

II. 29 Notices of Commencement Received From: 05/11/98 to 05/17/98—Continued

Case No.	Received Date	Commencement/Import Date	Chemical
P-98-0335	05/07/98	04/22/98	(G) Alkyl ester of a perfluoropolyether
P-98-0336	05/07/98	04/22/98	(G) Aryl phosphonate ester of a perfluoropolyether
P-98-0343	05/15/98	04/17/98	(G) Fatty acids polymers with polyalkylene polyamines
P-98-0357	05/12/98	04/22/98	(G) Acrylic resin
P-98-0400	05/04/98	04/29/98	(S) Amines, C ₁₂₋₁₄ -tert-alkyl, sulfonates*

List of Subjects

Environmental protection,
Premanufacture notices.

Dated: August 24, 1998.

Oscar Morales,

*Acting Director, Information Management
Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and
Toxics.*

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY**

[OPPTS-51910; FRL-6022-7]

**Certain Chemicals; Premanufacture
Notices**

AGENCY: Environmental Protection
Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture or import a new chemical to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture or import of substances not on the TSCA Inventory. Section 5 of TSCA also requires EPA to publish receipt and status information in the **Federal Register** each month reporting premanufacture notices (PMN) and test marketing exemption (TME) application requests received, both pending and expired. The information in this document contains notices received from May 20, to May 31, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Written comments, identified by the document control number "[OPPTS-51910]" and the specific PMN number, if appropriate, should be sent to: Document Control Office (7407), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Rm. ETG-099 Washington, DC 20460.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the provisions of TSCA, EPA is required to publish notice of receipt and status reports of chemicals subject to section 5 reporting requirements. The notice requirements are provided in TSCA sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3). Specifically, EPA is required to provide notice of receipt of PMNs and TME application requests received. EPA also is required to identify those chemical submissions for which data has been received, the uses or intended uses of such chemicals, and the nature of any test data which may have been developed. Lastly, EPA is required to provide periodic status reports of all chemical substances undergoing review and receipt of notices of commencement.

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In this notice, EPA shall provide a consolidated report in the **Federal Register** reflecting the dates PMN requests were received, the projected notice end date, the manufacturer or importer identity, to the extent that such information is not claimed as confidential and chemical identity, either specific or generic depending on whether chemical identity has been claimed confidential. Additionally, in this same report, EPA shall provide a listing of receipt of new notices of commencement.

EPA believes the new format of the notice will be easier to understand by the interested public, and provides the information that is of greatest interest to

the public users. Certain information provided in the earlier notices will not be provided under the new format. The status reports of substances under review, potential production volume, and summaries of health and safety data will not be provided in the new notices.

EPA is not providing production volume information in the consolidated notice since such information is generally claimed as confidential. For this reason, there is no substantive loss to the public in not publishing the data. Health and safety data are not summarized in the notice since it is

recognized as impossible, given the format of this notice, as well as the previous style of notices, to provide meaningful information on the subject. In those submissions where health and safety data were received by the Agency, a footnote is included by the Manufacturer/Importer identity to indicate its existence. As stated below, interested persons may contact EPA directly to secure information on such studies.

For persons who are interested in data not included in this notice, access can be secured at EPA Headquarters in the

NCIC at the address provided above. Additionally, interested parties may telephone the Document Control Office at (202) 260-1532, TDD (202) 554-0551, for generic use information, health and safety data not claimed as confidential or status reports on section 5 filings.

Send all comments to the address listed above. All comments received will be reviewed and appropriate amendments will be made as deemed necessary.

This notice will identify: (I) PMNs received; and (II) Notices of Commencement to manufacture/import.

