

and Borrower Creditworthiness categories, criteria scores are supplemented by points awarded from the preliminary engineering feasibility analysis and preliminary creditworthiness assessment, described in the WIFIA program handbook. In order to reflect priorities and give greater consideration to a class of projects to reduce exposure to lead in the nation's drinking water systems or ensure continuous compliance with contaminant limits, EPA has added a criterion (ix) to the Project Impact category of criteria in accordance with 40 CFR 35.10055(b). The criteria are as follows:

Project Impact

(i) *15 points:* The extent to which the project is nationally or regionally significant, with respect to the generation of economic and public benefits, such as (1) the reduction of flood risk; (2) the improvement of water quality and quantity, including aquifer recharge; (3) the protection of drinking water, including source water protection; and (4) the support of international commerce. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(A); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(1).

(ii) *5 points:* The extent to which the project uses new or innovative approaches. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(D); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(3).

(iii) *5 points:* The extent to which the project (1) protects against extreme weather events, such as floods or hurricanes; or (2) helps maintain or protect the environment: 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(F); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(4) and (5).

(iv) *5 points:* The extent to which the project serves regions with significant energy exploration, development, or production areas: 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(G); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(6).

(v) *10 points:* The extent to which a project serves regions with significant water resource challenges, including the need to address (1) water quality concerns in areas of regional, national, or international significance; (2) water quantity concerns related to groundwater, surface water, or other water sources; (3) significant flood risk; (4) water resource challenges identified in existing regional, State, or multistate agreements; and (5) water resources with exceptional recreational value or ecological importance. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(H); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(7).

(vi) *10 points:* The extent to which the project addresses identified municipal, State, or regional priorities. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(I); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(8).

(vii) *20 points:* The extent to which the project addresses needs for repair, rehabilitation or replacement of a

treatment works, community water system, or aging water distribution or wastewater collection system. 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(12).

(viii) *10 points:* The extent to which the project serves economically stressed communities, or pockets of economically stressed rate payers within otherwise non-economically stressed communities. 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(13).

(ix) *20 points:* The extent to which the project reduces exposure to lead in the nation's drinking water systems or ensures continuous compliance with contaminant limits. 40 CFR 35.10055(b).

Project Readiness

(i) *50 points:* The readiness of the project to proceed toward development, including a demonstration by the obligor that there is a reasonable expectation that the contracting process for construction of the project can commence by not later than 90 days after the date on which a Federal credit instrument is obligated for the project under [WIFIA]. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(J); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(9).

(ii) *50 points:* Preliminary engineering feasibility analysis score. 33 U.S.C. 3907(a)(2); 33 U.S.C. 3907(a)(6); 40 CFR 35.10015(c); 40 CFR 35.10045(a).

Borrower Creditworthiness

(i) *10 points:* The likelihood that assistance under [WIFIA] would enable the project to proceed at an earlier date than the project would otherwise be able to proceed. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(C); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(2).

(ii) *10 points:* The extent to which the project financing plan includes public or private financing in addition to assistance under [WIFIA]. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(B); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(10).

(iii) *10 points:* The extent to which assistance under [WIFIA] reduces the contribution of Federal assistance to the project. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(K); 40 CFR 35.10055(a)(11).

(iv) *10 points:* The amount of budget authority required to fund the Federal credit instrument made available under [WIFIA]. 33 U.S.C. 3907(b)(2)(E).

(v) *60 points:* Preliminary creditworthiness assessment score. 33 U.S.C. 3907(a)(1); 40 CFR 35.10015(c); 40 CFR 35.10045(a)(1) and (4) and (b).

In addition to the selection criteria score, EPA is required by 33 U.S.C. 3902(a) to "ensure a diversity of project types and geographical locations."

Following analysis by WIFIA program staff, a final score is calculated for each project. Projects will be selected in order of score, subject, however, to the requirement to ensure a diversity of

project types and geographical locations.

The scoring scales and guidance used to evaluate each project against the selection criteria are available in the WIFIA program handbook. Prospective borrowers considering WIFIA should review the WIFIA program handbook and discuss how the project addresses each of the selection criteria in the LOI submission.

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E. Scott Pruitt,
Administrator.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA–HQ–OPP–2017–0007; FRL–9975–56]

Pesticide Product Registration; Receipt of Applications for New Active Ingredients

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has received applications to register pesticide products containing active ingredients not included in any currently registered pesticide products. Pursuant to 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 May 14, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by the Docket Identification (ID) Number and the File Symbol of interest as shown in the body of this document, by one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments. Do not submit electronically any information you consider to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.

- *Mail:* OPP Docket, Environmental Protection Agency Docket Center (EPA/DC), (28221T), 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20460–0001.

