

Bacillus thuringiensis subsp. *kurstaki* Insect Control Protein. Plant Pesticide Active ingredient: *Bacillus thuringiensis* delta-endotoxin as produced in corn by a cryIA(b) gene and its controlling sequences. Proposed classification/Use: None. For seed propagation. (Mike Mendelsohn)

2. File Symbol: 55638-GL. Applicant: Ecogen Incorporation, 2005 Cabot Blvd. West, P.O. Box 3023, Longhorne, PA 19047-3023. Product name: Crystar Technical. Biological Insecticide. Active ingredient: *Bacillus thuringiensis* subspecies *kurstaki* strain EG 7826 lepidopteran active toxin at 50 percent. Proposed classification/Use: None. For manufacture of bioinsecticide end-use products; for application on seed corn, field corn, popcorn, and sweet corn. (Rita Kumar)

3. File Symbol: 55638-GT. Applicant: Ecogen Inc. Product name: Crystar WDG. Biological Insecticide. Active ingredient: *Bacillus thuringiensis* subspecies *kurstaki* strain EG 7826 lepidopteran active toxin at 15 percent. Proposed classification/Use: None. For control of lepidopterous pests. (Rita Kumar)

4. File Symbol: 55638-GA. Applicant: Ecogen Inc. Product name: Crystar G. Biological Insecticide. Active ingredient: *Bacillus thuringiensis* subspecies *kurstaki* strain EG 7826 lepidopteran active toxin at 2.00 percent. Proposed classification/Use: None. For control of lepidopterous larvae on corn. (Rita Kumar)

Notice of approval or denial of an application to register a pesticide product will be announced in the Federal Register. The procedure for requesting data will be given in the Federal Register if an application is approved.

Comments received within the specified time period will be considered before a final decision is made; comments received after the time specified will be considered only to the extent possible without delaying processing of the application.

A record has been established for this notice under docket number [OPP-30407] (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record,

including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The public record is located in Rm. 1132 of the Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption.

The official record for this notice, as well as the public version, as described above will be kept in paper form. Accordingly, EPA will transfer all comments received electronically into printed, paper form as they are received and will place the paper copies in the official record which will also include all comments submitted directly in writing. The official record is the paper record maintained at the address in "ADDRESSES" at the beginning of this document.

Written comments filed pursuant to this notice, will be available in the Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division at the address provided from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. It is suggested that persons interested in reviewing the application file, telephone this office at (703-305-5805), to ensure that the file is available on the date of intended visit.

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 136.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests, Product registration.

Dated: April 4, 1996.

Janet L. Andersen,

Acting Director, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

[FR Doc. 96-9475 Filed 4-16-96; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6560-50-F

[OPP-66224; FRL-5360-6]

Notice of Receipt of Requests to Voluntarily Cancel Certain Pesticide Registrations

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 6(f)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, EPA is issuing a notice of receipt of requests by registrants to voluntarily cancel certain pesticide registrations.

DATES: Unless a request is withdrawn by July 16, 1996, orders will be issued cancelling all of these registrations.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: James A. Hollins, Office of Pesticide Programs (7502C), Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location for commercial courier delivery and telephone number: Rm. 216, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202. (703) 305-5761; e-mail: hollins.james@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction

Section 6(f)(1) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, provides that a pesticide registrant may, at any time, request that any of its pesticide registrations be cancelled. The Act further provides that EPA must publish a notice of receipt of any such request in the Federal Register before acting on the request.

II. Intent to Cancel

This Notice announces receipt by the Agency of requests to cancel some 10 pesticide products registered under section 3 or 24(c) of FIFRA. These registrations are listed in sequence by registration number (or company number and 24(c) number) in the following Table 1.

TABLE 1—REGISTRATIONS WITH PENDING REQUESTS FOR CANCELLATION

Registration no.	Product Name	Chemical Name
000100-00665	Pennant 5G Granular Herbicide	2-Chloro-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)-N-(2-methoxy-1-methylphenyl)acetamide (9CI)
000100-00688	Medal Herbicide	2-Chloro-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)-N-(2-methoxy-1-methylphenyl)acetamide (9CI)
000100-00715	Derby Granular Herbicide	2-Chloro-4,6-bis(ethylamino)-s-triaine
000100-00665	Pennant 5G Granular Herbicide	2-Chloro-N-(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)-N-(2-methoxy-1-methylphenyl)acetamide (9CI)