I. 33 Premanufacture Notices Received From: 05/20/98 to 05/31/98

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-98-0812	05/20/98	08/18/98	Shell Chemical Company	(G) Catalyst system	(G) Reaction product of alkane, 1,3-bis(bis(substituted aryl)phosphino and substituted carboxy alkyl and palladium acetate
P-98-0814	05/20/98	08/18/98	CBI	(G) Open non-dispersive (surface sizing agent)	(G) Styrene/ acrylate copolymer
P-98-0816	05/20/98	08/18/98	Shell Chemical Company	(G) Catalyst component	(G) Alkane, 1-3-bis(bis(substituted aryl)phosphino)
P-98-0817	05/21/98	08/19/98	Cerdec Corporation	(G) Pigment	(G) Mixed metal phosphoric acid salt
P-98-0818	05/21/98	08/19/98	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive	(G) Complex salt of phthalocyanine sulfonic acid and quaternary alkyl ammonium
P-98-0819	05/22/98	08/20/98	CBI	(G) Laminating adhesive	(G) NCO terminated polyurethane
P-98-0820	05/22/98	08/20/98	Mitsui Chemicals America, Inc.	(G) Surface activator	(G) Copolymer of styrene and acrylic esters
P-98-0821	05/22/98	08/20/98	Zeon America Inc.	(S) Film (electric insulation, etc); sheet (electric insulation, etc); molded articles (lenses etc.)	(G) Cycloolefin polymer
P-98-0822	05/22/98	08/20/98	U.S. Polymers Inc.	(S) This resin is used in two component isocyanate crosslinked urethane coatings	(G) Reaction product of-methyl methacrylate, <i>n</i> -butyl methacrylate, hydroxy functional methacrylate, aliphatic methacrylates and methacrylic acid*
P-98-0823	05/26/98	08/24/98	CBI	(S) Raw material for nylon -12	(S) 12-aminododecanoic acid
P-98-0824	05/22/98	08/20/98	Hoechst Celanese Corporation	(G) Structural material for the production of articles	(G) Modified polyester
P-98-0825	05/22/98	08/20/98	Hoechst Celanese Corporation	(G) Structural material for the production of articles	(G) Modified polyester
P-98-0826	05/22/98	08/20/98	Hoechst Celanese Corporation	(G) Structural material for the production of articles	(G) Modified polyester
P-98-0827	05/22/98	08/20/98	Hoechst Celanese Corporation	(G) Structural material for the production of articles	(G) Modified polyester
P-98-0828	05/22/98	08/20/98	Hoechst Celanese Corporation	(G) Structural material for the production of articles	(G) Modified polyester
P-98-0829	05/22/98	08/20/98	Hoechst Celanese Corporation	(G) Structural material for the production of articles	(G) Modified polyester
P-98-0830	05/27/98	08/25/98	CBI	(G) Open non-dispersive uses	(G) Polyisocyanate polyol prepolymer
P-98-0831	05/29/98	08/27/98	Piedmont Chemical Industries	(G) Dye fix; flocculent; paper processing	(S) Formaldehyde, polymer with 4,4'-sulfonylbis [phenol], sulfonated*
P-98-0832	05/27/98	08/25/98	CBI	(S) Lamination adhesives	(G) Polyurethane
P-98-0833	05/27/98	08/25/98	Dupont Films	(G) Open, non-dispersive use	(G) Acrylic latex
P-98-0834	05/27/98	08/25/98	Cook Composites & Polymers Co.	(S) Marine application - laminating or spray - up resin	(S) 1,2-propanediol, 3a, 4 7 a-tetrahydro-4,7-methano-1 <i>h</i> -idene and benzoic acid*
P-98-0835	05/27/98	08/25/98	Dainippon Ink and Chemicals, Inc.	(G) Coatings	(S) Castor oil, dehydrated, polymer with benzoic acid, glycerol, 2-hydroxyethyl methacrylate, me ,methacrylate, phthalic anhydride and styrene*
P-98-0836	05/26/98	08/24/98	Lambent Technologies Inc.	(G) Softener/ conditioner for fiber & fabric	(G) Guerbet ester

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Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-98-0837	05/26/98	08/24/98	CBI	(S) Component fo antifouling paint	(G) Metal complex, copolymer of substituted acrylic acid, substituted methacrylate, substituted acrylate, and ethylene glycol substituted acrylate alkyl ether
P-98-0838	06/01/98	08/30/98	CBI	(G) Surfactant rinse aid	(G) Alkali metal amino carboxylate
P-98-0839	06/01/98	08/30/98	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive use	(G) Acrylic resin
P-98-0840	06/01/98	08/30/98	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive use	(G) Polyester resin
P-98-0841	06/01/98	08/30/98	CBI	(S) A thickener in specialty greases	(G) Mixed carboxylic acids, lithium salts
P-98-0842	06/01/98	08/30/98	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive use	(G) Acrylic polymer
P-98-0843	05/28/98	08/26/98	CBI	(S) Curing agent in epoxy powder coatings; curing agent liquid epoxy adhesives	(G) Phenyl, alkyl, hydrocyalkyl substituted imidazole
P-98-0845	06/01/98	08/30/98	Champion Technologies	(S) Used as acid inhibitor in acid	(S) Amines, rosin alkyl, polymers with acetone and formaldehyde, hydrochlorides*
P-98-0846	05/29/98	08/27/98	UOP	(G) This material selectivity exchange ions of cesium and strontium in solution with ions of sodium in the crystal structure. In application 1 in section 2a the 910 powder is attached to magnetic particles and are batch slurred in milk to remove radioactive cs and sr. a magnetic field removes the particles from the milk	(S) Ca index name: niobium sodium titanium hydroxide oxide silicate*
P-98-0847	05/29/98	08/27/98	CBI	(G) Reactive oligomer for photoimageable solder resist ink which is applied to printed boards	(G) Polycarboxylic acid modified epoxy acrylate

