

manufacture or import new chemical substances for test marketing purposes, if the Agency finds that the manufacture, processing, distribution in commerce, use, and disposal of the substances for test marketing purposes will not present an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment. EPA may impose restrictions on test marketing activities and may modify or revoke a test marketing exemption upon receipt of new information which casts significant doubt on its finding that the test marketing activity will not present an unreasonable risk of injury.

IV. What Action is the Agency Taking?

EPA has approved the above-referenced TME. EPA has determined that test marketing the new chemical substance, under the conditions set out in the TME application and in this notice, will not present any unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment.

V. What Restrictions Apply to this TME?

The test market time period, production volume, number of customers, and use must not exceed specifications in the application and this notice. All other conditions and restrictions described in the application and in this notice must also be met.

TME 99-3

Date of Receipt: June 10, 1999.

Notice of Receipt: July 16, 1999 (64 FR 38425).

Applicant: Kiwi Brands.

Chemical: (G) Ethanol, 2-[2-(C₁₂₋₁₄-alkyloxy) derivs., hydrogen sulfates, compounds with triisopropanolamine.

Use: (G) Household cleaning surfactant.

Production Volume: 4.6 kg/yr.

Number of Customers: 350.

Test Marketing Period: 60 days, commencing on first day of commercial manufacture.

The following additional restrictions apply to this TME. A bill of lading accompanying each shipment must state that the use of the substance is restricted to that approved in the TME. In addition, the applicant shall maintain the following records until 5 years after the date they are created, and shall make them available for inspection or copying in accordance with section 11 of TSCA:

1. Records of the quantity of the TME substance produced and the date of manufacture.

2. Records of dates of the shipments to each customer and the quantities supplied in each shipment.

3. Copies of the bill of lading that accompanies each shipment of the TME substance.

VI. What was EPA's Risk Assessment for this TME?

EPA identified no significant health or environmental concerns for the test market substance. Therefore, the test market activities will not present any unreasonable risk of injury to human health or the environment.

VII. Can EPA Change Its Decision on this TME in the Future?

Yes. The Agency reserves the right to rescind approval or modify the conditions and restrictions of an exemption should any new information that comes to its attention cast significant doubt on its finding that the test marketing activities will not present any unreasonable risk of injury to human health or the environment.

List of Subjects

Environmental protection, Test marketing exemptions.

Dated: September 28, 1999.

Flora Chow,

Chief, New Chemicals Notice Management Branch, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[OPPTS-51934; FRL-6384-3]

Certain New Chemicals; Receipt and Status Information

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Section 5 of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on the TSCA Inventory) to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), EPA is required to publish a notice of receipt of a premanufacture notice (PMN) or an application for a test marketing exemption (TME), and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period

from August 16, 1999 to September 3, 1999, consists of the PMNs and TMEs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Christine M. Augustyniak, Associate Director, Environmental Assistance Division (7408), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC 20460; telephone numbers: (202) 554-1404 and TDD: (202) 554-0551; e-mail address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Does this Action Apply to Me?

This action is directed to the public in general. As such, the Agency has not attempted to describe the specific entities that this action may apply to. Although others may be affected, this action applies directly to the submitter of the premanufacture notices addressed in the action. If you have any questions regarding the applicability of this action to a particular entity, consult the person listed in the "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT" section.

II. How Can I Get Additional Information, Including Copies of this Document and Other Related Documents?

A. *Electronically.* You may obtain copies of this document and certain other available documents from the EPA Internet Home Page at <http://www.epa.gov/>. On the Home Page select "Laws and Regulations" and then look up the entry for this document under the "Federal Register -- Environmental Documents." You can also go directly to the "Federal Register" listings at <http://www.epa.gov/fedrgstr/>.

B. *In person.* The Agency has established an official record for this action under docket control number OPPTS-51934. The official record consists of the documents specifically referenced in this action, any public comments received during an applicable comment period, and other information related to this action, including any information claimed as confidential business information (CBI). This official record includes the documents that are physically located in the docket, as well as the documents that are referenced in those documents. The public version of the official record does not include any information claimed as CBI. The public version of the official record, which includes printed, paper versions of any electronic comments submitted during

an applicable comment period, is available for inspection in the TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, North East Rm. B-607, Waterside Mall, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC. The Center is open from noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number of the Center is (202) 260-7099.

