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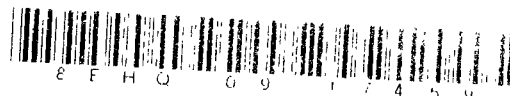
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Attention: 8(e) Coordinator
Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, ICC Building
1201 Constitution Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20004



Dear 8(e) Coordinator:

Hydroxy-chloro-cyclopropyl-heteromonocycliccarboxylic acid

This letter is to inform you of the results of a ready biodegradability assay and an acute algae assay with the test substance referenced above.

Biodegradation assay:

A ready biodegradability assay, in accordance with OECD TG 301D Closed-Bottle Test (1992), was conducted with the test substance. The percentage degradation of the test substance was 0% at 14 days and was 2.85% at the end of the 28 day test period.

Algae assay:

The acute toxicity of the test substance to algae (*Selenastrum capricornutum*) growth inhibition was assessed in accordance with OECD TG 201 (2006). Following a range-finding study, the main study was conducted at concentrations of 1, 4, 14, 50, or 150 mg/L. Analysis of the samples taken from the test solution with the nominal concentration of 150 mg/L at the start and end of the definitive test showed that the measured test substance concentration was 151 mg/L at the start and was 149 mg/L at 72-hours. At 24, 48, and 72 hours after the start of the study, the effects of the test substance on growth of algae were recorded.

Under the conditions of the study, the 72-hour EC50 of the test substance, based on nominal concentrations was 88.8 mg/L.

Sincerely,



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