

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: *By mail:* Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460.

In person or by telephone: Contact the designated person at the following address at the office location, telephone number, or e-mail address cited in each EUP: 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. 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 conduct or sponsor research on 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 action, consult the designated contact person listed for the individual EUP.

B. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

You may obtain electronic copies of this document from the EPA Internet home page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. On the Home Page select "Laws and Regulations," "Regulations and Proposed Rules," 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/>.

II. EUPs

EPA has issued the following EUPs: 68467-EUP-4, 29964-EUP-2, and 524-EUP-93. Issuance, Amendment, and Amendment/Extension. Mycogen Seeds c/o Dow AgroSciences LLC, 9330 Zionsville Road, Indianapolis, IN 46268, Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., 7250 NW 62nd Avenue, Johnston, IA 5013, and Monsanto Company, 700 Chesterfield Parkway North, St. Louis, MO 63198. These EUPs allow the use of the plant-incorporated protectants *Bacillus thuringiensis* Cry1F protein and the genetic material necessary for its production (from the insert of plasmid PHP 12537) in corn (moCry1F corn) and *Bacillus thuringiensis* Cry3Bb protein and the genetic material necessary for its production (vector ZMIR13L) in corn. The EUP issued to Mycogen Seeds c/o Dow AgroSciences allowed the planting of 354 acres of field corn to conduct insect resistance management,

agronomic observation, breeding and observation nursery, efficacy, hybrid production plot, and herbicide tolerance study trials. The Mycogen Seeds' program is authorized in the States of California, Colorado, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

The EUP issued to Pioneer Hi-Bred allowed the planting of 140 acres of field corn to conduct insect resistance management, agronomic observation, breeding and observation nursery, demonstration, efficacy, hybrid production plot, non-target organism, herbicide residue, and herbicide tolerance trials as well as grain and plant tissue production for feeding trials and regulatory studies. The Pioneer Hi-Bred program is authorized in the States of California, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, Wisconsin, and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

The EUP amendment for Monsanto lifted the crop destruct requirement of the Agency's April 27, 2001 4,000 acre EUP approval. The EUP amendment/extension for Monsanto allowed the planting of 9,400 acres of field corn to conduct insect resistance management, breeding and observation nursery, efficacy, non-target organism and benefit, seed treatment, inbred seed increase production for further testing and product development, and line per se and hybrid yield trials, as well as grain and plant tissue production for regulatory studies. The Monsanto program is authorized in the States of Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Wisconsin, and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico.

These EUPs are effective from April 5, 2002 to April 30, 2002 for Monsanto's amendment lifting the crop destruct provision for the 4,000 acre EUP, from April 10, 2002 to February 28, 2003 for Monsanto's 9,400 acre EUP amendment/extension, April 10, 2002 to March 31, 2003 for Mycogen Seeds, and April 10, 2002 to April 30, 2003 for Pioneer Hi-Bred. Tolerance exemptions have been established for residues of the active ingredients in or on field corn, sweet corn, or popcorn in 40 CFR 180.1214

and 180.1217. The Pioneer Hi-Bred and Mycogen Seeds moCry1F EUPs notice of receipt elicited a comment concerning issues related to the testing of plant-incorporated protectants not covered by a tolerance exemption. The corn grown under their EUPs is covered by a tolerance exemption. The 9,400 acre Monsanto EUP notice of receipt elicited a number of comments from farmers, seed dealers, and academicians supporting approval of the permit extension/amendment.

Further information regarding these EUPs are found with the **Federal Register** notices of receipt, docket numbers OPP-50875B and OPP-50875C (Monsanto) and OPP-50881 (Mycogen Seeds and Pioneer Hi-Bred). (Mike Mendelsohn; Rm. 910W16, Crystal Mall #2; telephone number: (703) 308-8715; e-mail address: mendelsohn.mike@epa.gov).

Persons wishing to review these EUPs are referred to the designated contact person. Inquiries concerning these permits should be directed to the persons cited above. It is suggested that interested persons call before visiting the EPA office, so that the appropriate file may be made available for inspection purposes from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 136.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection,
Experimental use permits.

