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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Review of Draft Protocol: Dissipation of Dislodgeable Foliar Methyl Parathion Residues Following Applications of PENNCAP- M® Microencapsulated Insecticide to Cotton

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Please find attached a review of a study protocol addressing dislodgeable foliar residues of methyl parathion (PennCap-M®) in cotton.

DB Barcode: D261458

Pesticide Chemical Code: 053501

Table 1: Identifying Information

Title:	Dissipation of Dislodgeable Foliar Methyl Parathion Residues Following Applications of PENNCAP- M® Microencapsulated Insecticide to Cotton
Sponsor(s):	Elf Atochem North America, Inc.; Agrichemicals Division; 2000 Market Street, 21 st Floor; Philadelphia, PA 19103-3222
Testing Facility:	American Agricultural Services, Inc., 404 E. Chatham Street, Cary, NC 27511
Study Director:	Tommy R. Willard, Ph.D., American Agricultural Services, Inc
Analytical Lab:	Morse Laboratories, Inc., 1525 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, CA 95825
MRID Number:	449842-03
Protocol Date	01 November 1999
Other Identification Codes:	KP-2000-01

HED has reviewed this study protocol and determined that it is acceptable when additional information is provided concerning the following issues:

Fortification levels. The three fortification levels for methyl parathion and methyl paraoxon should be identified in an amendment to the protocol.

Storage stability study. Specifics for the storage stability study should be described in detail (as indicated on page 23).

Application rate. Application of Penncap-M® must be made at the maximum label rate (not typical as is stated on page 7).