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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: PP#09F3743 - Clethodim (Select®) in/on Soybean, Cottonseed, and Animal Commodities.
Response on Deferral from Environmental Fate and Ground Water Branch/EFED.
(No MRID #) [DEB #7091] (HED Project #0-1966)

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The Clethodim Registration Standard from Environmental Fate and Ground Water Branch/EFED by E. Brinson Conerly contained a deferral on the need for rotational crop tolerances.

In a meeting on November 26, 1990 between Richard Schmitt, Chief of Chemistry Branch I and Henry Jacoby, Chief of Environmental Fate and Ground Water Branch, with E. B. Conerly and F.D. Griffith, Jr. in attendance, it was concluded no action is required at this time by CBTS. The Registration Standard is returned to the PM. Input is needed first from TOX Branch on the significance of the levels reported before a decision can be made on the need for rotational crop tolerances. EFED will at that time be able to determine whether there is a problem with residues in rotational crops.

cc: R.F., Circu(7), Reviewer(FDG), PP#9F3743, R.D. Schmitt, Ph.D., Chief, C. Furlow (PIB/FOD).

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