III. Why is EPA Taking this Action?

Section 5 of TSCA requires any person who intends to manufacture (defined by statute to include import) a new chemical (i.e., a chemical not on the TSCA Inventory to notify EPA and comply with the statutory provisions pertaining to the manufacture of new chemicals. Under sections 5(d)(2) and 5(d)(3) of TSCA, EPA is required to

publish a notice of receipt of a PMN or an application for a TME and to publish periodic status reports on the chemicals under review and the receipt of notices of commencement to manufacture those chemicals. This status report, which covers the period from August 16, 1999 to September 3, 1999, consists of the PMNs and TMEs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period.

IV. Receipt and Status Report for PMNs

This status report identifies the PMNs and TMEs, both pending or expired, and the notices of commencement to manufacture a new chemical that the

Agency has received under TSCA section 5 during this time period. If you are interested in information that is not included in the following tables, you may contact EPA as described in Unit II above to access additional non-CBI information that may be available.

In table I, EPA provides the following information (to the extent that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the PMNs received by EPA during this period: the EPA case number assigned to the PMN; the date the PMN was received by EPA; the projected end date for EPA's review of the PMN; the submitting manufacturer; the potential uses identified by the manufacturer in the PMN; and the chemical identity.

I. 97 Premanufacture Notices Received From: 08/16/99 to 09/03/99

| Case No. | Received Date | Projected Notice End Date | Manufacturer/Importer | Use | Chemical |
|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---|---|
| P-99-1208 | 08/17/99 | 11/15/99 | Ricon Resins, Inc | (S) Coatings for metal, plastic glass; adhesives; inks; sealants; photoresists* | (S) 1,3-butadiene, homopolymer, maleated, 2-[(2-methyl-1-oxo-2-propenyl)oxy]ethyl esters* |
| P-99-1209 | 08/17/99 | 11/15/99 | CBI | (G) Printing ink | (G) Alkyd resin |
| P-99-1210 | 08/17/99 | 11/15/99 | Environmental Test Systems, Inc. | (G) Additive in a urine screening test | (S) 5-isoquinolinesulfonic acid* |
| P-99-1211 | 08/17/99 | 11/15/99 | Bush Boake Allen Inc. | (S) Fragrance ingredient for perfumes, colognes, deoderants; fragrance ingredient for personal care; fragrance ingredient for cleaners; fragrance ingredient for soap | (S) Cyclohexanepropanol, beta-methyl* |
| P-99-1212 | 08/17/99 | 11/15/99 | Bush Boake Allen Inc. | (S) Raw material for manufacturing (deodorants); fragrance ingredient for personal care; fragrance ingredient for cleaners; fragrance ingredient for soap | (S) Benzenepropanol, beta-methyl* |
| P-99-1213 | 08/16/99 | 11/14/99 | Petro-Canada America Inc. | (S) Chemical manufacturing; industrial process oils | (S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₁₀₋₂₅ , branched* |
| P-99-1214 | 08/16/99 | 11/14/99 | Petro-Canada America Inc. | (S) Lubricant blending; rubber/plastics compounding; chemical manufacturing; other material processing | (S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₁₅₋₃₀ , branched, high viscosity index* |
| P-99-1215 | 08/16/99 | 11/14/99 | Petro-Canada America Inc. | (S) Lubricant blending; rubber/plastics compounding; chemical manufacturing; other material processing | (S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₂₀₋₄₀ , branched, high viscosity index* |
| P-99-1216 | 08/16/99 | 11/14/99 | Petro-Canada America Inc. | (S) Lubricant blending; rubber/plastics compounding; chemical manufacturing; other material processing | (S) Gas oils (petroleum), vacuum, hydrocracked, hydroisomerized, hydrogenated, C ₂₅₋₅₅ , branched, high viscosity index* |
| P-99-1217 | 08/16/99 | 11/14/99 | CBI | (G) Pigment dispersant | (G) Amine neutralized phosphated polyester |
| P-99-1218 | 08/16/99 | 11/14/99 | CBI | (G) Pigment dispersant | (G) Amine neutralized phosphated polyester |
| P-99-1219 | 08/19/99 | 11/17/99 | Owens Corning | (G) Asphalt for roofing products | (S) Asphalt, polymer with butadiene and styrene* |
| P-99-1220 | 08/19/99 | 11/17/99 | 3M Company | (G) Coating additive | (S) Carbamic acid, [3-(triethoxysilyl)propyl]-, 2-hydroxypropyl ester; carbamic acid, [3-(triethoxysilyl)propyl]-, 2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl ester* |
| P-99-1221 | 08/19/99 | 11/17/99 | 3M Company | (G) Coating additive | (S) Carbamic acid, [3-(diethoxymethylsilyl)propyl]-, 2-hydroxypropyl ester; carbamic acid, [3-(diethoxymethylsilyl)propyl]-, 2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl ester* |

