

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY**

[OPPTS-51875; FRL-5756-9]

**Certain Chemicals; Premanufacture
Notices**

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture or import a new chemical to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture or import of substances not on the TSCA Inventory. Section 5 of TSCA also requires EPA to publish receipt and status information in the **Federal Register** each month reporting premanufacture notices (PMN) and test marketing exemption (TME) application requests received, both pending and expired. The information in this document contains notices received from September 15, 1997 to September 19, 1997. This document also includes a premanufacture notice that was inadvertently omitted and was received in the week of August 25, 1997 to August 29, 1997. It will appear first in "(I) PMNs received..."

ADDRESSES: Written comments, identified by the document control number "[OPPTS-51875]" and the specific PMN number, if appropriate, should be sent to: Document Control Office (7407), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Rm. ETG-099 Washington, DC 20460.

Comments and data may also be submitted electronically by sending electronic mail (e-mail) to: 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 5.1/6.1 file format or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket number [OPPTS-51875]. No Confidential Business Information (CBI) should be submitted through e-mail. Electronic comments on this notice may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries. Additional information on electronic submissions can be found under "SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION".

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information claimed as CBI must also be submitted and will be placed in the public record for this notice. Persons submitting information on any portion of which they believe is entitled to treatment as CBI by EPA must assert a business confidentiality claim in accordance with 40 CFR 2.203(b) for each such portion. This claim must be made at the time that the information is submitted to EPA. If a submitter does not assert a confidentiality claim at the time of submission, EPA will consider this as a waiver of any confidentiality claim and the information may be made available to the public by EPA without further notice to the submitter.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Susan B. Hazen, Director, Environmental Assistance Division (7408), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, Rm. E-545, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC, 20460, (202) 554-1404, TDD (202) 554-0551; e-mail: TSCA-Hotline@epamail.epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the provisions of TSCA, EPA is required to publish notice of receipt and status reports of chemicals subject to section 5 reporting requirements. The notice requirements are provided in TSCA sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3). Specifically, EPA is required to provide notice of receipt of PMNs and TME application requests received. EPA also is required to identify those chemical submissions for which data has been received, the uses or intended uses of such chemicals, and the nature of any test data which may have been developed. Lastly, EPA is required to provide periodic status reports of all chemical substances undergoing review and receipt of notices of commencement.

A record has been established for this notice under docket number "[OPPTS-51875]" (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 12 noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The public record is located in the TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center (NCIC), Rm. NEM-B607, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460.

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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.

In the past, EPA has published individual notices reflecting the status of section 5 filings received, pending or expired, as well as notices reflecting receipt of notices of commencement. In an effort to become more responsive to the regulated community, the users of this information and the general public, to comply with the requirements of TSCA, to conserve EPA resources, and to streamline the process and make it more timely, EPA is consolidating these separate notices into one comprehensive notice that will be issued at regular intervals.

In this notice, EPA shall provide a consolidated report in the **Federal Register** reflecting the dates PMN requests were received, the projected notice end date, the manufacturer or importer identity, to the extent that such information is not claimed as confidential and chemical identity, either specific or generic depending on whether chemical identity has been claimed confidential. Additionally, in this same report, EPA shall provide a listing of receipt of new notices of commencement.

EPA believes the new format of the notice will be easier to understand by the interested public, and provides the information that is of greatest interest to the public users. Certain information provided in the earlier notices will not be provided under the new format. The status reports of substances under review, potential production volume, and summaries of health and safety data will not be provided in the new notices.

EPA is not providing production volume information in the consolidated notice since such information is generally claimed as confidential. For this reason, there is no substantive loss to the public in not publishing the data. Health and safety data are not summarized in the notice since it is recognized as impossible, given the format of this notice, as well as the previous style of notices, to provide meaningful information on the subject. In those submissions where health and safety data were received by the Agency, a footnote is included by the Manufacturer/Importer identity to

indicate its existence. As stated below, interested persons may contact EPA directly to secure information on such studies.

For persons who are interested in data not included in this notice, access can be secured at EPA Headquarters in the NCIC at the address provided above.

Additionally, interested parties may telephone the Document Control Office at (202) 260-1532, TDD (202) 554-0551, for generic use information, health and safety data not claimed as confidential or status reports on section 5 filings.

Send all comments to the address listed above. All comments received

will be reviewed and appropriate amendments will be made as deemed necessary.

This notice will identify: (I) PMNs received; and (II) Notices of Commencement to manufacture/import.

I. 20 Premanufacture Notices Received From: 09/15/97 to 09/19/97

Case No.	Received Date	Projected Notice End Date	Manufacturer/Importer	Use	Chemical
P-97-1023 P-97-1058	08/26/97 09/15/97	11/24/97 12/08/97	CBI Jowat Corporation	(G) Inhibitor (S) Production of hot melts	(G) Phosphonomethylated polyamine (G) Polyisocyanate of 2,4' and 4,4'-diphenylmethane-diisocyanate and hydroxy terminated polyethers
P-97-1059	09/16/97	12/15/97	Engelhard Corporation	(S) Coatings; plastics; inks	(G) Naphthol red pigment
P-97-1060	09/16/97	12/15/97	CBI	(G) Catalyst for automotive polymers	(G) Sodium salt of phenol
P-97-1061	09/16/97	12/15/97	CBI	(G) Catalyst for automotive polymers	(G) Sodium salt of phenol
P-97-1062	09/16/97	12/15/97	CBI	(G) Catalyst for automotive polymers	(G) Sodium salt of phenol
P-97-1063	09/15/97	12/14/97	CBI	(S) Curative for epoxy resin	(G) Polyamide
P-97-1064	09/15/97	12/14/97	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive use	(G) Methacrylate polymer
P-97-1065	09/16/97	12/15/97	CBI	(G) Open, non-dispersive use in a coating application	(G) Aqueous polyurethane dispersion
P-97-1066	09/15/97	12/14/97	Akzo Nobel Resins	(S) Resin used to manufacture industrial coatings	(S) Fatty acid, C ₁₆₋₁₈ , polymers with butyl acrylate, hexahydro-1,3-isobenzofurandione, 2-hydroxyethyl methacrylate, styrene, 3,5,5-trimethylhexanoic acid and trimethylolpropane
P-97-1067	09/18/97	12/17/97	CBI	(G) Fiber treatment chemical-intermediate	(G) Ethoxylated phosphoric acid
P-97-1068	09/17/97	12/16/97	Cytec Industries	(G) Polymeric coating additive	(G) Vinyl alkyl polyester copolymer
P-97-1069	09/16/97	12/15/97	Cytec Industries	(G) Polymeric coating additive	(G) Alkyl polyester polymer
P-97-1070	09/18/97	12/17/97	CBI	(G) Fiber treatment chemical	(G) Ethoxylated phosphoric acid ester salts
P-97-1071	09/18/97	12/17/97	CBI	(G) Fiber treatment chemical	(G) Ethoxylated phosphoric acid ester salts
P-97-1072	09/18/97	12/17/97	CBI	(G) Fiber treatment chemical	(G) Ethoxylated phosphoric acid ester salts
P-97-1073	09/18/97	12/17/97	CBI	(G) General use coating	(G) Polymer of an alkoxy functional silanes, siloxanes, acrylics, silicones, and fluorinated alcohol
P-97-1074	09/17/97	12/16/97	CBI	(G) UV radiation cure agent	(G) Aliphatic acrylate
P-97-1075	09/18/97	12/17/97	Henkel Corporation (Emery Group)	(G) Synthetic fiber lubricant	(S) Amides, from acetic acid, C ₅₋₉ carboxylic acids and diethylene triamine-ethyleneimine polymer
P-97-1076	09/18/97	12/17/97	Henkel Corporation (Emery Group)	(G) Synthetic fiber lubricant	(S) Amides, from acetic acid, C ₅₋₉ carboxylic acids and diethylene triamine-ethyleneimine polymer, acetates

II. 19 Notices of Commencement/Import Received Date 09/15/97 to 09/19/97

Case No.	Received date	Commencement/Import	Chemical
P-91-0732 P-96-0021	09/16/97 09/15/97	08/20/97 08/18/97	(G) Ammonium organo phosphonate (G) Polyalkenyl succinic anhydride, reaction products with polyethylenepolyamine and alkylaldehyde; metalated
P-96-0022	09/15/97	08/18/97	(G) Polyalkenyl succinic anhydride, reaction products with polyethylenepolyamine and alkylaldehyde metalated
P-96-1029	09/16/97	08/26/97	(S) Polymer of: 1,3,5-triazine-2,4,4(1 <i>h</i> ,3 <i>h</i> ,5 <i>h</i>)-trione,1,3,5-tris(2-hydroxyethyl)-, polymer with 2-aminoethanol, 2,2-dimethyl-1,3-propanediol, 2,5-furandione and 3 <i>a</i> ,4,7,7 <i>a</i> -tetrahydro-1,3-isobenzofurandione (9 <i>cl</i>)
P-96-1276 P-96-1325	09/18/97 09/16/97	09/09/97 08/30/97	(G) Substituted heterocycle (G) Substituted benzene, [[[polysubstituted-heterocycle]-(substituted)-oxoalkyl]amino]-
P-97-0122 P-97-0367	09/15/97 09/16/97	08/22/97 08/22/97	(G) Adipamide (G) Ethylene oxide, polymer with propylene oxide, alkylphenol, formaldehyde and alkenoic acids

II. 19 Notices of Commencement/Import Received Date 09/15/97 to 09/19/97—Continued

Case No.	Received date	Commencement/ Import	Chemical
P-97-0566	09/19/97	09/05/97	(S) 2-Propenedoic acid, 2-methyl,2-(1-oxy-4-azoptrol (4,5)dec-4-yl)ethyl ester, polymer with butyl -2-propenoate (1,2-propenoate, mono-2-propenoat, 2,2 ' azobis 1-2,methylbutylbutanenitrile initiated
P-97-0630	09/15/97	08/19/97	(G) Epoxy acid ester
P-97-0631	09/18/97	09/11/97	(G) Alkoxy silane ester
P-97-0632	09/18/97	09/11/97	(G) Alkoxy silane ester
P-97-0633	09/18/97	09/11/97	(G) Alkoxy silane ester
P-97-0634	09/18/97	09/11/97	(G) Alkoxy silane ester
P-97-0726	09/15/97	09/08/97	(G) Sodium salt of aromatic sulfonic acid formaldehyde condensate
P-97-0770	09/15/97	09/10/97	(G) Acrylic emulsion polymer
P-97-0771	09/15/97	09/10/97	(G) Acrylic emulsion polymer
P-97-0772	09/15/97	09/10/97	(G) Acrylic emulsion polymer
P-97-0773	09/15/97	09/10/97	(G) Acrylic emulsion polymer

List of Subjects

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