

could meet all of the project specifications.

Furthermore, the purpose of the ARRA provisions was to stimulate economic recovery by funding current infrastructure construction, not to delay projects that are already shovel ready by requiring entities, like the Utility, to revise their design and potentially choose a more costly and less effective project. The implementation of ARRA Buy American requirements on such projects eligible for DWSRF assistance would result in unreasonable delay and thus displace the "shovel ready" status for this project. To further delay construction is in direct conflict with the most fundamental economic purposes of ARRA, to create or retain jobs.

The Drinking Water Unit has reviewed this waiver request and has determined that the supporting documentation provided by the Utility is sufficient to meet the following criteria listed under Section 1605(b) and in the April 28, 2009, Implementation of Buy American provisions of Public Law 111–5, the "American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009."

**Memorandum:** Iron, steel, and the manufactured goods are not produced in the United States in sufficient and reasonably available quantities and of a satisfactory quality. The basis for this project waiver is the authorization provided in Section 1605(b)(2), due to the lack of production of this product in the United States in sufficient and reasonably available quantities and of a satisfactory quality in order to meet the Utility's design specifications.

The March 31, 2009 Delegation of Authority Memorandum provided Regional Administrators with the authority to issue exceptions to Section 1605 of ARRA within the geographic boundaries of their respective regions and with respect to requests by individual assistance recipients. Having established both a proper basis to specify the particular good required for this project, and, that this manufactured good was not available from a manufacturer in the United States, the Utility is hereby granted a waiver from the Buy American requirements of Section 1605(a) of Public Law 111–5 for the purchase of a magnetic flow meter, manufactured in Mexico, for the distribution system improvement project specified in the Utility's waiver request of July 27, 2011. This supplementary information constitutes the detailed written justification required by Section 1605(c) for waivers based on a finding under subsection (b).

**Authority:** Public Law 111–5, section 1605.

Dated: September 29, 2011.

**Dennis J. McLerran,**  
Regional Administrator, EPA, Region 10.  
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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

### [EPA–HQ–OPP–2011–0004; FRL–8891–7]

#### Pesticide Products; Registration Applications

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** EPA has received applications to register pesticide products containing active ingredients not included in any previously registered pesticide products. Pursuant to the provisions of section 3(c)(4) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), EPA is hereby providing notice of receipt and opportunity to comment on these applications.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before November 14, 2011.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, identified by the docket identification (ID) number listed at the end of each registration application summary by one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the on-line instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP) Regulatory Public Docket (7502P), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001.
- *Delivery:* OPP Regulatory Public Docket (7502P), Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. S–4400, One Potomac Yard (South Bldg.), 2777 S. Crystal Dr., Arlington, VA. Deliveries are only accepted during the Docket Facility's normal hours of operation (8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays). Special arrangements should be made for deliveries of boxed information. The Docket Facility telephone number is (703) 305–5805.

**Instructions:** Direct your comments to docket ID number EPA–HQ–OPP–2011–0004. EPA's policy is that all comments received will be included in the docket without change and may be made available on-line at <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided, unless the comment includes information claimed to be Confidential Business

Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. Do not submit information that you consider to be CBI or otherwise protected through regulations.gov or e-mail. The regulations.gov Web site is an "anonymous access" system, which means EPA will not know your identity or contact information unless you provide it in the body of your comment. If you send an e-mail comment directly to EPA without going through regulations.gov, your e-mail address will be automatically captured and included as part of the comment that is placed in the docket and made available on the Internet. If you submit an electronic comment, EPA recommends that you include your name and other contact information in the body of your comment and with any disk or CD–ROM you submit. If EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties and cannot contact you for clarification, EPA may not be able to consider your comment. Electronic files should avoid the use of special characters, any form of encryption, and be free of any defects or viruses.

**Docket:** All documents in the docket are listed in the docket index available at <http://www.regulations.gov>. Although listed in the index, some information is not publicly available, e.g., CBI or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. Certain other material, such as copyrighted material, is not placed on the Internet and will be publicly available only in hard copy form. Publicly available docket materials are available either in the electronic docket at <http://www.regulations.gov>, or, if only available in hard copy, at the OPP Regulatory Public Docket in Rm. S–4400, One Potomac Yard (South Bldg.), 2777 S. Crystal Dr., Arlington, VA. The hours of operation of this Docket Facility are from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The Docket Facility telephone number is (703) 305–5805.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** The Regulatory Action Leader listed at the end of each registration application summary. The mailing address for each contact person is: Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division, Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania, Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. General Information

###### A. Does This Action Apply to Me?

You may be potentially affected by this action if you are an agricultural

producer, food manufacturer, or pesticide manufacturer. Potentially affected entities may include, but are not limited to:

- Crop production (NAICS code 111).
- Animal production (NAICS code 112).
- Food manufacturing (NAICS code 311).
- Pesticide manufacturing (NAICS code 32532).

This listing is not intended to be exhaustive, but rather provides a guide for readers regarding entities likely to be affected by this action. Other types of entities not listed in this unit could also be affected. The North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) codes have been provided to assist you and others in determining whether this action might apply to certain entities. 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. What Should I Consider as I Prepare My Comments for EPA?**

**1. Submitting CBI.** Do not submit this information to EPA through regulations.gov or e-mail. Clearly mark the part or all of the information that you claim to be CBI. For CBI information in a disk or CD-ROM that you mail to EPA, mark the outside of the disk or CD-ROM as CBI and then identify electronically within the disk or CD-ROM the specific information that is claimed as CBI. In addition to one complete version of the comment that includes 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 docket. Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2.

**2. Tips for preparing your comments.** When submitting comments, remember to:

i. Identify the document by docket ID number and other identifying information (subject heading, **Federal Register** date and page number).

ii. Follow directions. The Agency may ask you to respond to specific questions or organize comments by referencing a Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) part or section number.

iii. Explain why you agree or disagree; suggest alternatives and substitute language for your requested changes.

iv. Describe any assumptions and provide any technical information and/or data that you used.

v. If you estimate potential costs or burdens, explain how you arrived at

your estimate in sufficient detail to allow for it to be reproduced.

- vi. Provide specific examples to illustrate your concerns and suggest alternatives.
- vii. Explain your views as clearly as possible, avoiding the use of profanity or personal threats.
- viii. Make sure to submit your comments by the comment period deadline identified.

**II. Registration Applications**

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**1. File symbol:** 69592-EI. **Applicant:** Agraquest, Inc., 1540 Drew Avenue, Davis, CA 95618. **Product name:** Serenade Soil DPZ. **Product type:** Fungicide. **Active ingredient:** *Bacillus subtilis* strain QST 713 variant soil at 1.57%. **Proposed classification/Use:** None/agricultural/commercial, seed treatment, residential. (Michael Glikes; (703) 305-6231; [glikes.michael@epa.gov](mailto:glikes.michael@epa.gov); EPA-HQ-2011-0774)

**2. File symbol:** 73049-UIN. **Applicant:** Valent BioSciences Corporation, 870 Technology Way, Libertyville, IL 60048. **Product name:** VBC-60236 Biological Insecticide Dry Flowable. **Product type:** Insecticide. **Active ingredient:** *Bacillus thuringiensis* subsp. *kurstaki* strain VBTS 2546 fermentation solids, spores, and insecticidal toxins at 67%. **Proposed classification/Use:** None/end use product. (Ann Sibold; (703) 305-6502; [sibold.ann@epa.gov](mailto:sibold.ann@epa.gov); EPA-HQ-2011-0769)

**3. File symbol:** 73049-UIR. **Applicant:** Valent BioSciences Corporation, 870 Technology Way, Libertyville, IL 60048. **Product name:** Foray 2 WG Biological Insecticide. **Product type:** Insecticide. **Active ingredient:** *Bacillus thuringiensis* subsp. *kurstaki* strain VBTS 2546 fermentation solids, spores, and insecticidal toxins at 67%. **Proposed classification/Use:** None/end use product. (Ann Sibold; (703) 305-6502; [sibold.ann@epa.gov](mailto:sibold.ann@epa.gov); EPA-HQ-2011-0769)

**4. File symbol:** 73049-UTI. **Applicant:** Valent BioSciences Corporation, 870 Technology Way, Libertyville, IL 60048. **Product name:** VBC-60219 Biological Insecticide Slurry. **Product type:** Insecticide. **Active ingredient:** *Bacillus thuringiensis* subsp. *kurstaki* strain

VBTS 2546 at 16%. **Proposed classification/Use:** None/manufacturing use. (Ann Sibold; (703) 305-6502; [sibold.ann@epa.gov](mailto:sibold.ann@epa.gov); EPA-HQ-2011-0769)

**5. File symbol:** 73049-UTO. **Applicant:** Valent BioSciences Corporation, 870 Technology Way, Libertyville, IL 60048. **Product name:** VBC-60225 Biological Insecticide Technical Powder. **Product type:** Insecticide. **Active ingredient:** *Bacillus thuringiensis* subsp. *kurstaki* strain VBTS 2546 at 98%. **Proposed classification/Use:** None/Manufacturing Use. (Ann Sibold; (703) 305-6502; [sibold.ann@epa.gov](mailto:sibold.ann@epa.gov); EPA-HQ-2011-0769)

**List of Subjects**

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pest.

Dated: October 3, 2011.

**Keith A Matthews,**  
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**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

**Information Collection Being Submitted for Review and Approval to the Office of Management and Budget**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Communications Commission (FCC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995. 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 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 estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; (d) ways to