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| Case No. | Received Date | Projected Notice End Date | Manufacturer/Importer | Use | Chemical |
|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| P-99-1222 | 08/20/99 | 11/18/99 | CBI | (G) Chemical intermediate | (G) Substituted benzoic acid ester |
| P-99-1223 | 08/20/99 | 11/18/99 | Cook Composites & Polymers Co. | (S) Polymer base for metal finish top-coat | (G) Acrylic copolymer resin |
| P-99-1224 | 08/20/99 | 11/18/99 | Cook Composites & Polymers Co. | (S) Polymer base for metal finish top-coat | (G) Acrylic copolymer resin |
| P-99-1225 | 08/20/99 | 11/18/99 | Cook Composites & Polymers Co. | (S) Polymer base for metal finish top-coat | (G) Acrylic copolymer resin |
| P-99-1226 | 08/20/99 | 11/18/99 | CBI | (G) Chemical intermediate | (G) Substituted benzoyl chloride |
| P-99-1227 | 08/23/99 | 11/21/99 | S. C. Johnson & Son, Inc. | (S) Surface cleaning product; laundry treatment product | (G) Stabilized hypochlorite |
| P-99-1228 | 08/23/99 | 11/21/99 | S. C. Johnson & Son, Inc. | (S) Surface cleaning product; laundry treatment product | (G) Stabilized hypochlorite |
| P-99-1229 | 08/24/99 | 11/22/99 | 3M Company | (G) Coating resin | (G) Styrene-acrylonitrile-based polymer |
| P-99-1230 | 08/25/99 | 11/23/99 | CBI | (S) Industrial coatings | (S) 1,3-benzenedicarboxylic acid, polymer with 2-butyl-2-ethyl-1,3-propanediol, 1,4-cyclohexanedicarboxylic acid, 2-ethyl-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol, hexanedioic acid and 1,3-isobenzofurandione, 2-hydroxy-3-[(1-oxoneodecyl)oxy]propyl ester, 2-oxobutanoate* |
| P-99-1231 | 08/25/99 | 11/23/99 | Shin-Etsu Silicones of America, Inc | (S) Defoaming | (S) Siloxanes and silicones, di-me, me hydrogen, me pr, reaction products with polyethylene-polypropylene glycol allyl ether and polyethylene-polypropylene glycol monoallyl ether* |
| P-99-1232 | 08/25/99 | 11/23/99 | 3M Company | (G) Coating | (S) 2-propenoic acid, 2-methyl-, 2-hydroxyethyl ester, polymer with ethyl 2-propenoate, methyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate, oxiranylmethyl 2-methyl-2-propenoate and 2-propenenitrile* |
| P-99-1233 | 08/25/99 | 11/23/99 | Saft America | (S) Additive for lithium-ion battery electrolyte | (S) 1,3-dioxol-2-one* |
| P-99-1234 | 08/26/99 | 11/24/99 | CBI | (G) Open, non-dispersive use | (G) Epoxy ester urethane resin |
| P-99-1235 | 08/26/99 | 11/24/99 | CBI | (S) Intermediate | (G) Epoxy ester resin |
| P-99-1236 | 08/26/99 | 11/24/99 | Dainippon Ink and Chemicals, Inc. | (S) Uv curable resin for inks | (G) Polyurethane resin |
| P-99-1237 | 08/26/99 | 11/24/99 | CIBA Specialty Chemicals Corporation | (G) Textile dye | (G) Arylsulfonic acid, 2-[[6-[[4-chloro-6-[[4-[[2-(substituted)phenyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]amino]-1-hydroxy-3-sulfo-2-naphthalenyl]azo]-, sodium salt |
| P-99-1238 | 08/26/99 | 11/24/99 | CIBA Specialty Chemicals Corporation | (G) Textile dye | (G) Arylsulfonic acid, 2-[[6-[[4-chloro-6-[[4-[[2-(substituted)phenyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]amino]-1-hydroxy-3-sulfo-2-naphthalenyl]azo]-, sodium salt |
| P-99-1239 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | Union Carbide Corporation | (G) Catalyst | (G) Aluminum alkyls, reaction product with transition metal halide complex salt |
| P-99-1240 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | Union Carbide Corporation | (G) Catalyst | (G) Aluminum alkyls, reaction product with transition metal halide complex salt |
| P-99-1241 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | Union Carbide Corporation | (G) Catalyst | (G) Aluminum alkyls, reaction product with transition metal halide complex salt |
| P-99-1242 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | Union Carbide Corporation | (G) Catalyst | (G) Aluminum alkyls, reaction product with transition metal halide complex salt |
| P-99-1243 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | Union Carbide Corporation | (G) Catalyst | (G) Aluminum alkyls, reaction product with transition metal halide complex salt |
| P-99-1244 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | CBI | (G) Polymeric intermediate intended for destructive use | (G) Catechol-formaldehyde resin |

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| P-99-1245 | 08/27/99 | 11/25/99 | MG Generon | (G) Membrane material | (S) Carbonic dichloride, polymer with 4,4'-(9h-fluoren-9-ylidene)bis [2,6-dibromophenol]* |
| P-99-1246 | 08/27/99 | 11/25/99 | CBI | (G) Open, non-dispersive use | (G) Amine soap |
| P-99-1247 | 08/27/99 | 11/25/99 | CBI | (S) Base coat binder | (G) Polymonomeric polyurethane |
| P-99-1248 | 08/27/99 | 11/25/99 | CBI | (S) Dispersant for use in lubricating oils | (G) Metalated reaction product of a carbonic acid compound of an aminated base with succinic anhydride, polyalkenyl derivatives |
| P-99-1249 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (S) Inks; coatings | (G) Polyester acrylate |
| P-99-1250 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | Hi-tech Color, Inc. | (S) Thermal transfer sheet (back coating agent) | (G) Polyester polyol polyurethane and organopolysiloxane containing hydroxy group copolymer |
| P-99-1251 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | CBI | (G) Open non-dispersive (catalyst) | (G) Tin-ii-carboxylate |
| P-99-1252 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | CBI | (S) Curing agent for epoxy coatings and flooring systems | (G) Polyamine adducts |
| P-99-1253 | 08/30/99 | 11/28/99 | CBI | (S) Curing agent for epoxy coatings and flooring systems | (G) Polyamine adducts |
| P-99-1254 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1255 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1256 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1257 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1258 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |

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| P-99-1259 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1260 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1261 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1262 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1263 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sodium salt. this sodium sulfonate is to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1264 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhanced oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered. | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt |
| P-99-1265 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhanced oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered. | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt |

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| P-99-1266 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhanced oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered. | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt |
| P-99-1267 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhanced oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered. | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt |
| P-99-1268 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhanced oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered. | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt |
| P-99-1269 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1270 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1271 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |

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|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| P-99-1272 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1273 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1274 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1275 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1276 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1277 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |

