

This PR Notice, when final, will supersede PR Notice 98–10, entitled “Notification, Non-notification, Minor Formulation Amendments” dated October 22, 1998, in its entirety. In addition, the guidance in this draft PR Notice allowing for additions, modifications, or deletions of mandatory or advisory statements will supersede the contrary guidance in section II of PR Notice 2000–5, dated May 10, 2000, that requires such changes be submitted by amendment.

The changes in procedure presented in this draft PR Notice are updates to clarify the scope of all registration changes accepted by notification, non-notification, and minor formation amendment for all pesticide products. The draft PR Notice adds several new minor modifications, moves some existing minor modifications to a more streamlined process (e.g., from notification to non-notification), and provides more details in the minor modification and process descriptions to enhance clarity. For example, a new minor modification in the draft PR Notice includes the use of placeholder text for certain symbols, pictures, logos, and graphics, including distributor product logos, which can be added to the master label via notification and then, once the placeholder text is on the stamped master label, the actual symbols, pictures, logos, or graphics can be added to the master label via non-notification. These changes will help reduce the burden associated with completing, submitting and processing these applications for both pesticide registrants and the Agency and provide improved efficiencies without the extra burden.

EPA is particularly interested in receiving feedback on the following proposed changes in the draft PR Notice: updated requirements under Section II.E, which refers to symbols, pictures, logos, and graphics or placeholder text for symbols, pictures, logos, and graphics being added to the master label by notification; use of a placeholder for adding state-required fertilizer restrictions; specific 100% repack product label revisions; the addition of referral statements and marketing claims; and changes to sources for certain inert ingredients, addition of certain product packaging graphics and statements, changes in state registration status, changes in warranty statement, and adjustments to certain Endangered Species Act (ESA)-related labeling language that are now being proposed to be made via non-notification.

### III. Do PR Notices contain binding requirements?

No, the draft PR Notice discussed in this document is intended to provide guidance to EPA personnel and decision makers and to pesticide registrants. While the requirements in the statutes and Agency regulations are binding on EPA and the applicants, this PR Notice, when final would not be binding on either EPA or pesticide registrants, and EPA may depart from the guidance where circumstances warrant and without prior notice. Likewise, pesticide registrants may assert that the guidance is not appropriate generally or not applicable to a specific pesticide or situation.

### IV. Statutory and Executive Order Reviews

Additional information about these statutes and Executive Orders can be found at <https://www.epa.gov/laws-regulations/laws-and-executive-orders>.

#### A. Executive Order 12866: Regulatory Planning and Review and Executive Order 13563: Improving Regulation and Regulatory Review

This action is not a significant regulatory action under Executive Order 12866 (58 FR 51735; October 4, 1993) and was therefore not submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review under Executive Orders 12866 and 13563 (76 FR 3821, January 21, 2011).

#### B. Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA)

This guidance does not create any paperwork burdens that require additional approval by OMB under the PRA, 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.* The information collection activities associated with pesticide registration are already approved by OMB under OMB Control No. 2070–0226, entitled “Consolidated Pesticide Registration Submission Portal” (EPA ICR No. 2624).

(Authority: 7 U.S.C. 136 *et seq.*)

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA–HQ–OPPT–2025–0077; FRL–12476–07–OCSPP]

#### Certain New Chemicals or Significant New Uses; Statements of Findings—July 2025 to September 2025

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires EPA to publish in the **Federal Register** a statement of its findings after its review of certain TSCA submissions when EPA makes a finding that a new chemical substance or significant new use is not likely to present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment. Such statements apply to premanufacture notices (PMNs), microbial commercial activity notices (MCANs), and significant new use notices (SNUNs) submitted to EPA under TSCA. This document presents statements of findings made by EPA on such submissions during the period from July 1, 2025, to September 30, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** The docket for this action, identified by docket identification (ID) number EPA–HQ–OPPT–2025–0077, is available online at <https://www.regulations.gov>. Additional information about dockets generally, along with instructions for visiting the docket in-person, is available at <https://www.epa.gov/dockets>.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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*For general information:* The TSCA–Hotline, ABVI-Goodwill, 422 South Clinton Ave., Rochester, NY 14620; telephone number: (202) 554–1404; email address: [TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov](mailto:TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Executive Summary

###### A. Does this action apply to me?

This action provides information that is directed to the public in general.

###### B. What action is the Agency taking?

This document lists the statements of findings made by EPA after review of submissions under TSCA section 5(a) that certain new chemical substances or significant new uses are not likely to present an unreasonable risk of injury to

health or the environment. This document presents statements of findings made by EPA during the applicable period.

