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Danielle Larochelle Rhone-Poulenc AG Company P.O. Box 12014 2 T.W. Alexander Drive Research Triangle Park, N.C. 27709-2014

Re: Iprodione

Dear Ms. Larochelle:

In our meetings in March 1996, EPA agreed to evaluate new information regarding the weight of evidence for the carcinogenicity classification of iprodione. We have completed our review and our findings are discussed in the enclosed memorandum. We found that the new information did not indicate that a change in our position on the carcinogenic potential of iprodione is warranted. We note that additional studies are in progress and encourage Rhone-Poulenc AG Company to submit the completed studies as soon as possible. The Agency is currently reviewing the peach processing study submitted last month as well as new information that we may be able to use to refine the anticipated residue for wine. We will contact you when these tasks have been completed.

If you have any questions, please call Vivian Prunier, the Review Manager for iprodione, at 703-308-8034.

Sincerely,

Jack E. Housenger, Chief Special Review Branch

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