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MEMORANDUM

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SUBJECT: Prothioconazole in surface water-Report No. ECM0220W1-W4

FROM:

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TO:

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The EFED Environmental Fate and Effects Division has requested an Environmental Chemistry Method Evaluation on Prothioconazole in surface water using the method submitted by Bayer CropScience in accordance with the registration of Prothioconazole MRID No. 462465-35. The method and independent laboratory validation data was reviewed and the conclusions included in the attached Environmental Chemistry Method Review Evaluation.

The following report includes an overview of the method and the method completeness, statements of adherence to EPA regulations, a presentation of results and a discussion of problems found in the registrant method. A statement of method acceptability is also included.

If you have questions concerning this report, please contact Charles Kennedy at (228) 688-2443 or Elizabeth Flynt at (228) 688-2410.

Attachments

cc: Christian Byrne, QA Officer BEAD/Environmental Chemistry Laboratory

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