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2-5-88
EXPEDITE

Shaughnessy Number: 029001

Date Out of EAB: 2/5/88

TO: Ms Lois Rossi
Product Manager 21
Registration Division (TS-767C)

FROM: Frank L. Davido, Chief *Jewene Blondell for*
Field Studies/Special Projects Section #5
Exposure Assessment Branch/HED (TS-769C)

THRU: Paul F. Schuda, Chief *[Signature]*
Exposure Assessment Branch/HED (TS-769C)

Attached, please find the EAB review of:

Reg./File #: 464-511

Chemical Name: 1,3-DICHLOROPROPENE

Type Product: Soil Fumigant

Company Name: Dow Chemical Co.

Purpose: Expedited Review of PPE Performance Data

Tinsworth Memo to Barton- Received 12/28/87

Date Received: 12/31/87 Action Code: 605

Date Completed: 2/5/88 EAB #(s): 80356

Monitoring study requested: Total Reviewing Time: 2 days

Monitoring study volunteered:

Deferrals to: Ecological Effects Branch

 Residue Chemistry Branch

 Toxicology Branch

Date _____

DEC 22 1987

REQUEST FOR EXPEDITE REVIEW

PM: 21/ROSSI

CHEMICAL: 1,3-Dichloropropene

EPA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER(S): Reg. No. 464-511

Acc. No. 263741

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DATE(S) SENT TO HED: July 1986

HED BRANCH(ES) EAB/HED
REQUIRED TO
RESPOND TO
EXPEDITE:

EXPEDITE DUE DATE: FEB. 5, 1988

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO HED BRANCH(ES):

These Data should be reviewed in Frank Davido's Section in EAB/HED.



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REGISTRATION DIVISION DATA REVIEW RECORD

Confidential Business Information - Does Not Contain National Security Information (E.O. 12065)

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1. CHEMICAL NAME

1,3-Dichloro-2-methyl-2-butene (Telme) (TM)

2/4/88

2. IDENTIFYING NUMBER	3. ACTION CODE	4. ACCESSION NUMBER	TO BE COMPLETED BY PM
464-511	605	263741	5. RECORD NUMBER 213717
		262606	6. REFERENCE NUMBER 4
			7. DATE RECEIVED (EPA) 5/1/86 7/9/86
			8. STATUTORY DUE DATE
			9. PRODUCT MANAGER (PM) ROSSI/TOMIA
			10. PM TEAM NUMBER 21

<p>14. CHECK IF APPLICABLE</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Public Health/Quarantine <input type="checkbox"/> Minor Use</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Substitute Chemical <input type="checkbox"/> Part of IPM</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal Concern <input type="checkbox"/> Review Requires Less Than 4 Hours</p>	TO BE COMPLETED BY PCB
	11. DATE SENT TO HED/TSS 12/23/87
	12. PRIORITY NUMBER
13. PROJECTED RETURN DATE 2/4/88	

<p>15. INSTRUCTIONS TO REVIEWER</p> <p>A. HED <input type="checkbox"/> Total Assessment - 3(c)(5) C. <input type="checkbox"/> BFSD</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Incremental Risk Assessment - 3(c)(7) and/or E.L. Johnson memo of May 12, 1977. D. <input type="checkbox"/> TSS/RD</p> <p>B. SPRD (Send Copy of Form to SPRD PM) E. <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical Undergoing Active RPAR Review</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Chemical Undergoing Active Registration Standards Review</p>	<p>F. INSTRUCTIONS</p> <p>Ride Tinsumeth memo to HED/</p> <p>expedite reviews for chemical protective clothing materials data per Registration Standard</p>
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16. RELATED ACTIONS

