public inspection in Rm. 119 at the address given above, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Technical questions on the RED documents listed below should be directed to the appropriate Chemical Review Managers:

Chemical Name	Case No.	Chemical Review Manager	Telephone No.	e-mail Address
Acetic Acid & Salts	4001	L. Ryan	703–308–8067	Ryan.l@epamail.epa.gov
Butralin	2075	T. Luminello	703-308-3075	Luminello.t@epamail.epa.gov
Diphenylamine	2210	B. Chambliss	703–308–8174	Chambliss.b@epamail.epa.gov
Inorganic Nitrates	4052	C. Childress	703–308–8076	Childress.c@epamail.epa.gov
Mercaptobenzothiazole	2380	C. Childress	703–308–8076	Childress.c@epamail.epa.gov
P-Chloro-M-cresol	3046	T. Luminello	703–308–3075	Luminello.t@epamail.epa.gov
Propionic Acid	4078	L. Ryan	703–308–8067	Ryan.l@epamail.epa.gov
Terbacil	0039	E. Mitchell	703-308-8583	Mitchell.e@epamail.epa.gov
Thiobencarb	2665	D. Deziel	703–308–8080	Deziel.d@epamail.epa.gov
Vendex	0245	S. Jennings	703-308-8021	Jennings.s@epamail.epa.gov

To request a copy of any of the above listed RED documents, or a RED Fact Sheet, contact the OPP Pesticide Docket, Public Information and Records Integrity Branch, in Rm. 119 at the address given above or call (703) 305–5805.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Electronic Availability: Electronic copies of this document and various support documents are available from the EPA home page at the Federal Register-Environmental Documents entry for this document under "Laws and Regulations" (http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/).

The Agency has issued Reregistration Eligibility Decision (RED) documents for the pesticidal active ingredients listed above. Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended in 1988, EPA is conducting an accelerated reregistration program to reevaluate existing pesticides to make sure they meet current scientific and regulatory standards. The data base to support the reregistration of each of the chemicals listed above is substantially complete.

Please note that some of these REDs were finalized and signed prior to August 3, 1996. On that date, the Food Quality Protection Act of 1996 ("FQPA") became effective, amending portions of both the pesticide law (FIFRA) and the food and drug law (FFDCA). Therefore, the REDs which were signed prior to FQPA do not address any issues raised by FQPA, and any tolerance assessment procedures required under FQPA. These tolerances will be reassessed by the Agency under the standards set forth in FQPA in the future in accordance with a schedule for reassessing all tolerances, or as a new tolerance or action is proposed.

All registrants of products containing one or more of the above listed active

ingredients have been sent the appropriate RED documents and must respond to labeling requirements and product specific data requirements (if applicable) within 8 months of receipt. Products containing other active ingredients will not be reregistered until those other active ingredients are determined to be eligible for reregistration.

The reregistration program is being conducted under Congressionally mandated time frames, and EPA recognizes both the need to make timely reregistration decisions and to involve the public. Therefore, EPA is issuing these REDs as final documents with a 60-day comment period. Although the 60 day public comment period does not affect the registrant's response due date, it is intended to provide an opportunity for public input and a mechanism for initiating any necessary amendments to the RED. All comments will be carefully considered by the Agency. If any comment significantly affects a RED, EPA will amend the RED by publishing the amendment in the Federal Register

Electronic copies of the REDs and RED fact sheets can be downloaded from the Pesticide Special Review and Reregistration Information System at (703) 308–7224, and also can be reached on the Internet via EPA's website at: http//www.epa.gov/oppsrrd1/REDs/.

The official record for this notice, as well as the public version, has been established for this notice under docket control number "OPP-34149" (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The official

record is located at the address in "ADDRESSES" at the beginning of this document.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov

Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comment and data will also be accepted on disks in Wordperfect 5.1/6.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket control number (OPP–34149). Electronic comments on this notice may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

# **List of Subjects**

Environmental protection.

Dated: September 28, 1998.

## Jack E. Housenger,

Acting Director, Special Review and Reregistration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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# FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1250-DR]

# Alabama; Major Disaster and Related Determinations

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). **ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is a notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Alabama (FEMA-1250-DR), dated September 30, 1998, and related determinations.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** September 30, 1998 **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646–3260.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that, in a letter dated September 30, 1998, the President declared a major disaster under the authority of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*), as follows:

I have determined that the damage in certain areas of the State of Alabama resulting from Hurricane Georges on September 25, 1998, and continuing is of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant a major disaster declaration under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, P.L. 93–288, as amended ("the Stafford Act"). I, therefore, declare that such a major disaster exists in the State of Alabama.

