UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

DATE: June 25, 1980

SUBJECT: Ansar 529 Herbicide

EPA Registration No. 677-340

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TO: James Stone

Product Manager, Acting (23)

Applicant: Diamond Shamrock Corporation

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Active Ingredient:

Monosodium Acid Methanearsonate......35.19% Insert Ingredients......64.81%

Background

The purpose of this amendment is to revise the emesis statement (see registrant's A method of support was not submitted. Data were not submitted. letter of 4-18-60

Recommendations

1. FHB/TSS has no objection to the proposed change in precautionary statements for this product. However, please note that for other products, particularly those products with low acute oral LC_{50} 's, the benefits of emesis may outweigh the risks. Where the benefits outweigh the risks, the induce vomiting statement may be required on the labeling.

Labeling Recommendations

The statement:

"Keep children and domestic animals off treated areas until this material has been washed into the soil."

which now appears under the HAZARDS TO HUMANS & DOMESTIC ANIMALS section must be moved to the DIRECTIONS FOR USE section.

2. The statement:

"DO NOT feed treated foliage to livestock or graze treated areas."

which now appears in the ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS section must be moved to the DIRECTIONS FOR USE section.