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INITIAL SUBMISSION: LETTER FROM BASF CORP TO USEPA REPORTING RESULTS OF ECOLOGICAL TOXICITY TESTING WITH [], SUBSTITUTED BENZYL PYRAZOLE, DATED 1/4/2001 (SANITIZED)		
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SUBSTITUTED BENZYL PYRAZOLE (CONFIDENTIAL)		

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

Subject: Notice in Accordance to TSCA Section 8(e) – Results of Ecological Toxicity Testing  
With Developmental Herbicide: Substituted Benzyl Pyrazole.

BASF Corporation is submitting results of ecological toxicity testing with the developmental herbicide Substituted Benzyl Pyrazole that was conducted by BASF – Princeton AgroResearch Center.

**Test Results:**

96-hr EC50 *Navicula pelliculosa* = 0.2 mg/L.  
96-hr EC50 *Lemna gibba* = 0.005 – 0.05 mg/L.  
96-hr EC50 *Selenastrum capricornutum* = 0.3 mg/L

BASF Corporation does not currently manufacture this product. It is a developmental herbicide and as such is manufactured only in very small quantities for testing purposes. Researchers handling this product will be informed of these findings by means of a preliminary MSDS. The intended use of this product is directed at terrestrial crops and direct application to water is not contemplated. The potential for exposure of aquatic habitats to this chemistry is low.

Any additional reports or information that we receive will be forwarded to the Agency. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (734) 324-6207.

Very truly yours,

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