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Subject: **FW: Buprofezin, an Insect Growth Regulator - Pesticide Registration Review - EPA is seeking public comments on the registration review docket for this pesticide in an effort to assure that it can still be used without unreasonable adverse effects on human**
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Hello, we received a request for information from EPA.

Thank you,

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Buprofezin, an Insect Growth Regulator - Pesticide Registration Review - EPA is seeking public comments on the registration review docket for this pesticide in an effort to assure that it "... can still be used without unreasonable adverse effects on human health or the environment ..."

Document Title: The title of the July 6, 2012 EPA Federal Register Notice is "Registration Review; Pesticide Dockets Opened for Review and Comment and Other Actions"

Organization: The July 6, 2012 Federal Register Notice was issued on June 18, 2012 by Richard P. Keigwin, Jr. who is the Director of the Pesticide Re-evaluation Division of the Office of Pesticide Programs, a unit of the EPA Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention

Source: July 6, 2012 EPA Federal Register Notice

Comments Due By: August 19, 2012

Web site: The July 6, 2012 EPA Federal Register Notice is posted at

<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-07-06/html/2012-16328.htm>

Information on the Agency's registration review program is available at

http://www.epa.gov/oppsrrd1/registration_review

Contact: General questions about the EPA Pesticide Registration Review Program may be directed to Kevin Costello who is with the Pesticide Re-evaluation Division of the EPA Office of Pesticide Programs in Arlington, Virginia at 703 305 5026; fax: 703 308 8090; e-mail: Costello.Kevin@EPA.gov

Questions about this pesticide may be directed to James Parker who is with the Pesticide Re-evaluation Division of the EPA Office of Pesticide Programs in Arlington, Virginia at 703 306 0469; e-mail:

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Summary: The following information is taken from the July 6, 2012 EPA Federal Register Notice:
SUMMARY: EPA has established registration review dockets for the pesticides listed in the table in Unit III.A. With this document, EPA is opening the public comment period for these registration reviews. Registration review is EPA's periodic review of pesticide registrations to ensure that each pesticide continues to satisfy the statutory standard for registration, that is, the pesticide can perform its intended function without unreasonable adverse effects on human health or the environment. Registration review dockets contain information that will assist the public in understanding the types of information and issues

that the Agency may consider during the course of registration reviews. Through this program, EPA is ensuring that each pesticide's registration is based on current scientific and other knowledge, including its effects on human health and the environment. This document announces the availability of an amended final work plan for the registration review of the pesticide thifensulfuron methyl; this work plan has been amended to incorporate revisions to the data requirements. EPA is also announcing that the docket opening for the pesticide phosphine was postponed until the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2013 to open in conjunction with other pesticides in the fumigant chemical class. Also, EPA is announcing the termination of the registration review case for the pesticide tanol derivatives (furanones). The Agency concluded that at concentrations below 0.1%, the tanol derivatives do not function as pesticidal active ingredients. As a result, the furanones were redesignated from active ingredients to inert ingredients in the remaining two product labels which contain furanones. Based on the redesignation of the tanol derivatives, and the absence of any currently registered pesticides with the furanones as an active ingredient, the Agency has concluded the registration review of case 3138.

A. What action is the agency taking?

As directed by FIFRA section 3(g), EPA is reviewing the pesticide registrations identified in the table in this unit to assure that they continue to satisfy the FIFRA standard for registration--that is, they can still be used without unreasonable adverse effects on human health or the environment. A pesticide's registration review begins when the Agency establishes a docket for the pesticide's registration review case and opens the docket for public review and comment. At present, EPA is opening registration review dockets for the cases identified in the following table ...

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