<p>17. 3(c)(1)(D)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Use Any or All Available Information <input type="checkbox"/> Use Only Attached Data</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Use Only the Attached Data for Formulation and Any or All Available Information on the Technical or Manufacturing Chemical.</p>	<p>18. REVIEWS SENT TO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> TB <input type="checkbox"/> EEB <input type="checkbox"/> EF <input type="checkbox"/> PL</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> RCB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EFB <input type="checkbox"/> CH <input type="checkbox"/> BFSD</p>
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19. To	TYPE OF REVIEW	NUMBER OF ACTIONS							
		Registration	Petition	EUP	SLN	Sec. 18	Inert	MNR. USE	Other
HED	TOXICOLOGY								
	ECOLOGICAL EFFECTS								
	RESIDUE CHEMISTRY								
	ENVIRONMENTAL DATA	(1)							
RD/TSS	CHEMISTRY								
	EFFICACY								
	PRECAUTIONARY LABELING								
BFSD	ECONOMIC ANALYSIS								

20. <input type="checkbox"/> Label Submitted with Application Attached	21. <input type="checkbox"/> Confidential Statement of Formula	22. <input type="checkbox"/> Representative Labels Showing Accepted Uses Attached	23. Date Returned to RD (to be completed by HED)	24. Include an Original and 4 (four) Copies of This Completed Form for Each Branch Checked for Review.
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DEC 23 1987

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Expedited Reviews for DCW Chemical
1,3-Dichloropropene (Telone™)
EPA Registration No. 464-511
Chemical Protective Clothing Materials Data
Received May 1 and July 9, 1986

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TO: Anne Barton, Acting Director
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Please return the completed reviews to Lois Rossi, Product Manager-21.

RD/FHB/PM-21:htt:12/22/87



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

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12/28
MSR (original memo & only the 1st
2 attachments - one page each)
CC EAB (copy of memo & all attachments)

OFFICE OF PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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No need to copy the long 3rd attachment I don't need it neither does MS

Thank
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- I. Registration Standard Action - 1,3-Dichloropropene (Telone)
- II. Reg. No. - 464-511
- III. Type of Action - Review of Data on Personnel Protective Equipment (PPE) Performance as Required by the Registration Standard
- IV. Submitter - Dow Chemical Co.

Accession #262606

- A.1. Type of Study - PERMEATION TESTING OF PROTECTIVE CLOTHING FOR TELONE II
- B. Test Material - Commercial grade Telone II (Soil Fumigant-94% 1,3-dichloropropene, 6% inerts)
- C. Protective Clothing Materials - The protective equipment tested represented a variety of barrier materials and commonly used products, including slicker suits, disposable suits, gloves, and boots.
- D. Test Methodology - Dow Texas Operations' Test Method - Permeation Test Cell (similar to ASTM F739-81 closed loop method).

Comment - Equivalency of methods is not demonstrated, but believed to be close enough to be acceptable to EPA.

E. Test Results -

Gloves

In the category of heavy duty gloves, Viton and PVA showed very good chemical resistance. In the category of medium weight gloves, the Pioneer N-54 neoprene glove had decent resistance, but breakthrough time was greatly reduced (38 min.). The light duty gloves were all well below 5 minutes.

Protective suits

The chlorinated polyethylene (Chloropel), butyl rubber (Andover LL2000), and polyvinyl chloride (Graylite 20) showed relatively good chemical resistance (breakthrough times more than 10 min.).

Of the disposable suits, the Saranex coated Tyvek showed the best potential protection.

Boots

All the boot materials tested had good to decent chemical resistance. The Beta 85-309 polyurethane boot showed the highest resistance (breakthrough time greater than 2 hours).

- A.2. Type of Study - Respirator Cartridge Efficiency Study
- B. Test Conditions - cis, trans-1,3-dichloropropene at 1000 ppm solvent concentration, 50% rel. humidity, and 53.3-liter/min flow
- C. Test Samples - Organic Vapor Respirator Cartridges
- D. Test Method - System designed to pass a vapor and air mixture through the cartridges with monitoring of the downstream concentration with a flame ionization detector (FID).
- E. Test Results - Experimental breakthrough times were 85.5, 110, and 208 minutes for 1%, 10%, and 99%, respectively.

