses or others for profit.
Number of Respondents: 2.
Estimate Hour Per Response: 6 hours per response.
Total Annual Burden: 12 hours.
Needs and Uses: In exceptional situations, the Commission will consider an individual application for a special temporary authorization to

operate a device not conforming with Part 15 of the Rules. Consideration will be given to an applicant who can demonstrate that the proposed operation would be in the public interest, that it is for a unique type of station or for a type of operation which is incapable of being established as a regular service, and that the proposed operation cannot feasibly be conducted under the Part 15 rules.

Federal Communications Commission.
 William F. Caton,
Acting Secretary.
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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Security for the Protection of the Public Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Performance)

Notice is hereby given that the following have been issued a Certificate of Financial Responsibility for Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of Section 3, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(e)) and the Federal Maritime Commission's implementing regulations at 46 CFR Part 540, as amended:

Carnival Corporation, 3655 NW. 87th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33178-2193
 Vessels: *Elation* and *Paradise*
 Disney Cruise Vacations, Inc. and Magical Cruise Company, Limited, 210 Celebration Place, Celebration, Florida 34747
 Vessels: *Disney Magic* and *Disney Wonder*

Dated: February 10, 1997.
 Joseph C. Polking,
Secretary.
 [FR Doc. 97-3581 Filed 2-12-97; 8:45 am]
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Security for the Protection of the Public Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation; Notice of Filing an Application for Certificate (Performance)

Notice is hereby given that the following have filed an application for a Certificate of Financial Responsibility for Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of Section 3, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. § 817(e)) and the Federal Maritime Commission's implementing regulations at 46 C.F.R. Part 540, as amended:

RiverBarge Excursion Lines, Inc., 201 Opelousas Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana 70114

Vessel: *River Explorer*

Saga International Holidays, Ltd. and Saga Holidays Limited, The Saga Building, Middleburg Square, Folkestone CT20 1AZ, England

Vessel: *Saga Rose*

Dated: February 10, 1997.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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Security for the Protection of the Public Financial Responsibility To Meet Liability Incurred for Death or Injury to Passengers or Other Persons on Voyages; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Casualty)

Notice is hereby given that the following have been issued a Certificate of Financial Responsibility to meet Liability Incurred for Death or Injury to Passengers or Other Persons on Voyages pursuant to the provisions of Section 2, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(d)) and the Federal Maritime Commission's implementing regulations at 46 CFR Part 540, as amended:

Showa Line Ltd., Showa Cruise Management Ltd., Magpie Shipping S.A. and Oceanic Cruise Ltd., 2-3 Ochisaiwaicho 2 Chome Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100, Japan
 Vessel: *Oceanic Grace*

Dated: February 10, 1997.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank