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Environmental Chemistry Evaluation for S-[4-ox0-1, 2, 3-benzotriazin-3(4+1)-y1) methyl] phosphorodithioate (Guthion)

Reg. No.: 3125-25, 102

Company: Chemagro

Letter of March 20, 1975

## 1. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.1 Object to the increased number of applications.
- 1.2 No new uses will be considered until previously requested 70-15 data has been submitted:
  - 1.2.1 Soil leaching study using labeled material. Soil should be Lakeland fine sand, sandy loam and silty clay loam. Break-through point should be determined. Soil should be fortified and left undisturbed for one week and one month before eluting starts.
  - 1.2.2 A soil degradation study is needed. Labeled material should be used to determine material balance. Samples should be used to determine material balance. Samples should be collected at PHI's of 0 day, 1 week, 3, 6, 12, and 20 weeks.
  - 1.2.3 Answers to 2(a), (b), (c), (d) and 5(a), (b), and (c) in PR Notice 70-15.
  - 1.2.4 Runoff studies should have included separate analysis silt, soil particles from runoff water.
  - 1.2.5 A fish residue study is needed.

## 2. INTRODUCTION

2.1 Applicant wants to increase number of application of the insecticide Guthion from 2 to 5 on citrus.

# 3. DIRECTIONS FOR USE

3.1 The maximum rate of application is 4.5 lb ai/acre. The proposed use could result in a maximum of 22.5 lbs. ai/acre.

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#### DISCUSSION OF DATA 4.

No new environmental chemistry data submitted.

### 5. CONCLUSION

In RD letter of March 27, 1972 we ask for 70-15 data within 1 yr.

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