occurring organism normally found in the environment and on crop plants. The low toxicity of the subject active ingredients is demonstrated by the data summarized above. Based on this information, it has been determined that aggregate exposure to Trichodex over a lifetime will not pose appreciable risks to human health and there is a reasonable certainty that no harm will result from Trichodex residues. Since people are exposed to *T. harzianum* from natural sources, the incremental exposure from its use in pesticide products is expected to be negligible.

2. *Infants and children*. It has been determined that the toxicity and exposure data are sufficiently complete to adequately address the potential for additional sensitivity of infants and children to residues of Trichodex. It is concluded that there is a reasonable certainty that no harm will result to infants and children from aggregate exposure to Trichodex residues.

G. Existing Tolerances

1. *Existing tolerances or tolerance exemptions*. A temporary tolerance exemption in conjunction with an Experimental Use Permit for Trichodex is currently in effect. EPA has also promulgated permanent exemptions from the requirement for a tolerance for strains of *T. harzianum* other than T-39.

2. *International tolerances or tolerance exemptions*. No maximum residue level has been established for Trichodex by the Codex Alimentarius Commission. Exemptions from the requirement of a tolerance have been granted for Trichodex in all international registrations.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPTS–00215; FRL–5724–5]

Printed Wiring Board Cleaner Technologies Substitutes Assessment, Making Holes Conductive; Notice of Availability

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of Availability for Comment.

SUMMARY: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is announcing the availability of the draft document entitled ''Printed Wiring Board Cleaner Technologies Substitutes Assessment: Making Holes Conductive.'' This document details the findings of EPA's Design for the Environment (DfE) Printed Wiring Board (PWB) Project regarding alternative technologies for performing the ''making holes conductive'' function during the manufacture of PWBs.

DATES: Comments are due no later than October 6, 1997.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be mailed in triplicate to: TSCA Public Docket, Rm. NEG 99, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC, 20460. Comments and data may also be submitted electronically by following the instructions under Unit II. No CBI should be submitted through e-mail. Comments are available for public inspection and copying in the TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, Rm. NEB 607, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC. Free copies of the complete 2-volume report (EPA 744–R–97–002 a and b) can be obtained by contacting the EPA's Pollution Prevention Information Clearinghouse (PPIC), at 401 M St., SW., (7407), Washington DC, 20460; 202–260–1023; fax 202–260–4659, or the report can be reviewed on the DfE home page at http://www.epa.gov/dfe.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dipti Singh, Design for the Environment Program, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (7406), U.S. EPA, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC, 20460; 202–260–1678, e-mail: oppt.dfe@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Project Background

EPA's Design for the Environment (DfE) Program began working with the printed wiring board (PWB) industry in 1994, to identify and evaluate environmentally beneficial and cost effective alternatives to PWB manufacturing technologies. The DfE PWB Project is a voluntary, cooperative partnership between EPA, the PWB industry, public-interest groups, and other stakeholders. The goal of this Project is to provide information that will assist the PWB industry in making informed decisions when evaluating and implementing beneficial alternatives to PWB manufacturing technologies.

For purposes of this study, the project evaluated seven alternative technologies for performing the ''making holes conductive'' (MHC) function during the manufacture of PWBs. The non-conveyorized electroless copper process was considered the baseline process against which alternative technologies and equipment configurations were compared. With this notice, EPA is announcing the availability of the draft document entitled ''Printed Wiring Board Cleaner Technologies Substitutes Assessment: Making Holes Conductive.'' This document marks the culmination of over 2–years of research by the DfE PWB Project and the University of Tennessee Center for Clean Products and Clean Technologies. The data gathered on the comparative risk, performance, cost, and natural resource requirements of the alternatives and baseline technologies are presented in this document.

II. Public Record

The official record for this notice, as well as the public version, has been established for this notice under docket number [OPPTS–00215], and will include any comments and data submitted electronically. A public version of this record, including printed/paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as confidential business information CBI, is available for inspection from 12 noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding Federal legal holidays. The official record is located at the address in ''ADDRESSES'' at the beginning of this document.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at:

oppt.ncic@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 in 5.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number [OPPTS–00215]. Electronic comments on this proposed rule may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

Dated: August 12, 1997.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification of Action in Rulemaking Proceedings

August 19, 1997.

Petitions for reconsideration have been filed in the Commission's rulemaking proceeding listed in this