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PP# 9F2172 Amendment for Trifluralin in/on barley and sorghum grains, barley straw, barley and sorghum fodder and forage, and the grain crop commodity group, 10/9/79 and 4/14/80.

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Elanco Products Co. has submitted a revised Section B and F to ameliorate the deficiencies stated in our review of 5-10-79 (P.V. Errico, PP# 9F2172). The deficiencies will be stated, the petitioner's response and our comments will follow.

Deficiencies 1a, 1b, 2 and 3: Tolerances for barley straw, and sorghum forage and fodder should be requested. An appropriate tolerance would be 0.05 ppm trifluralin. Otherwise an animal feeding restriction on the forage and fodder will be needed.

The grain crop commodity group tolerance of 0.05 ppm should read: Grain crops (except fresh sweet corn and rice grain) at 0.05 ppm.

Petitioner's Response: The petitioner has submitted a revised Section F requesting a tolerance of 0.05 ppm for Trifluralin in/on grain crops (except fresh corn and rice grain), barley hay, straw, forage and fodder, sorghum forage and fodder.

Our comments: These deficiencies are satisfied.

Note to the PM: This tolerance is proposed for sorghum grain, forage and fodder. The petitioner should be advised that if a use on sweet sorghum is ever proposed, supporting residue data will be needed. Likewise, for any future proposed uses on oats, rye, millet and buckwheat, supporting residue data will be needed for the respective hays, straw, forages and fodders (where applicable).

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