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Attention: 8(e) Coordinator
Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, ICC Building
1201 Constitution Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20460



Dear 8(e) Coordinator:

Proprietary Mixture Containing
Polysaccharide derivative
Coconut fatty acid surfactant
Isopropyl Alcohol
Triethanolamine

This letter is to inform you of the results of a recently conducted acute eye irritation study in rabbits with the above referenced test material.

One rabbit was treated with 0.1 mL of test substance and observed for 21 days. The test substance produced corneal opacity (score of 1 or 2), iritis (score of 1), conjunctival redness (score of 2 or 3), conjunctival chemosis (score of 3 or 4), and discharge (score of 3) in the treated eye of the rabbit. Fluorescein stain examinations were positive for corneal injury in the treated eye. At 21 days (study termination), corneal opacity (score of 1) was still present in the treated eye of the rabbit.

Under these experimental conditions, the findings described above appear to be reportable, based upon EPA guidance given in the EPA TSCA Section 8(e) Reporting Guide (June, 1991).

Sincerely,

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