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| P-99-1278 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This intermediate process chemical (a normal alpha olefin alkylated (o)-xylene) is intended as feedstock for the preparation of the corresponding sulfonic acid. this acid will ultimately be converted to its sodium salt to be used in basic brine solutions to increase the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. | (G) Linear xylene alkylate, mono |
| P-99-1279 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhance oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increased the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt* |
| P-99-1280 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhance oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increased the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt* |
| P-99-1281 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhance oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increased the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt* |
| P-99-1282 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhance oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increased the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt* |
| P-99-1283 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | CBI | (G) This commercial chemical (the sodium salt of a sulfonated alkylate of (o)-xylene) is intended as a "down hole" enhance oil recovery surfactant used in basic brine solutions to increased the recovery of crude oil from subterranean oil reservoirs. this material remains in the oil reserves strata and is not recovered | (G) Sulfonic acid, linear xylene alkylate, mono, sodium salt* |
| P-99-1284 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Substituted benzenesulfonyl chloride* |
| P-99-1285 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Substituted benzenesulfinic acid salt |
| P-99-1286 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | Vianova Resins Incorporated | (G) Pigment grinding resin | (G) Condensation of an acrylic modified alkyd resin and urea resin |
| P-99-1287 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | Octel America, Inc. | (S) Gasoline fuel additive (this pmn chemical is destroyed when burnt in gasoline in use.) | (G) Polyalkylenamine |

I. 97 Premanufacture Notices Received From: 08/16/99 to 09/03/99—Continued

| Case No. | Received Date | Projected Notice End Date | Manufacturer/Importer | Use | Chemical |
|-----------|---------------|---------------------------|--|--|--|
| P-99-1288 | 09/01/99 | 11/30/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Substituted anilino halobenzamide |
| P-99-1289 | 09/01/99 | 11/30/99 | CBI | (S) Polyol for polyester intermediate | (G) Polyether polycarbonate diol |
| P-99-1290 | 09/01/99 | 11/30/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Contained use in imaging products | (G) Substituted hydroxyphenyl halosubstituted benzamide |
| P-99-1291 | 09/01/99 | 11/30/99 | Westvaco Corporation - Chemical Division | (S) Hydrocarbon resin for lithographic inks | (G) Rosin modified fatty acids, tall-oil, polymer with glycerol, phenols, petroleum naphtha conc. maleic anhydride and petroleum distillates |
| P-99-1292 | 09/01/99 | 11/30/99 | Westvaco Corporation - Chemical Division | (S) Hydrocarbon resin for lithographic inks | (G) Rosin modified fatty acids, tall-oil, polymer with glycerol, phenols, petroleum naphtha, maleic anhydride and petroleum distillates |
| P-99-1293 | 09/01/99 | 11/30/99 | Westvaco Corporation - Chemical Division | (S) Hydrocarbon resin for lithographic inks | (G) Rosin modified fatty acids, tall-oil, polymer with glycerol, phenols, aromatic hydrocarbons, maleic anhydride and petroleum distillates |
| P-99-1294 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | CBI | (S) Inks coatings | (G) Polyester acrylate |
| P-99-1295 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | CIBA Specialty Chemicals Corporation | (S) Isolated intermediate for the manufacture of oxirane, [(1,1-dimethylethoxy)methyl]-casrn 7665-72-7 (aka-gbe) | (G) Chlorinated hydroxy-ether |
| P-99-1296 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Substituted phenyl butanoic acid |
| P-99-1297 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | CBI | (S) Additive for industrial coating | (G) Organo silicate |
| P-99-1298 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | BASF Corp | (S) Industrial base material for chemical manufacture | (S) Alcohols, C ₁₃₋₁₅ , branched and linear* |
| P-99-1299 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | CBI | (G) Non-dispersive use | (G) Amino epoxy silane |
| P-99-1300 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Substituted phenyl butanoyl chloride |
| P-99-1301 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Phenyl substituted butanoic acid ester |
| P-99-1302 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | CBI | (G) Processing additive | (G) Substituted anthraquinone |
| P-99-1303 | 09/03/99 | 12/02/99 | Eastman kodak company | (G) Contained use in imaging products | (G) Substituted hydroxyhalophenyl halobenzamide |
| P-99-1304 | 08/31/99 | 11/29/99 | Eastman Kodak Company | (G) Chemical intermediate, destructive use | (G) Substituted benzenesulfonic acid salt |

