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Additional information about the proposed project is available from Paul McKee in the Commission's Office of External Affairs at (202) 208-1088.

Lois D. Cashell,

Secretary.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5816-1]

OMB Review of Pesticide Information Collection Activities

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the Information Collection Request (ICR) abstracted below has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The ICR describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden; where appropriate, it includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before May 27, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CALL: Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202) 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 1249.05.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Record Keeping Requirements for Certified Applicators Using 1080 Collars for Livestock Protection.

ICR No.: OMB Control No. 2070-0074; EPA ICR No. 1249.05.

Expiration Date: May 31, 1997. This is a request for an extension of a currently approved information collection activity.

Abstract: As a condition of the Sodium Monofluoroacetate (Compound 1080) registration, the EPA has required submission of annual reports monitoring use of all of Livestock Protection Collar products. This ICR is a recordkeeping activity in which respondents keep records of: (a) Number of collars purchased; (b) number of collars placed on livestock; (c) number

of collars punctured or ruptured; (d) apparent cause of puncture or rupture; (e) number of collars lost or unrecovered; (f) number of collars in use and in storage; and (g) location and species data on each animal poisoned as an apparent result of the toxic collar. As a condition of registration, the EPA has required submission of annual reports monitoring use of all of Livestock Protection Collar products as required by a 1982 court decision. The main purpose of the recordkeeping requirements is to promote responsible use and handling, and the main purpose for requiring monitoring reports is to establish a process through which it is mandatory to inform the EPA of the results of collar use.

Parties affected by this information collection are registrants of 1080 collars, the state lead agencies of participating states, and certified pesticide applicators using the 1080 collars for livestock protection.

Burden Statement: The annual respondent burden for the 1080 Livestock Collar Program is estimated to average 32 hours per certified applicator, 77 hours per state, and 9 hours per registrant participating in the program. This estimate includes the time needed for: planning activities, creating information, gathering information, processing, compiling, and reviewing information for accuracy, recording, disclosing or displaying the information, and storing, filing, and maintaining the data. Third party notification is included in this ICR as the applicators are reporting to state lead agencies. No person is required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are displayed in 40 CFR Part 9.

Respondents/Affected Entities: registrants and applicators of 1080 collars, and participating States.

Estimated No. of Respondents: 161.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 6,439 hours.

Frequency of Collection: annual.

Send comments regarding the burden estimate, or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the following addresses. Please refer to EPA No. 1249.05 and OMB Control No. 2070-0074 in any correspondence.

Ms. Sandy Farmer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Regulatory Information Division (2137), 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460 and

Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and

Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for EPA, 725 17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: April 17, 1997.

Richard T. Westlund,

Acting Director, Regulatory Information Division.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL-5815-9]

Toxic Chemicals; Substantial Risk Information Reporting; Submission of ICR No. 0794 to OMB; Information Collection Activities

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of submission to OMB.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), this notice announces that the Information Collection Request (ICR) entitled: Notification of Substantial Risk of Injury to Health and the Environment under Section 8(e) of the Toxic Substances Control Act [EPA ICR No. 0794.08; OMB Control No. 2070-0046] has been forwarded to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval pursuant to the OMB procedures in 5 CFR 1320.12. The ICR, which is abstracted below, describes the nature of the information collection and its estimated cost and burden.

The Agency is requesting that OMB renew for 3 years the existing approval for this ICR, which is scheduled to expire on June 30, 1997. A **Federal Register** notice announcing the Agency's intent to seek the renewal of this ICR and the 60-day public comment opportunity, requesting comments on the request and the contents of the ICR, was issued on November 12, 1996 (61 FR 58065). EPA did not receive any comments on this ICR during the comment period.

DATES: Additional comments may be submitted on or before [Insert date 30 days after publication in the **Federal Register**].

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR A COPY CONTACT: Sandy Farmer at EPA, (202) 260-2740, and refer to EPA ICR No. 0794.08 and OMB Control No. 2070-0046.

ADDRESSES: Send comments, referencing EPA ICR No. 0794.08 and OMB Control No. 2070-0046, to the following addresses: