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Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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Dear 8(e) Coordinator:

Heterocyclic Amide

This letter is to inform you of the results of an eye irritation study in rabbits. The weight equivalent of 0.1 mL of the test substance was instilled into the lower conjunctival sac of 2 albino rabbits.

The pupil of the treated eye of both rabbits was constricted on the day of treatment. The pupil of the untreated eye of each rabbit was normal. The pupils were normal by 1 day after instillation.

Under these experimental conditions, the finding described above would appear to be reportable, based on EPA guidance regarding the reportability of such data under TSCA Section 8(e) criteria.

Sincerely,

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Support for [] claim of confidential business information for the information claimed as CBI is provided.

1. Confidential treatment should be afforded for ten years. Information should remain confidential until that time []
2. No.
3. [] identity and the chemical identity [] are only disclosed to a second party [] under a nondisclosure (secrecy) agreement. [] has not otherwise disclosed the information claimed as CBI to other parties.
4. All documents relating to [] are stored in locked, limited-access facilities and designated as proprietary, trade secret or confidential. [] having access to the information are contractually prohibited from disclosing [] proprietary/confidential information outside the [].
5. No.
6. Yes. [] Disclosure of the CBI information would permit a competitor to specifically know and understand [] efforts and to forego the necessary time and expense to identify/develop this compound, thus capitalizing on []. [] believes that a competitor's knowledge of the chemical identity [] interest in this compound would give a competitor several years advantage [] and would allow it to forego much of the R&D costs that it would otherwise have to bear. [].
7. a. No.
b. Yes. The chemical identity [] would, potentially, disclose proprietary mixture [].
c. Yes. Disclosure of [] would reveal the identity and source of the [].

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