*C. What is the Agency's authority for taking this action?*

TSCA section 5(a)(3) requires EPA to review a submission under TSCA section 5(a) and make specific findings pertaining to whether the substance may present unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment. Among those potential findings is that the chemical substance or significant new use is not likely to present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment per TSCA Section 5(a)(3)(C).

TSCA section 5(g) requires EPA to publish in the **Federal Register** a statement of its findings after its review of a submission under TSCA section 5(a) when EPA makes a finding that a new chemical substance or significant new use is not likely to present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment. Such statements apply to PMNs, MCANs, and SNUNs submitted to EPA under TSCA section 5.

Anyone who plans to manufacture (which includes import) a new chemical substance for a non-exempt commercial purpose and any manufacturer or processor wishing to engage in a use of a chemical substance designated by EPA as a significant new use must submit a notice to EPA at least 90 days before commencing manufacture of the new chemical substance or before engaging in the significant new use.

The submitter of a notice to EPA for which EPA has made a finding of "not likely to present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment" may commence manufacture of the chemical substance or manufacture or processing for the significant new use notwithstanding any remaining portion of the applicable review period.

**II. Statements of Findings Under TSCA Section 5(a)(3)(C)**

In this unit, EPA identifies the PMNs, MCANs and SNUNs for which EPA has made findings under TSCA section 5(a)(3)(C) that the new chemical substances or significant new uses are not likely to present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment. For the findings made during this period, the following list provides the EPA case number assigned to the TSCA section 5(a) submission and the chemical identity (generic name if the specific name is claimed as confidential).

- P-24-0139, Maleic acid, dibutyl ester, reaction products with

isophoronediamine-5-isocyanato-1-(isocyanatomethyl)-1,3,3-trimethylcyclohexane-trimethylolpropane triacrylate polymer, di-Bu maleate and di-Et maleate (Generic Name).

- P-24-0145, 2-Butenedioic acid (2Z)-, 1,4-bis(2-ethylhexyl) ester, reaction products with 5-amino-1,3,3-trimethylcyclohexanemethanamine-hexamethylene diacrylate-isophorone diisocyanate polymer and di-Bu maleate (Generic Name).

To access EPA's decision document describing the basis of the "not likely to present an unreasonable risk" finding made by EPA under TSCA section 5(a)(3)(C), lookup the specific case number at <https://www.epa.gov/reviewing-new-chemicals-under-toxic-substances-control-act-tsca/determined-not-likely>.

*Authority:* 15 U.S.C. 2601 *et seq.*

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

[EPA-HQ-OPP-2025-1906; FRL-12954-01-OCSPJ]

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed New Collection and Request for Comment; Process To Become an EPA Qualified Conservation Program (QCP) and Qualified External Party (QEP); Draft Pesticide Registration Notice**

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The EPA is announcing the availability of and seeking public comment on a draft Pesticide Registration Notice (PR Notice) entitled "Process to Become an EPA Qualified Conservation Program (QCP) and Qualified External Party (QEP)." PR Notices are issued by the Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP) to inform stakeholders about important policies, procedures, and registration related decisions, and serve to provide guidance to pesticide registrants and OPP personnel. This draft PR Notice seeks to inform interested parties of and to solicit public comment on the proposed process of becoming an EPA Qualified Conservation Program or EPA Qualified External Party. Additionally, in compliance with the Paperwork

Reduction Act (PRA), the Agency is announcing the availability of and soliciting public comment on an Information Collection Request (ICR) that EPA is planning to submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB): "Process to Become an EPA Qualified Conservation Program (QCP) or EPA Qualified External Party (QEP)" (EPA ICR No. 7807.01 and OMB Control No. 2070-NEW). This ICR represents a new request. Before submitting the ICR to OMB for review and approval under the PRA, EPA is soliciting comments on specific aspects of the information collection that is summarized in this document. The ICR and accompanying material are available in the docket for public review and comment.

**DATES:** Comments must be received on or before March 2, 2026.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit your comments, identified by docket identification (ID) number EPA-HQ-OPP-2025-1906, through the <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments. Do not submit electronically any information you consider to be CBI or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. Additional instructions on commenting or visiting the docket, along with more information about dockets generally, is available at <https://www.epa.gov/dockets>.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. General Information**

*A. Does this action apply to me?*

This action is directed to organizations who administer soil and water conservation programs and organizations/individuals with expertise in the reduction of erosion and runoff on agricultural land who advise or offer consulting services to growers/landowners. Additionally, growers and commercial applicators who apply pesticides and the general public may be interested in this action. Since a potentially broad range of entities may be interested in this action, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be interested. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this guidance to a particular entity or registration action, contact the person listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**.