Dated: June 14, 2002.

Janet L. Andersen,

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

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-2002-0079; FRL-7181-8]

Availability of the Tolerance Reassessment Decision (TRED) for Linuron

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the availability of the tolerance reassessment decision document for linuron. The linuron overview and decision document have been developed as part of the public participation process that EPA and the

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) are now using for involving the public in the reassessment of pesticide tolerances as a result of the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA), and in the reregistration of individual pesticides under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA).

DATES: Comments, identified by docket ID number OPP-2002-0079, must be received by EPA on or before July 26, 2002.

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 ID number OPP-2002-0079 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dirk Helder, Special Review and Reregistration Division (7508W), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (703) 305-4610; e-mail address: Helder.Dirk@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general, nevertheless, a wide range of stakeholders will be interested in obtaining the tolerance reassessment decision document for linuron, including environmental, human health, and agricultural advocates; the chemical industry; pesticide users; and members of the public interested in the use of pesticides on food. Since other entities also may be interested, 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 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 electronic copies of this document, and certain other related documents that might be available electronically, from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. On the Home Page select "Laws and Regulations," "Regulations and Proposed Rules," 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/fedrstr/>. In addition, copies of the pesticide FQPA and interim risk management decision documents released to the public may also be accessed at <http://www.epa.gov/pesticides/reregistration/status.htm>.

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket ID number OPP-2002-0079. The official record consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, 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 Hwy., Arlington, VA, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

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 ID number OPP-2002-0079 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

1. *By mail.* Submit your comments to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460.

2. *In person or by courier.* Deliver your comments to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP), Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA. The PIRIB is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

3. *Electronically.* You may submit your comments electronically by e-mail to: opp-docket@epa.gov, or you can

submit a computer disk as described above. Do not submit any information electronically that you consider to be CBI. Avoid the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Electronic submissions will be accepted in WordPerfect 6.1/8.0/9.0 or ASCII file format. All comments in electronic form must be identified by docket ID number OPP-2002-0079. 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**.

III. What Action is the Agency Taking?

EPA has assessed the risks of linuron and is reporting on the FQPA Tolerance Reassessment Decision for this pesticide. EPA completed the Linuron Reregistration Eligibility Decision (RED) prior to the 1996 enactment of the Food and Quality Protection Act; therefore, while no reregistration decision is required at present, risks from non-occupational exposure to linuron through food, drinking water, and residential uses must be reassessed. There are no residential uses of linuron. The Agency has reassessed the 40 tolerances for linuron and determined that residues in food and drinking water are not expected to pose risk concerns. In addition, three new tolerances are proposed for use on cotton gin by-products (9.0 parts per million (ppm)), celeriac (1.0 ppm), and rhubarb (0.5 ppm). Final tolerances are being proposed as part of this Tolerance Reassessment Decision (TRED). Some tolerances may be revised once additional confirmatory field trial data have been submitted to and reviewed by the Agency. In addition, occupational and ecological risk management

decisions were made as part of the 1995 Linuron RED and have been implemented. However, two new minor uses were established for linuron as part of the tolerance reassessment process for use on celeriac and rhubarb. An occupational risk assessment was performed for these two new uses and they do not present risks of concern for the Agency.

EPA works extensively with affected parties to reach the decisions presented in the FQPA tolerance reassessment decision documents. This Notice announces the availability of the linuron overview and decision document which report on FQPA tolerance reassessment and risk management decisions. These and additional supporting documents are available on the internet at <http://www.epa.gov/pesticides/reregistration/status.htm> and in the public docket, OPP-2002-0079. This Notice also announces the beginning of a 30-day public comment period. The docket is open and any comments submitted will be placed in the public docket for consideration. In the absence of substantive comments, the tolerance reassessment decision for linuron will be considered final.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Chemicals, Pesticides and pests.

Dated: June 17, 2002.

Lois A. Rossi,

Director, Special Review and Reregistration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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FEDERAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS ADVISORY BOARD

Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting for July 2002.

