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MEMORANDUM -

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TO:

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Registration Division (TS-769)

THRU:

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Toxicology Branch

Hazard Evaluation Division (TS-769)

SUBJECT: Bayleton on Wheat and Barley. Caswell No. 862 AA,

PP No. 2F2665 and 2H5343.

Petitioner:

Mobay Chemical Corporation Kansas City, Mo. 64120

Action requested:

Review of a revised Section F associated with the above pesticide petitions as follows:

- Meat, fat and meat by-products of cattle, goats, horses, and sheep at 1.0 ppm.
- 2. Meat, fat and meat by-products of poultry and hogs and eggs and milk at 0.04 ppm.
- 3. Barley, milled fraction, except flour at 4.0 ppm.

Recommendations:

- 1. Increasing the tolerance for Bayleton residues from 0.5 ppm to 1.0 ppm for meat, fat and meat by-products of cattle, goats, horses and sheep will not significantly decrease the margin of safety based on single serving.
- 2. Increasing the tolerance for Bayleton residues from 0.01 ppm to 0.04 ppm in poultry will not significantly decrease the margin of safety based on single serving bases.

- 3. Toxicology Branch defers to RCB the question of whether the new tolerances proposed for hogs, eggs and milk adequatly cover the expected residues in these food commodities.
- 4. Adequate margin of safety also exists for the propsed tolerance of 4.0 ppm for the Bayleton residues in the milled fraction (except flour) of barley.
- 5. All the proposed changes will result in an increase of 8.5% of the ADI.
- 6. Toxicology Branch reiterates the recommendation that the label must reflect a warning for females of child bearing age for the mixer, and loader aspects of the application (memo by G. Ghali to H. Jacoby, July 16, 1982).

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