

Alkylolation Unit Neutralization Basins (e.g., "F037 lime sludge"). In the annual report, Exxon must also include the total quantity of waste applied at the SLTU during the last operating season and a break down of the total quantity of hazardous and of non-hazardous waste.

#### 4. Application of F037 Sewer Sludge

Exxon's application of Primary Sludge generated from the sewer system (F037 sewer sludge) to the SLTU is restricted to times when Exxon also applies API Separator Sludge (K051). Exxon must combine the F037 sewer sludge with the API Separator Sludge prior to or during application at the SLTU. Exxon shall incorporate this condition in its waste tracking system to ensure that any time F037 sewer sludge is cleared for application to the SLTU, it is accompanied by K051 waste.

#### 5. Application of F037 Lime Sludge

Exxon's application of Primary Sludge generated from the Alkylolation Unit Neutralization Basin (F037 lime sludge) to the SLTU is limited to when it has determined pH adjustment of the ZOI soils is needed according to the applicable criteria and methods identified in its Montana hazardous waste permit. For the years in which Exxon uses F037 lime sludge to adjust the pH of the ZOI soils at the SLTU, Exxon must submit to EPA the following information in the annual report: pH of the F037 lime sludge applied to the SLTU, and the other measurements and tests used to determine the need for pH adjustment as well as the quantity of F037 lime sludge applied and the quantity of any other substance (e.g., lime) used to adjust the pH of the ZOI soil at the SLTU.

#### 6. Waste Tracking

As part of its waste tracking process, Exxon must confirm receipt of analytical results for any wastes for which the hazardous status is not currently known prior to application of the waste at the SLTU. Exxon must comply with its Montana hazardous waste permit conditions with regard to restrictions on the application of waste to the SLTU, such as any restrictions based on the pH of the waste.

#### 7. Information Requests

Upon request by EPA, Exxon shall provide to the EPA within a reasonable time, any relevant information requested to determine compliance with the conditions of this variance.

#### 8. Access

Exxon shall allow EPA, or authorized representatives, upon the presentation of credentials and other documents as may be required by law to: (a) Inspect at reasonable times any records, facilities, equipment (including monitoring and control equipment), practices, or operations related to the disposal of restricted hazardous wastes at the SLTU; and (b) sample or monitor at reasonable times, for the purposes of assuring compliance with the conditions of this variance or to determine migration or as otherwise authorized by RCRA, any wastes intended or proposed for disposal at the SLTU and the soil, air, soil-pore liquids or ground water in or surrounding the SLTU.

Dated: July 11, 2000.

**Rebecca Hanmer,**

*Acting Regional Administrator, Region VIII.*

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### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPP-00670; FRL-6598-7]

#### FIFRA Scientific Advisory Panel; Notice of Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** There will be a 2-day meeting of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) and Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA) Scientific Advisory Panel (SAP) to review a set of scientific issues being considered by the Agency pertaining to an assessment of the human carcinogenic potential of malathion. The meeting is open to the public. Seating at the meeting will be on a first-come basis. Individuals requiring special accommodations at this meeting, including wheelchair access, should contact Paul Lewis at the address listed under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT" at least 5 business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on August 17 and 18 from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at Holiday Inn—Ballston, 4610 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA. The telephone number for the Holiday Inn Hotel is: (703) 243-9800.

Requests to participate may be submitted by mail, electronically, or

in person. Please follow the detailed instructions for each method as provided in Unit III. of the "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION." To ensure proper receipt by EPA, your request must identify docket control number OPP-00670 in the subject line on the first page of your response.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Paul Lewis, Designated Federal Official, Office of Science Coordination and Policy (7101C), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone number: (703) 305-5369; fax number: (703) 605-0656; e-mail address: lewis.paul@epa.gov.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. GENERAL INFORMATION

##### A. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. This action may, however, be of interest to those persons who are or may be required to conduct testing of chemical substances under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FFDCA), or FIFRA. Since other entities may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT."

##### B. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

1. *Electronically.* A meeting agenda and copies of EPA primary background documents for the meeting will be available by mid-July. You may obtain electronic copies of this document, and certain other related documents that might be available electronically, from the FIFRA SAP Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/scipoly/sap>. To access this document, on the Home Page select **Federal Register**— Notice announcing this meeting. You can also go directly to the **Federal Register** listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

2. *In person.* The Agency has established an administrative record for this meeting under docket control number OPP-00670. The administrative record consists of the documents specifically referenced in this notice, any public comments received during an applicable comment period, and other information related to an assessment of the carcinogenic potential of malathion, including any information claimed as Confidential Business Information (CBI). This administrative

record includes the documents that are physically located in the docket, as well as the documents that are referenced in those documents. The public version of the administrative record, which includes printed, paper versions of any electronic comments that may be submitted during an applicable comment period, is available for inspection in the Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