In table II, EPA provides the following information (to the extent that such information is not claimed as CBI) on the Notices of Commencement to manufacture received:

II. 55 Notices of Commencement From: 08/16/99 to 09/03/99

| Case No. | Received Date | Commencement/Import Date | Chemical |
|-----------|---------------|--------------------------|--|
| P-94-1645 | 08/20/99 | 11/25/98 | (G) Amine modified polyether alcohol |
| P-97-0040 | 08/19/99 | 03/05/99 | (G) Vinylalkylalkoxysilane |
| P-97-0744 | 08/26/99 | 05/26/99 | (S) Castor oil, hydrogenated, ethoxylated, triisooctadecanoate* |
| P-97-0915 | 09/03/99 | 08/02/99 | (G) Acetoacetate oligomer |
| P-97-0989 | 08/24/99 | 08/16/99 | (G) Polyalkanolamide |
| P-98-0002 | 08/20/99 | 04/30/99 | (G) Metal oxide |
| P-98-0127 | 08/20/99 | 01/14/99 | (G) Methine blue dye |
| P-98-0128 | 08/20/99 | 01/14/99 | (G) Methine blue dye |
| P-98-0143 | 08/23/99 | 07/21/99 | (G) Polyester polyurethane acrylic copolymer |
| P-98-0553 | 08/16/99 | 02/02/99 | (G) Substance (3) polyether succinate, compd. with mixed amines |
| P-98-0717 | 08/30/99 | 08/19/99 | (G) Quaternary salt of a functionalized pyridine |
| P-98-0823 | 08/31/99 | 08/23/99 | (S) 12-aminododecanoic acid* |
| P-98-0839 | 08/19/99 | 05/03/99 | (G) Acrylic resin |
| P-98-0862 | 08/23/99 | 07/21/99 | (G) Polyester polyurethane |
| P-98-0934 | 08/27/99 | 05/22/99 | (S) Benzenamine, <i>n</i> -[4-[(1,3-dimethylbutyl)imino]-2,5-cyclohexadien-1-ylidene]-* |
| P-98-1027 | 09/03/99 | 08/20/99 | (S) 2,5-furandione, polymer with 2,4,4-trimethyl-1-pentene, ester with polyethylene glycol mono-C ₁₂₋₁₄ -alkyl ethers, sodium salt* |
| P-98-1053 | 08/23/99 | 07/21/99 | (G) Polyester polyurethane |
| P-98-1262 | 09/01/99 | 08/02/99 | (G) Aromatic substituted diurea |