- *Hand Delivery:* To make special arrangements for hand delivery or delivery of boxed information, please follow the instructions at <http://www.epa.gov/dockets/contacts.html>. Additional instructions on commenting or visiting the docket, along with more

information about dockets generally, is available at <http://www.epa.gov/dockets>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Robert McNally, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division (7511P), main telephone number: (703) 305-7090, email address: BPPDFRNotices@epa.gov; or Michael Goodis, Registration Division (7505P), main telephone number: (703) 305-7090, email address: RDFRNotices@epa.gov. The mailing address for each contact person is: Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20460-0001. As part of the mailing address, include the contact person's name, division, and mail code. The division to contact is listed at the end of each application summary.

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. The following list of North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) codes is not intended to be exhaustive, but rather provides a guide to help readers determine whether this document applies to them. Potentially affected entities may include:

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

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](http://www.regulations.gov) or email. 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 preparing and submitting your

comments, see the commenting tips at <http://www.epa.gov/dockets/comments.html>.

II. Registration Applications

EPA has received applications to register pesticide products containing active ingredients not included in any currently registered pesticide products. Pursuant to the provisions of FIFRA section 3(c)(4) (7 U.S.C. 136a(c)(4)), EPA is hereby providing notice of receipt and opportunity to comment on these applications. Notice of receipt of these applications does not imply a decision by the Agency on these applications.

III. New Active Ingredients

1. *File Symbol:* 73729-E. *Docket ID number:* EPA-HQ-OPP-2018-0087. *Applicant:* Imerys Filtration Minerals, Inc., 2500 Miguelito Rd., Lompoc, CA 93436. *Product name:* Imergard WP. *Active ingredient:* Insecticide—Expanded perlite at 100.0%. *Proposed use:* For use indoors and outdoors to control mosquitoes. *Contact:* BPPD.

2. *File Symbol:* 80286-EA. *Docket ID numbers:* EPA-HQ-OPP-2017-0708 and EPA-HQ-OPP-2017-0709. *Applicant:* ISCA Technologies, Inc., 1230 W. Spring St., Riverside, CA 92507. *Product name:* Hook RPW. *Active ingredients:* Attractant—4-methyl-5-nonanone at 3.000%; Attractant—4-methyl-5-nonanol at 27.000%; and Insecticide—cypermethrin at 3.000%. *Proposed use:* For control of red palm weevil. *Contact:* BPPD.

3. *File Symbol:* 71840-E.O.. *Docket ID number:* EPA-HQ-OPP-2018-0059. *Applicant:* BASF Corporation, 26 Davis Dr., Research Triangle Park, NC 27709. *Product name:* Trunemco Nematode Management. *Active ingredients:* Systemic acquired resistance (SAR) inducer—cis-Jasmone (2-Cyclopenten-1-one, 3-methyl-2-(2Z)-2-pentenyl-) at 0.88% and *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* strain MBI 600 at 1.00%. *Proposed use:* Seed treatment on corn, cotton, and soybean. *Contact:* BPPD.

4. *File Symbol:* 40230-G. *Docket ID number:* EPA-HQ-OPP-2018-0051. *Applicant:* AgBioChem, Inc., 3750 North 1020 East, Provo, UT 84604. *Product name:* Galltrol-GM. *Active ingredient:* Bactericide—*Rhizobium radiobacter* strain K1026-R at 0.03%. *Proposed use:* For control of crown gall disease in germinating seeds, roots, stems, and cuttings. *Contact:* BPPD.

5. *File Symbol:* 71840-GN. *Docket ID number:* EPA-HQ-OPP-2018-0059. *Applicant:* BASF Corporation, 26 Davis Dr., Research Triangle Park, NC 27709. *Product name:* Jasmone Technical Concentrate. *Active ingredient:* Systemic

acquired resistance (SAR) inducer—cis-Jasmone (2-Cyclopenten-1-one, 3-methyl-2-(2Z)-2-pentenyl-) at 93.00%. *Proposed use:* For manufacturing end-use pesticide products containing cis-Jasmone. *Contact:* BPPD.

6. *EPA Registration Numbers:* 7969-198, 7969-251, 7969-197, 7969-199. *Docket ID number:* EPA-HQ-OPP-2017-0310. *Applicant:* BASF Corporation, P.O. Box 13528, 26 Davis Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709. *Active ingredient:* Boscalid. *Product type:* Fungicide. *Proposed use:* Brassica, leafy greens, subgroup 4-16B; celtuce; fennel, Florence; kohlrabi; leafy petiole vegetable, subgroup 22B; leafy greens, subgroup 4-16A; pea and bean, dried shelled, except soybean, subgroup 6C; pea and bean, succulent shelled, subgroup 6B; vegetable, brassica, head and stem, group 5-16; vegetable, cucurbit, group 9; vegetable, root, except sugar beet, subgroup 1B; vegetable, fruiting, group 8-10. *Contact:* RD

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Dated: March 20, 2018.

Delores Barber,

Director, Information Technology and Resources Management Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OPP-2017-0008; FRL-9975-58]

Pesticide Product Registration; Receipt of Applications for New Uses

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has received applications to register new uses for pesticide products containing currently registered active ingredients. Pursuant to 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 May 14, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by the Docket Identification (ID) Number and the File Symbol of interest as shown in the body of this document, by one of the following methods:

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