

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

# **MEMORANDUM**

EPA File Symbol 773-LL SUBJECT:

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FROM:

Technical Support Section Fungicide-Herbicide

TO:

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Fungicide-Herbicide Branch

Registration Division (TS-767C)

Pitman-Moore, Inc. APPLICANT:

ATTN: Regulatory Affairs

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ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Imazalil: 1-(2-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-2-

(2-propenyloxy)ethyl)-lH-imidazole . .

### **BACKGROUND:**

The applicant has submitted a primary eye irritation study. The study was conducted by Janssen Pharmaceutica Research Laboratories. The MRID number is 401521-02. The method of support was not indicated.

# RECOMMENDATION:

FHB/TSS finds the study unacceptable and classifies it as supplementary. The registrant must submit an acute oral toxicity study, acute dermal toxicity study, acute inhalation toxicity study, a primary eye irritation study, a primary skin irritation study and a dermal sensitization study.

When conducting future primary eye irritation studies, the end-use product must be tested to support registration of the end use product. Studies conducted on dilutions of the end-use product are unacceptable.

LABELING: Comments reserved until data is submitted.

#### REVIEW:

Primary Eye Irritation Study: Janssen Pharmaceutica Research Laboratories; No. 1675; 5-12-85.

### PROCEDURE:

Nine New Zealand white rabbits were each administered 0.1 ml of a 1:100 dilution of test material in water which was placed lower conjunctival sac of the left eye of each animal. The treated eye was held shut for one second. The right eye of each animal served as a control. Thirty seconds after treatment, the treated eye of 3/9 animals was rinsed with water. Eye irritation was scored at 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 10, 14 and 21 days.

# **RESULTS:**

Twenty-four hours after treatment, 1/6 animals in the unwashed group exhibited conjunctive redness (1/6=1) and 5/6 exhibited discharge (5/6=1). All irritation in the unwashed group had cleared by day 3.

Forty-eight hours after treatment, one animal in the washed group exhibited discharge (1/3=1). Irritation had cleared by day 3.

## STUDY CLASSIFICATION:

Supplementary - See comments under Recommendation.