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## MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Return of Linuron "Bean Sheet" on Linuron Chronic

Mouse Study.

TO: Robert J. Taylor, PM #25

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FROM: Charles N. Aldous, Ph.D.

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THRU: William L. Burnam, Chief

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I am forwarding the Registration Division Data Review record for the 2-year mouse chronic feeding study using Linuron (Accession Nos. 249255 and 249256). This study was reviewed by Drs. B. H. Haberman and C. W. Chen of CAG, which review was circulated in draft form on Jan. 23, 1984. A copy of that review and cover letter is enclosed. This review is suitable for Toxicology Branch regulatory purposes, and has been included in the bibliography for the recent Linuron Special Review. It would therefore not be necessary nor appropriate for Toxicology Branch to re-review the data.

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January 23, 1984

OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Review of Rat and Mice Data for the Carcinogenicity of Linuron SUBJECT:

FROM:

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TO:

Ann Barton

Acting Director

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In response to your February 17, 1983 request, two members of the Carcinogen Assessment Group (CAG), Drs. Bernard H. Haberman and Chao W. Chen have reviewed the available data on linuron and have prepared the attached draft report dealing with the qualitative and quantitative assessment of the carcinogenicity of linuron.

We are circulating the draft report for review within the Office of Health and Environmental Assessment (OHEA) and will conclude this by January 30, 1984. It would be helpful to have any comments you may care to make by that date also.

Please call me if you have any questions concerning this report.

Attachment ·

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