TABLE 1—REGISTRATIONS WITH PENDING REQUESTS FOR CANCELLATION—Continued

Registration no.	Product Name	Chemical Name
000100-00665	Pennant 5G Granular Herbicide	2-Chloro- <i>N</i> -(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(2-methoxy-1-methylphenyl)acetamide (9CI)
N/A	N/A	2-Chloro- <i>N</i> -(2-ethyl-6-methylphenyl)- <i>N</i> -(2-methoxy-1-methylphenyl)acetamide (9CI)
000279 OH-81-0021 . .	Furadan 4 Flowable	2,3-Dihydro-2,2-dimethyl-7-benzofuranyl methylcarbamate
003125 OH-93-0002 ..	Sencor DF 75% Dry Flowable Herbicide	1,2,4-Triazin-5(4 <i>H</i>)-one, 4-amino-6-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-(methylthio)-
003125 OH-93-0003 ..	Sencor Solupak 75% Dry Flowable Herbicide	1,2,4-Triazin-5(4 <i>H</i>)-one, 4-amino-6-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-3-(methylthio)-
004524-00030	I-BAC	Nonylphenoxypolyethoxyethanol - iodine complex
N/A	N/A	Phosphoric acid
009807-00004	Double-D	Ethanol
N/A	N/A	Tetrasodium ethylenediaminetetraacetate
N/A	N/A	Isopropanol
N/A	N/A	Alkyl* dimethyl benzyl ammonium chloride *(50% _{C14} , 40% _{C12} , 10% _{C16})
N/A	N/A	Didecyl dimethyl ammonium chloride
N/A	N/A	Octyl decyl dimethyl ammonium chloride
N/A	N/A	Dioctyl dimethyl ammonium chloride
039834-00002	Ryan 50	Ryania speciosa, powdered stems of
062719-00057	Access	4-Amino-3,5,6-trichloropicolinic acid, isooctyl ester
N/A	N/A	Butoxyethyl triclopyr

Unless a request is withdrawn by the registrant within 90 days of publication of this notice, orders will be issued cancelling all of these registrations. Users of these pesticides or anyone else desiring the retention of a registration should contact the applicable registrant directly during this ninety-day period.

The following Table 2 includes the names and addresses of record for all registrants of the products in Table 1, in sequence by EPA Company Number.

TABLE 2—REGISTRANTS REQUESTING VOLUNTARY CANCELLATION

EPA Company no.	Company Name and Address
000100	Ciba-Geigy Corp., Box 18300, Greensboro, NC 27419.
000279	FMC Corp., Agricultural Products Group, 1735 Market St, Philadelphia, PA 19103.
003125	Bayer Corp., Agriculture Division, 8400 Hawthorn Rd., Box 4913, Kansas City, MO 64120.
004524	H.B. Fuller Co., 3900 Jackson St., N.E., Minneapolis, MN 55421.
009807	Texas Department of Criminal Justice-Institutional, industrial Division Box 99, Huntsville, TX 77342.
039834	Dunhill Chemical Co., Box 609, Rosemead, CA 91770.
062719	DowElanco, 9330 Zionsville Rd 3083E, Indianapolis, IN 46268.

III. Loss of Active Ingredients

Unless the requests for cancellation are withdrawn, two pesticide active ingredients will no longer appear in any registered products. Those who are concerned about the potential loss of these active ingredients for pesticidal use are encouraged to work directly

with the registrant to explore the possibility of their withdrawing the request for cancellation. The active ingredients are listed in the following Table 3, with the EPA Company and CAS Number.

TABLE 3.—ACTIVE INGREDIENTS WHICH WOULD DISAPPEAR AS A RESULT OF REGISTRANTS' REQUESTS TO CANCEL

Cas No.	Chemical Name	EPA Company No.
15662-33-6.	Ryania speciosa, powdered stems of	039834
26952-20-5.	Picloram, isooctyl ester	062719

IV. Procedures for Withdrawal of Request

Registrants who choose to withdraw a request for cancellation must submit such withdrawal in writing to James A. Hollins, at the address given above, postmarked before July 16, 1996. This written withdrawal of the request for cancellation will apply only to the applicable 6(f)(1) request listed in this notice. If the product(s) have been subject to a previous cancellation action, the effective date of cancellation and all other provisions of any earlier cancellation action are controlling. The withdrawal request must also include a commitment to pay any reregistration fees due, and to fulfill any applicable unsatisfied data requirements.

V. Provisions for Disposition of Existing Stocks

The effective date of cancellation will be the date of the cancellation order. The orders effecting these requested cancellations will generally permit a registrant to sell or distribute existing stocks for one year after the date the cancellation request was received. This policy is in accordance with the Agency's statement of policy as prescribed in Federal Register No. 123, Vol. 56, dated June 26, 1991. Exceptions to this general rule will be made if a product poses a risk concern, or is in noncompliance with reregistration requirements, or is subject to a data call-in. In all cases, product-specific disposition dates will be given in the cancellation orders.

Existing stocks are those stocks of registered pesticide products which are currently in the United States and which have been packaged, labeled, and released for shipment prior to the effective date of the cancellation action. Unless the provisions of an earlier order apply, existing stocks already in the hands of dealers or users can be distributed, sold or used legally until they are exhausted, provided that such further sale and use comply with the EPA-approved label and labeling of the affected product(s). Exceptions to these general rules will be made in specific cases when more stringent restrictions on sale, distribution, or use of the products or their ingredients have already been imposed, as in Special Review actions, or where the Agency has identified significant potential risk concerns associated with a particular chemical.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Pesticides and pests, Product registrations.

Dated: April 3, 1996.