Board Action: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463), as amended, and the FASAB Rules of Procedure, as amended in October, 1999, notice is hereby given that the Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board (FASAB) will meet on Monday, July 29 and Tuesday, July 30, 2002, in room 5N30 of the GAO Building, beginning at 9 a.m. and concluding at 5 p.m. each day.

The purpose of the meeting is an educational program designed to cover federal financial management issues for three newly appointed Board members.

Following the July meeting, the schedule for the next three meetings of the Board is as follows:

—Wednesday and Thursday, August 7 and 8, 2002;

—Wednesday and Thursday, October 9 and 10, 2002;

—Wednesday and Thursday, December 11 and 12, 2002.

The purpose of these meetings will be to discuss issues related to:

—Stewardship Reporting;

—National Defense Property, Plant & Equipment;

—Accounting and Auditing Policy Committee issues; and

—Any other topics as needed.

A more detailed agenda for each Board meeting can be seen on the FASAB Web site www.fasab.gov one week prior to each meeting. The August, October and December meetings will be held in room 7C13 of the GAO Building.

Any interested person may attend the meetings as an observer. Board discussion and reviews are open to the public. GAO Building security requires advance notice of your attendance. For the July meeting, please notify FASAB by July 22 of your planned attendance by calling 202-512-7350, and for the subsequent meetings one day prior to the respective meeting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wendy Comes, Executive Director, 441 G St., NW., Mailstop 6K17V, Washington, DC 20548, or call (202) 512-7350.

Authority: Federal Advisory Committee Act. Pub. L. No. 92-463.

Dated: June 20, 2002.

Wendy M. Comes,

Executive Director.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Report No. AUC-02-46-A (Auction No. 46); DA 02-1257]

1392-1395 and 1432-1435 MHz, 1390-1392 MHz, 1670-1675 MHz, and 2385-2390 MHz Bands Auction Scheduled for September 18, 2002; Comment Sought on Reserve Prices or Minimum Opening Bids and Other Auction Procedural Issues

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This document announces the auction of licenses in the paired 1392-1395 and 1432-1435 MHz bands and in

the unpaired 1390-1392 MHz, 1670-1675 MHz, and the 2385-2390 MHz bands ("Auction No. 46") scheduled to commence on September 18, 2002. Auction No. 46 will include 66 licenses. This document also seeks comment on reserve prices or minimum opening bids and other auction procedural issues.

DATES: Comments are due on or before June 6, 2002, and reply comments are due on or before June 13, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Comments and reply comments must be sent by electronic mail to the following address: auction46@fcc.gov. The electronic mail containing the comments or reply comments must include a subject or caption referring to Auction No. 46 Comments. The Bureau requests that parties format any attachments to electronic mail as Adobe® Acrobat® (pdf) or Microsoft® Word documents. Copies of comments and reply comments will be available for public inspection during regular business hours in the FCC Public Reference Room, Room CY-A257, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For legal questions: David Hu (202) 418-0660. For general auction questions: Lyle Ishida (202) 418-0660 or Lisa Stover (717) 338-2888. For service rule questions: Brian Marenco (202) 418-0838.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of the *Auction No. 46 Comment Public Notice* released May 24, 2002. The complete text of the *Auction No. 46 Comment Public Notice*, including attachments, is available for public inspection and copying during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC, 20554. The Auction No. 46 Comment Public Notice may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC, 20554, telephone 202-863-2893, facsimile 202-863-2898, or via e-mail qualexint@aol.com.

1. The *Auction No. 46 Comment Public Notice* announces the auction of licenses in the paired 1392-1395 and 1432-1435 MHz bands and in the unpaired 1390-1392 MHz, 1670-1675 MHz, and the 2385-2390 MHz bands ("Auction No. 46") scheduled to commence on September 18, 2002. Auction No. 46 will include 66 licenses. In Auction No. 46, one 2-megahertz block of unpaired spectrum in the 1390-1392 MHz band will be offered in each of 52 geographic areas known as Major Economic Areas (MEAs). Additionally,