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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Registration Standard (FRSTR) for Terbufos

Nontarget Insect Studies

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The Ecological Effects Branch (EEB) has reexamined the Terbufos Registration Standard with regard to nontarget insects. EEB's nontarget insect hazard evaluation remains essentially unchanged. As terbufos is registered only as a granular formulation, there is no potential for significant bee exposure. Thus, there are no requirements for testing on honey bees and no requirements for bee precaution labeling.

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