II. 24 Notices of Commencement Received From: 05/20/98 to 05/31/98

Case No.	Received Date	Commencement/Import Date	Chemical
P-92-1204	05/26/98	04/21/98	(G) Amino-functional alkoxysilane
P-96-0729	05/20/98	04/30/98	(G) Substituted alkylenepolyamine
P-96-0731	05/20/98	04/26/98	(G) Salt of a substituted alkylenepolyamine
P-96-1503	05/18/98	04/29/98	(S) Alcohol, C ₁₄₋₁₅ , ethoxylated propoxylated*
P-97-0439	05/21/98	04/23/98	(G) Diamino-3,5-bis-4-(2-sulfoxyethylsulfonfyl phenylazo) benzenesulfonic acid, sodium salt
P-97-0517	05/18/98	05/05/98	(G) Acetoacetate polyol
P-97-0595	05/19/98	04/16/98	(S) 2-propenoic acid, polymer with ethene, ammonium sodium salt*
P-97-0874	06/01/98	04/30/98	(G) Alkyl polyoxyalkylpropanamine
P-97-0879	05/29/98	04/30/98	(G) Alkylpolyoxyalkyl propionitrile
P-97-1052	05/18/98	05/07/98	(G) Tall oil, polymer with polyol
P-97-1054	05/18/98	05/13/98	(G) Tall oil, polymer with polyol
P-97-1109	05/21/98	05/05/98	(G) Metallized azo yellow pigment
P-97-1110	05/21/98	05/05/98	(G) Metallized azo yellow pigment
P-97-1111	05/21/98	05/05/98	(G) Metallized azo yellow pigment
P-98-0059	05/18/98	04/23/98	(G) Fatty acids, esters with mono C ₁₂ -C ₁₄ alkyl ether and and tall-oil fatty carboxylates, ethoxylated
P-98-0131	05/20/98	05/18/98	(G) Styrene acrylate
P-98-0180	05/18/98	05/08/98	(G) Copolymer of aromatic diesters and alkyl polyols
P-98-0242	05/22/98	05/15/98	(G) Styrene acrylic copolymer
P-98-0244	05/27/98	04/28/98	(G) 2-naphthalenesulfonamide, <i>n,n</i> -bis(3-substituted propyl)-1-hydroxy-4-[[4-methoxy-2-(4-morpholinylsulfonfyl) phenyl] azo]-5-[(metylsulfonfyl)amino]-,sulfate (1:1)(salt)*
P-98-0252	05/22/98	05/05/98	(G) Polyurethane
P-98-0258	05/18/98	05/07/98	(G) Polyurethane prepolymer
P-98-0274	05/22/98	05/01/98	(G) Reaction modified esterof modified rosin and fatty acid
P-98-0324	05/18/98	05/15/98	(G) Reaction products formed between tannins and tallow amines in the presence of hydrochloric
P-98-0355	05/22/98	04/23/98	(G) Ketime adduct

List of Subjects

Environmental protection,
Premanufacture notices.

Dated: August 24, 1998.

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Toxics.*

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY**

[OPPTS-51911; FRL-6022-8]

**Certain Chemicals; Premanufacture
Notices**

AGENCY: Environmental Protection
Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture or import a new chemical to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture or import of substances not on the TSCA Inventory. Section 5 of TSCA also requires EPA to publish receipt and status information in the **Federal Register** each month reporting premanufacture notices (PMN) and test marketing exemption (TME) application requests received, both pending and expired. The information in this document contains notices received from June 1, to June 15, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Written comments, identified by the document control number "[OPPTS-51911]" and the specific PMN number, if appropriate, should be sent to: Document Control Office (7407), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Rm. ETG-099 Washington, DC 20460.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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