In order to provide Federal assistance, you are hereby authorized to allocate from funds available for these purposes, such amounts as you find necessary for Federal disaster assistance and administrative expenses.

You are authorized to provide Individual Assistance and Hazard Mitigation in the designated areas and any other forms of assistance under the Stafford Act you may deem appropriate. Consistent with the requirement that Federal assistance be supplemental, any Federal funds provided under the Stafford Act for Hazard Mitigation will be limited to 75 percent of the total eligible costs. If Public Assistance is later requested and warranted, Federal funds provided under that program will also be limited to 75 percent of the total eligible costs.

The time period prescribed for the implementation of section 310(a), Priority to Certain Applications for Public Facility and Public Housing Assistance, 42 U.S.C. 5153, shall be for a period not to exceed six months after the date of this declaration.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency under Executive Order 12148, I hereby appoint Sharon Stoffel of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to act as the Federal Coordinating Officer for this declared disaster.

I do hereby determine the following areas of the State of Alabama to have been affected adversely by this declared major disaster:

Mobile, Baldwin, Washington, Clarke, Monroe, Escambia, Covington, Crenshaw, Geneva, and Coffee Counties for Individual Assistance.

All counties within the State of Alabama are eligible to apply for

assistance under the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

#### James L. Witt,

Director.

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# FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-3133-EM]

# Alabama; Emergency and Related Determinations

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This is a notice of the Presidential declaration of an emergency for the State of Alabama (FEMA–3133–DR), dated September 28, 1998, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 28, 1998.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472. (202) 646–3260.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given that, in a letter dated September 28, 1998, the President declared an emergency under the authority of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*), as follows:

I have determined that the damage in certain areas of the State of Alabama, resulting from Hurricane Georges on September 28, 1998, and continuing, is of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant an emergency declaration under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, P.L. 93–288, as amended ("the Stafford Act"). I, therefore, declare that such an emergency exists in the State of Alabama.

You are authorized to coordinate all disaster relief efforts which have the purpose of alleviating the hardship and suffering caused by the emergency on the local population, and to provide appropriate assistance for required emergency measures, authorized under Title V of the Stafford Act

to save lives, protect property and public health and safety, or to lessen or avert the threat of a catastrophe in the designated areas. Specifically, you are authorized to identify, mobilize, and provide at your discretion, equipment and resources necessary to alleviate the impacts of the disaster. I have further authorized direct Federal assistance and emergency protective measures (Category B) for the first 72 hours at 100 percent Federal funding, if deemed necessary, and debris removal (Category A) at 75 percent Federal funding. The time period for this direct Federal assistance and emergency protective measures at 100 percent Federal funding may be extended by FEMA. if warranted.

In order to provide Federal assistance, you are hereby authorized to allocate from funds available for these purposes, such amounts as you find necessary for Federal disaster assistance and administrative expenses.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency under Executive Order 12148, I hereby appoint Sharon Stoffel of the Federal Emergency Management Agency to act as the Federal Coordinating Officer for this declared disaster.

I do hereby determine the following areas of the State of Alabama to have been affected adversely by this declared emergency:

FEMA is authorized to provide appropriate assistance for required emergency measures, authorized under Title V of the Stafford Act to save lives, protect property and public health and safety, or to lessen or avert the threat of a catastrophe. Specifically, FEMA is authorized to identify, mobilize, and provide at its discretion, equipment and resources necessary to alleviate the impacts of the disaster.

Direct Federal assistance and emergency protective measures (Category B) for the first 72 hours at 100 percent Federal funding and debris removal (Category A) at 75 percent Federal funding will be provided for: Mobile, Baldwin, Washington, Clarke, Monroe and Escambia Counties.

(The following Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Numbers (CFDA) are to be used for reporting and drawing funds: 83.537, Community Disaster Loans; 83.538, Cora Brown Fund Program; 83.539, Crisis Counseling; 83.540, Disaster Legal Services Program; 83.541, Disaster Luemployment Assistance (DUA); 83.542, Fire Suppression Assistance; 83.543, Individual and Family Grant (IFG) Program; 83.544, Public Assistance Grants; 83.545, Disaster Housing Program; 83.548, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.)

### James L. Witt,

Director.

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