Frank Sanders,

Director, Program Management and Support Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

[FR Doc. 96-9283 Filed 4-16-96; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6560-50-F

[PF-650; FRL-5362-7]

Conversion of Tolerances for Fenvalerate to Esfenvalerate; Notice of Filing

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces receipt by EPA of an initial filing of a food additive petition (FAP) and it announces two amendments to a previously published filing of a pesticide petition (PP).

DATES: Written comments, identified by the docket number [PF-650], should be submitted to EPA by May 17, 1996.

ADDRESSES: By mail, comments should be forwarded to Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460.

Information submitted as a comment concerning this document may be claimed confidential by marking any part or all of that information as "Confidential Business Information" (CBI). Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2. A copy of the comment that does not contain CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public record. Information not marked confidential may be disclosed publicly by EPA without prior notice.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically by sending electronic mail (e-mail) to: opp-docket@epamail.epa.gov. Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comments and data will also be accepted on disks in WordPerfect 5.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number [PF-650]. No CBI should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments on this document may be filed online at many Federal Depository Library. Additional information on electronic

submissions can be found below in this document.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: By mail: George T. LaRocca, Product Manager (PM) 13, Registration Division (7505C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460. Office location and telephone number: Rm. 200, CM #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22202 (703) 305-6100; e-mail: larocca.george@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: EPA has received the following pesticide petitions and food additive petitions:

Amended Filings

1. *PP 4F4329.* DuPont Agricultural Products, PO Box 80038, Wilmington, DE, 19880-0038 has submitted a petition to EPA that proposes conversion of tolerances for fenvalerate (40 CFR 180.379) to esfenvalerate (*S*-alpha-cyano(3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl *S*-4-chloro- alpha-(1-methylethyl)benzecate) tolerances. The original notice of filing was published in the Federal Register on July 13, 1994 (59 FR 35719). The following are amendments to that filing:

a. The following raw agricultural commodities (RAC) (current fenvalerate tolerance followed by proposed esfenvalerate tolerance in parts per million) were not included in the original filing: meat, meat fat, and meat-by-products of cattle, hogs, horses, goats, and sheep at 1.5, 1.5; milk 0.3, 0.3; milk fat 7.0, 7.0.

b. DuPont also proposes esfenvalerate tolerances (in parts per million) for the following RAC's that never had established fenvalerate tolerances: soybean forage 10 and soybean hay 15.

c. The RAC turnip roots is amended to: "turnip roots 0.5, 0.5". The RAC radish tops was omitted and should be added as follows: "radish tops 8.0, 3.0."

d. The word "walnuts" was omitted and should be added as follows: "English walnuts 0.2, 0.2."

e. The following tolerance with regional registration (current fenvalerate tolerance followed by proposed esfenvalerate tolerance) is proposed: Okra 0.1, 0.1.

Initial Filings

1. *FAP 6H5750.* DuPont Agricultural Products, P.O. Box 80038, Wilmington, DE 19880-0038 submitted on January 26, 1994 a petition (PP 4F4329) for the conversion of tolerances for fenvalerate (40 CFR 180.379) to esfenvalerate (*S*-alpha-cyano(3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl *S*-4-chloro-alpha-(1-methylethyl)benzecate). On March 9, 1994 DuPont also proposed to amend 40 CFR 186.1300 by converting feed

additive tolerances from fenvalerate to esfenvalerate. This petition was amended February 28, 1995 to propose a tolerance of 4 ppm for wet apple pomace and on March 8, 1996 to propose a tolerance of 0.5 ppm on soybean hulls.

2. *PP 4F3003.* Shell Oil Co., Suite 200, 1025 Connecticut Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20036, submitted on November 29, 1983 a pesticide petition to EPA that proposed to amend 40 CFR 180.379 by establishing tolerances for residues of the insecticide fenvalerate (cyano(3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl *S*-4-chloro-alpha-(1-methylethyl)benzecate) for sorghum and poultry. These proposed tolerances were published in the Federal Register of January 4, 1984 (49 FR 503). On November 3, 1989, DuPont Agricultural Products, P.O. Box 80038, Wilmington, DE, 19880-0038 amended the petition by switching the proposed tolerances from fenvalerate to esfenvalerate (*S*-alpha-cyano(3-phenoxyphenyl)methyl *S*-4-chloro-alpha-(1-methylethyl)benzecate). On December 10, 1991 DuPont Agricultural Products amended the petition for esfenvalerate by changing the tolerance in/on the following food commodities: sorghum grain 5 ppm (parts per million), sorghum forage 10 ppm, sorghum fodder 10 ppm, whole eggs 0.03 ppm, poultry meat 0.03, poultry fat 0.3 ppm, poultry meat by-products 0.3 ppm, poultry liver 0.03 ppm.

2. *FAP 4H5419.* Shell Oil Co., Suite 200, 1025 Connecticut Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20036, submitted on November 29, 1983 a food additive petition to EPA that proposed tolerances for sorghum milling products. FAP 4H5419 will be withdrawn because the Agency is no longer requiring tolerances for sorghum milled products.

A record has been established for this notice of receipt under docket number [PF-650] (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The public record is located in Room 1132 of the Public Response and Program Resources Branch, Field Operations Division (7506C), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, Crystal Mall #2, 1921 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at: opp-Docket@epamail.epa.gov