#### *C. How Can I Request to Participate in this Meeting?*

You may submit a request to participate in this meeting through the mail, in person, or electronically. Do not submit any information in your request that is considered CBI. To ensure proper receipt by EPA, it is imperative that you identify docket control number OPP-00670 in the subject line on the first page of your request. Interested persons are permitted to file written statements before the meeting. To the extent that time permits, and upon advanced written request to the person listed under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT," interested persons may be permitted by the Chair of the FIFRA SAP to present oral statements at the meeting. The request should identify the name of the individual making the presentation, the organization (if any) the individual will represent, and any requirements for audiovisual equipment (e.g., overhead projector, 35 mm projector, chalkboard, etc). There is no limit on the length of written comments for consideration by the Panel, but oral statements before the Panel are limited to approximately 5 minutes. The Agency also urges the public to submit written comments in lieu of oral presentations. Persons wishing to make oral and/or written statements should notify the person listed under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT" and submit 40 copies of the summary information. The Agency encourages that written statements be submitted before the meeting to provide Panel Members the time necessary to consider and review the comments.

1. *By mail.* You may submit a request to: Public Information and Records Integrity Branch (PIRIB), Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP), Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20460.

2. *In person or by courier.* Public Information and Records Integrity

Branch (PIRIB), Information Resources and Services Division (7502C), Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP), Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. 119, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Hwy., Arlington, VA. The PIRIB is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The PIRIB telephone number is (703) 305-5805.

3. *Electronically.* You may submit your request electronically by e-mail to: "opp-docket@epa.gov." Do not submit any information electronically that you consider to be CBI. Use WordPerfect 6.1/8.0 or ASCII file format and avoid the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Be sure to identify by docket control number OPP-00670. You may also file a request online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

## **II. Background**

### *A. Purpose of the Meeting*

This 2-day meeting concerns the evaluation of the human carcinogenic potential of malathion. In accordance with the EPA Guidelines for Carcinogen Risk Assessment (Preliminary Draft, July 1999), the EPA, Office of Pesticide Programs, has proposed to classify malathion as having "suggestive evidence of carcinogenicity but not sufficient to assess human carcinogenic potential" by all routes of exposure. This classification was based on the following factors: (1) occurrence of liver tumors in male and female B6C3F1 mice and in female Fischer 344 rats only at excessive doses; (2) the presence of a few rare tumors, oral palate mucosa in females and nasal respiratory epithelium in male and female Fischer 344 rats. These tumors cannot be distinguished as either treatment-related or due to random occurrence; (3) the evidence for mutagenicity is not supportive of a mutagenic concern in carcinogenicity; and (4) malaoxon, a structurally-related chemical, is not carcinogenic in male or female Fischer 344 rats. With the exception of one nasal and one oral tumor in female rats, all other tumor types were determined to occur at excessive doses or were unrelated to treatment with malathion. The toxicology data considered included chronic toxicity, carcinogenicity, subchronic toxicity, and mutagenicity studies on malathion and as well as carcinogenicity and mutagenicity studies on malaoxon.

### *B. Panel Report*

Copies of the Panel's report of their recommendations will be available approximately 45 working days after the meeting, and will be posted on the

FIFRA SAP web site or may be obtained by contacting the Public Information and Records Integrity Branch at the address or telephone number listed in Unit I. of this document.

## **List of Subjects**

Environmental protection.

Dated: July 13, 2000.

**Steven Galson,**

*Director, Office of Science Coordination and Policy, Office of Pesticide Programs.*

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## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

**[FRL-6839-1**

### **Board of Scientific Counselors, Executive Committee Meeting**

**AGENCY:** Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

**ACTION:** Notice of teleconference.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C., App. 2) notification is hereby given that the Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Research and Development (ORD), The Board of Scientific Counselors (BOSC), will hold its Executive Committee Meeting (Teleconference).

**DATES:** The Teleconference will be held on August 10, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** On Thursday, August 10, 2000, the teleconference will begin at 10:00 a.m. and will adjourn at 12:00 Noon. All times noted are Eastern Time.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The entire agenda of the BOSC Executive Committee teleconference will be dedicated to the discussion and approval of the BOSC Ad-Hoc Subcommittees' Reviews of ORD's Particulate Matter Research Program. The teleconference is open to the public. Any member of the public wishing to speak on the teleconference should contact Shirley Hamilton, Designated Federal Officer, Office of Research and Development (8701R), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20460; or telephone at (202) 564-6853. In general each individual making an oral presentation will be limited to a total of three minutes.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Shirley R. Hamilton, Designated Federal Officer, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Research and Development, NCER (MC 8701R), 1200