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SUBJECT: TSCA 8(e) SUBMISSION

Dear Sir or Madam,

() is submitting certain data which we believe to be reportable under TSCA 8(e). This information concerns , an experimental insecticide and miticide, identified as has been assigned CAS Number has recently imported solely for R&D testing purposes on behalf of ().

Preliminary Dose Range-Finding Teratology Study of S-1955 in Non-pregnant Rabbits.

(a contract laboratory) has recently completed a preliminary dose range-finding teratology study with non-pregnant Kbl:JW rabbits, with for Although adverse effects in rats and dogs have previously been reported to the Agency, this study presents the first reportable toxicological information on in rabbits. was administered in doses of 5ml/kg in a vehicle of a 0.5% aqueous solution of methylcellulose to these rabbits via oral gavage for five days. During these five days, the animals were observed for any effects due to the test substance: clinical signs, food consumption and body weights were monitored daily. Decreased or cessation of defecation and urination were observed in those animals given doses of 100mg and 300mg. Body weights also declined in animals given these two dose levels. The animals were necropsied on the sixth day. The NOEL was estimated to be 30mg/kg.

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The results of the study are further detailed below:

	Control (0.5%MC)	30mg/kg	100mg/kg	300mg/kg
No. animals	3	3	3	3
No. dead animals	0	0	0	0
Clinical signs decrease or cessation of feces/urine	-	-	1 (day 2 of administration)	3 (from day 2 of administration)
Body weight	-	-	decreased	decreased
Necropsy	-	-	-	2 (hair found in stomach)

- indicates no abnormal findings or no difference from control

Should you have questions concerning this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me at
by telephone, by telefax or via e-mail through

Sincerely yours,

Enclosure: (1)
cc:

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