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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Mr. Melvin K. Tolliver Bayer CropScience 2 T.W. Alexander Drive P.O. Box 12014 Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

Subject: Label Notifications for Pesticide Registration Notice 2007-4

Dear Mr. Tolliver,

The Agency is in receipt of your Applications for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 dated March 27, 2008 for the following products:

Baytan Technical Fungicide Folicur Technical Fungicide Trifloxystrobin Technical Fungicide Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide **EPA Registration Number 264-743** EPA Registration Number 264-748 EPA Registration Number 264-776 **EPA Registration Number 264-824**

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted its review of these requests for their applicability under PRN 2007-4 and finds that the label changes requested fall within the scope of PRN 2007-4. The labels submitted with the applications have been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on nonrefillable containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by nonnotification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-6249 or Steve Schaible of my staff at 703-308-9362.

Sincerely,

Linda Arrington Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader Registration Division (7505P) Office of Pesticide Programs 2/8

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1. Company/Product Number 264-824			2. EPA Product Manager Tony Kish				3,1	Proposed Classification	
4. Company/Product (Name) Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide			PM# Team 22						
5. Name and Address of Applicant <i>(Include ZIP Code)</i> Bayer CropScience LP P.O. Box 12014, 2 T.W. Alexander Drive Research Triangle Park, NC 27709			6. Expedited Reveiw. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No Product Name						
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Name Melvin K. Tolliver		Title Registra	ation Produ	ct Manager,	Fur	gicides	1 1	ane No. (Include Area Code) 49-2631	
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Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide EPA Reg. No. 264-824

Section II - Continued

Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide is currently registered with the Agency as a manufacturing use product. With this application form, we are notifying the Agency of label changes per PR Notice 2007-4. As required by PR Notice 2007-4 for a notification, we are using the exact wording contained the PR Notice. We are enclosing one copy of draft labeling, dated 3/26/08, in which the text of the PR Notice is highlighted in yellow. In addition, we are also enclosing two copies of final printed labeling. There are no changes in rates, timing of application, number of applications, or PHI from what is currently registered.

This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notice 2007-4 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CFR §§ 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156. No other changes have been made to the labeling or the Confidential Statement of Formula for this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if the amended label is not consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR §§ 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA."

Bayer CropScience

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March 27, 2008

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Bayer CropScience 2 T.W. Alexander Drive P. O. Box 12014 RTP, NC 27709 Phone: (919) 549-2000

Subject: Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide, EPA Reg. No. 264-824 Notification per PR Notice 2007-4

Dear Sir/Madam:

Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide is registered as a manufacturing use product. With the enclosed application form, we are notifying the Agency of label changes per PR Notice 2007-4.

Since this is a notification, no fee under PRIA is required.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me by phone at (919) 549-2631 or by e-mail at mel.tolliver@bayercropscience.com.

Sincerely,

Melin K. Tolliver

Melvin K. Tolliver Registration Product Manager, Fungicides

Enclosure:

- 1. EPA application form 8570-1
- 2. Draft labeling with changes highlighted in yellow
- 3. Final Printed labeling (two copies)

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Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide

For use in the manufacture of fungicides

ACTIVE INGREDIENT: Prothioconazole, 2-[2-(1-chlorocyclopropyl)-3-(2-Chlorophenyl)-2-hydroxypropyl]- 1,2-dihydro-3H-1,2,4-triazole-3-thione	
INERT INGREDIENTS:	
	TOTAL: 100%

EPA Reg. No. 264-824

EPA Est. No.

STOP – Read the label before use KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

For <u>MEDICAL</u> And <u>TRANSPORTATION</u> Emergencies <u>ONLY</u> Call 24 Hours A Day 1-800-334-7577

For PRODUCT USE Information Call 1-866-99BAYER (1-866-992-2937)

FIRST AID

 Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. 					
 Immediately call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. 					
 Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice. 					
 Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. 					
For MEDICAL Emergencies Call 24 Hours A Day 1-800-334-7577. product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. specific antidote is available. Treat symptomatically.					

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through the skin, swallowed, or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing, and avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling, and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, cr using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or other waters in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority that been notified in writing prior to the discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

Prothioconazole-desthio (a degradate of prothioconazole) is toxic to shrimp. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwater or rinsate.

Prothioconazole-desthio (a degradate of prothioconazole) is known to leach through soil into ground water under certain conditions as a result of label use. Use of this chemical in areas where soils are permeable, particularly where the water table is shallow, may result in ground-water contamination.

This product may contaminate water through drift of spray in wind. This product has a high potential for runoff for several months or more after application. Poorly draining soils and soils with shallow watertables are more prone to produce runoff that contains this product. A level, well maintained vegetative buffer strip between areas to which this product is applied and surface water features such as ponds, streams, and springs will reduce the potential for contamination of water from rainfall-runoff. Runoff of this product will be reduced by avoiding applications when rainfall is forecasted to occur within 48 hours.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Store in a cool, dry place and in such a manner as to prevent cross contamination with other pesticides, fertilizers, food, and feed. Store in original container and out of the reach of children, preferably in a locked storage area.

Handle and open container in a manner as to prevent spillage. If the container is leaking or material spilled for any reason or cause, carefully sweep material into a pile. Refer to Precautionary Statements on label for hazards associated with the handling of this material. Do not walk through spilled material. Dispose of pesticide as directed below. In spill or leak incidents, keep unauthorized people away. You may contact the Bayer CropScience Emergency Response Team for decontamination procedures or any other assistance that may be necessary. The Bayer CropScience Emergency Response Telephone No. is 1-800-334-7577.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from the use of this product must be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by state and local authorities. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, dispose of it in the manner required for its liner.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

Detailed information on chemical and physical properties and other formulating recommendations for Prothioconazole are available upon request from Bayer CropScience. Obtain and read this information before undertaking the formulation of Prothioconazole in order to avoid formulation hazards and insure a satisfactory finished product.

Labeling for products formulated from this product must conform to that which is currently registered with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. For specific information on federally registered uses, contact Bayer CropScience. Any variance from the federally registered labeling for products containing Prothioconazole will have to be supported by data provided by the formulator.

Prothioconazole Technical Fungicide is intended for formulation into end-use products for:

- 1) Terrestrial Food Crops: barley, canola, dried shelled pea and bean (except soybean) subgroup, peanuts, rapeseed, Indian rapeseed, field mustard, crambe and wheat.
- Uses for which USEPA has accepted the required data and/or citations of data that the formulator has submitted in support of registration or,
- 3) Uses for experimental purposes that are in compliance with USEPA requirements.

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IMPORTANT: READ BEFORE USE

Read the entire Directions for Use, Conditions, Disclaimer of Warranties and Limitations of Liability before using this product. If terms are not acceptable, return the unopened product container at once.

By using this product, user or buyer accepts the following Conditions, Disclaimer of Warranties and Limitations of Liability.

CONDITIONS: The directions for use of this product are believed to be adequate and must be followed carefully. However, it is impossible to eliminate all risks associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials, or the manner of use or application, all of which are beyond the control of Bayer CropScience. To the extent consistent with applicable law, all such risks shall be assumed by the user or buyer.

DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES: TO THE EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH APPLICABLE LAW, BAYER CROPSCIENCE MAKES NO OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR OTHERWISE, THAT EXTEND BEYOND THE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS LABEL. No agent of Bayer CropScience is authorized to make any warranties beyond those contained herein or to modify the warranties contained herein. TO THE EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH APPLICABLE LAW, BAYER CROPSCIENCE DISCLAIMS ANY LIABILITY WHATSOEVER FOR SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT.

LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY: TO THE EXTENT CONSISTENT WITH APPLICABLE LAW, THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF THE USER OR BUYER FOR ANY AND ALL LOSSES, INJURIES OR DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT, WHETHER IN CONTRACT, WARRANTY, TORT, NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE, SHALL NOT EXCEED THE PURCHASE PRICE PAID, OR AT BAYER CROPSCIENCE'S ELECTION, THE REPLACEMENT OF PRODUCT.

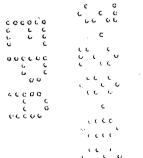
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