Accession #263741

- A. Type of Study - Evaluation of Several PPE materials for Permeation Resistance to Telone C-17 Soil Fungicide and Nematicide
- B. Test Material - Telone C-17 (chloropicrin, cis-1,3-dichloropropene and trans-1,3-dichloropropene)
- C. Test Samples - Various disposable and reusable suits were obtained from W. Myles, Industrial Hygiene Services, Dow Texas Operation; J. Parsons, Michigan Division, and from F. O'Melia, Agricultural Products Dept. Gloves were also tested in this report.
- D. Test Method - Permeation test cell equivalent to ASTM 739-81. GC analysis.
- E. Test Results -

Reusable Suits

The chlorinated polyethylene (ILC Dover 2800) suit

had the most chemical resistance (approx. 16 min. for all three chemical components) of the suits tested. The PVC (Sta Safe SD-5624) and the neoprene (Marathon 800) suits had almost immediate breakthrough for all three chemical components. The butyl rubber (Andover LL200) suit showed intermediate resistance based on breakthrough times, but the permeation rates were 4-8 times less than those for the other suits. The authors concluded that the butyl rubber suit would offer better protection for long term exposures (greater than 30 min.).

Disposable Suits

Three disposable suits of construction identical to the three Tyvek based suits tested in the Telone II studies (Accession #262606) were tested against Telone C-17. The two laminated Tyvek suits (Saranex and polyethylene showed decent chemical resistance based on permeation rates. The uncoated Tyvek had very poor chemical resistance (basically all the chemical passed through in less than 8 min.).

Gloves

Light, medium, and heavy duty gloves were tested. The polyethylene (light) gloves (Edmont 32-125) had the best overall chemical resistance. The neoprene (Pioneer N-54) and the butyl rubber (North B-161) performed best in the medium weight category. The viton (North F-091) and the polyvinyl alcohol (Edmont 15-561) demonstrated very good chemical resistance (no breakthrough for the test period of 8 hours).

- F. Comparison with Telone II Test Results - Using glove and suit materials identical to the present study, tests were conducted with Telone II to compare permeation results. The tested materials (2 glove and 1 suit type) gave results showing that dichloropropene permeation was the same whether exposed to Telone II or Telone C-17.

V. Reviewer's Comments and Acceptability of Data

The submitted data (Accessions #262606 and #263741) is acceptable to the Agency and meets the requirements of the Registration Standard Data Call-In.

There are, however, several issues that need to be followed up on and resolved in relation to PPE requirements for Telone labels.

- (1) The studies submitted are very well done and I

commend the investigators, but how will this information benefit pesticide users? On page 6 of Accession #262606 the authors indicate that this performance data will be put into a product brochure for the users. I would like to meet with Dr. Spence and other appropriate Dow representatives to discuss this specific issue, as well as our efforts in the Office of Pesticide Programs and the Certification and Training Unit of the Office of the Assistant Administrator for Pesticides and Toxic Substances to develop training materials for a proposed Label Improvement Program (LIP) on PPE Labeling for Pesticides (Applicator, Mixer, Loader, etc.).

- (2) I have received inquiries from the California Dept. of Food & Agriculture, the Dow Chemical Co., and, indirectly, from the EPA Regional Office in San Francisco through Ms. Sally MacDonald (primary author of the Core Safety Manual for Certifying Applicators) in regard to some new protective clothing label language, specifically:

"One-piece coveralls which have long sleeves and long pants constructed of laminated fabric as specified in the USDA/EPA Guide for Commercial Applicators" (MacDonald-same as above reference)

Basically, the incoming comments are that this new language is confusing to enforcement, users, etc. and not correct, both in reference to the Guide, as well as an impractical requirement to the pesticide user, mainly because laminated suits cause unacceptable heat stress levels to workers, they will not be used, and if Telone permeates these "barrier" materials and becomes "trapped", then more harm (dermally) is likely to occur, then if no laminated suit was worn at all.

I will be following up on this issue with CDFA, the Product Manager, and others within the month to clarify this issue. I also do not like the term liquid-proof, nor the recommendation for heavy-duty gloves. These items need to be resolved with the registrant also.

I will be contacting you (Product Manager) in a couple of weeks to discuss how to best address these issues. Please call if you have any questions regarding my review.

VI. Reviewer:

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