



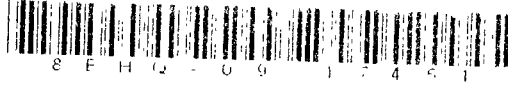
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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
EPA East Building
Confidential Business Information Center
Room 6428
Attn: TSCA Section 8(e)
1201 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004



Re: TSCA Section 8(e) Notice: Results from a Screening Acute Oral Toxicity Study in the Rat with [], A Substituted Imidazole, First Submission

Dear Section 8(e) Coordinator:

Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. requests that the specific chemical identity and code number shown in brackets in this letter be treated as Confidential Business Information. We enclose a sanitized copy of this letter for the public file.

In accordance with EPA's March 16, 1978 policy on Section 8(e) reporting under the Toxic Substances Control Act, and EPA's June 1991 TSCA Section 8(e) Reporting Guide, Syngenta Crop Protection is bringing to your attention certain information from a screening acute oral toxicity study in the rat conducted with the chemical substance []. This substance is known internally under the designation [].

In the subject study, three fasted female Han Wistar strain rats were treated with the test material at a dose level of 50 mg/kg bodyweight. The test material was administered orally as a suspension in DMSO and 0.5% CMC. Two mortalities occurred on the day of dosing. Signs of toxicity noted were hunched posture, lethargy, pilo-erection, occasional body tremors, tip-toe gait, ataxia and prostration. The surviving animal appeared normal five days after dosing. The acute oral median lethal dose (LD50) of [] in the rat was estimated as being less than 50 mg/kg bodyweight.

[] These evaluations are being conducted under the supervision of technically qualified personnel, knowledgeable in handling potentially hazardous chemicals.

Please contact the undersigned if you require additional information.

Sincerely,

Melvin R. Witcher, Jr., CIH

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