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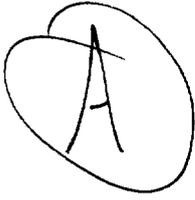


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RE: TSCA §8(e) Notification of Substantial Risk

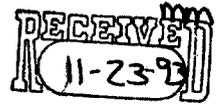
Dear Sir or Madam:

Rhone-Poulenc Inc. is providing this notice to the Agency in accordance with the provisions of Section 8(e) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). The state of North Carolina Department of Environment, Health and Natural Resources (NCDEHNR) has informed us of the following analytical results from monitor wells and supply wells on and near our facility located at 207 Telegraph Drive in Gastonia, North Carolina:

<u>Material</u>	<u>Concentration (ppb*)</u>
1,1-Dichloroethane	487
1,2-Dichloropropane	1.6
Trichloroethane	32
Tetrachloroethene	1.7

* ppb = parts per billion

Rhone-Poulenc Inc. received written confirmation from NCDEHNR of these results on November 1, 1993, along with a notice that NCDEHNR believes that Rhone-Poulenc may be responsible for some or all of the contaminants found in these wells.



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Rhone-Poulenc is aware that the clarification of environmental reporting criteria is currently being undertaken by the Agency, and is submitting the above data because it may be the type of information the Agency expects to be submitted under TSCA §8(e). In accordance with the Agency's TSCA §8(e) Reporting Guide dated June 1991, Rhone-Poulenc is providing this notice even though the information does not establish conclusively that a substantial risk exists, nor have the source of the materials been conclusively determined.

Rhone-Poulenc Inc. hereby asserts that none of the information contained herein is confidential business information (CBI). Should you have any questions, or require any further information, please call (609) 860-3589.

Very truly yours,

RHONE-POULENC, INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charles E. Moyer, Jr.".

Charles E. Moyer, Jr.
Director, Product Safety

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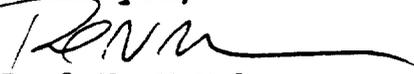
January 31, 1994
OFFICE OF
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Dear : William

FYI Number:8EHQ-1193-12754 A
Submission Date:11/15/93
CAS #:75-34-3
Chemical Name:Ethene, 1,1-dichloroethane

Recently, the Risk Analysis Branch of OPPTS received TSCA § 8(e) toxicological information which may be of interest to your program and/or regional office. If you require more information you may wish to contact the TSCA Docket and Administrative Record at 202-260-7099.

Thank you,


Paul N. McMahon
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