II. 55 Notices of Commencement From: 08/16/99 to 09/03/99—Continued

| Case No. | Received Date | Commencement/Import Date | Chemical |
|-----------|---------------|--------------------------|---|
| P-99-0093 | 08/31/99 | 05/19/99 | (S) 1,4-dioxa-7,9-dithia-8-stannacycloundecane-511-dione, 8,8-diocetyl- (9ci)* |
| P-99-0127 | 08/19/99 | 08/12/99 | (G) Silicone polymer |
| P-99-0147 | 08/31/99 | 08/23/99 | (G) Metal organic compound |
| P-99-0163 | 08/30/99 | 08/12/99 | (G) Amine functional epoxy based resin salted with an organic acid |
| P-99-0270 | 08/24/99 | 07/06/99 | (G) Pentyl 2,5-bis[[4-[[substituted]] benzoyl]oxy]-benzoate |
| P-99-0271 | 08/24/99 | 07/06/99 | (G) 4,4'-bis(4-(6-(1-oxo-2-propenyloxy)hexyloxy)-benzoyloxy)cyclohexylbenzene |
| P-99-0304 | 08/27/99 | 04/06/99 | (G) Polyurethane elastomer |
| P-99-0318 | 08/25/99 | 05/17/99 | (G) Metal sulfide ammonium salt |
| P-99-0331 | 09/01/99 | 07/21/99 | (G) 4-amino-5-hydroxy-6-phenylazo-3-substituted phenyl azo-naphthalene disulfonic acid |
| P-99-0335 | 08/20/99 | 05/18/99 | (S) 3-hexen-1-ol, 2-methyl-2-(3-methyl-2-butenyl)-* |
| P-99-0389 | 08/31/99 | 08/23/99 | (G) Alkyd resin |
| P-99-0398 | 08/26/99 | 08/19/99 | (G) Polyester/ acrylic copolymer |
| P-99-0401 | 08/19/99 | 05/17/99 | (G) Polyester resin |
| P-99-0421 | 08/30/99 | 05/24/99 | (G) Reaction product of: phenolic resin - cyclic aliphatic alcohols, trimellitic anhydride and aliphatic carbonates |
| P-99-0423 | 08/31/99 | 08/09/99 | (G) Polyalkylene oxide dialkylamine |
| P-99-0455 | 08/26/99 | 06/16/99 | (G) Water soluble alkyd resin |
| P-99-0532 | 08/23/99 | 08/12/99 | (G) Partially silylated isocyanate oligomer |
| P-99-0533 | 08/23/99 | 08/12/99 | (G) Silylated polyetherisocyanate oligomer |
| P-99-0539 | 08/25/99 | 06/08/99 | (G) Propanenitrile, 3-[[4-[(substituted)azo]phenyl](substituted)amino]-* |
| P-99-0544 | 08/17/99 | 08/02/99 | (S) Fatty acids, tall-oil, compounds with 2-(2-aminoethoxy)ethanol* |
| P-99-0548 | 08/17/99 | 07/27/99 | (S) Fatty acids, castor-oil, compounds with 2-(2-aminoethoxy) ethanol* |
| P-99-0574 | 09/03/99 | 08/31/99 | (G) N-alkyl modified polyisocyanate, reaction products with diamine |
| P-99-0576 | 08/23/99 | 07/21/99 | (G) Polyester polyurethane |
| P-99-0587 | 08/31/99 | 08/24/99 | (S) Nonaanoic acid, compd. with 2-(2-aminoethoxy)ethanol (1:1)* |
| P-99-0588 | 08/17/99 | 07/19/99 | (S) Boric acid (h3bo3), compd. with 2-(2-aminoethoxy)ethanol (1:1)* |
| P-99-0589 | 08/23/99 | 08/14/99 | (G) Phosphorus chloride derivative |
| P-99-0590 | 08/25/99 | 06/25/99 | (G) Naphthalene sulfonic acid derivative |
| P-99-0643 | 08/30/99 | 08/20/99 | (G) Polyether modified polysiloxane |
| P-99-0645 | 08/17/99 | 07/28/99 | (G) Amidoamine modified polyethylene glycol |
| P-99-0681 | 08/17/99 | 07/27/99 | (G) Carboxylated polyethylene glycol |
| P-99-0727 | 09/02/99 | 08/25/99 | (G) Aromatic polyurethane |
| P-99-0732 | 08/30/99 | 08/03/99 | (G) Benzofuranone, [alkylsubstituted]-2-substituted-benzofuranylidene-[alkylsubstituted] |
| P-99-0750 | 08/16/99 | 07/28/99 | (G) Acrylic polymer |
| P-99-0771 | 08/24/99 | 08/04/99 | (G) Modified phenolic acrylic resin |
| P-99-0788 | 09/01/99 | 08/11/99 | (G) Polyester polyol |
| P-99-0789 | 09/01/99 | 08/11/99 | (G) Polyester polyol |
| P-99-0790 | 09/01/99 | 08/11/99 | (G) Polyester polyol |

List of Subjects

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Premanufacture notices.

Dated: September 29, 1999.

Oscar Morales,

*Acting Director, Information Management
Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and
Toxics.*

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**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY**

[OPPTS-59366; FRL-6384-6]

**Approval of Test Marketing Exemption
for a Certain New Chemical**

AGENCY: Environmental Protection
Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces EPA's approval of an application for test marketing exemption (TME) under section 5(h)(1) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) and 40 CFR 720.38. EPA has designated this application as TME-99-1. The test marketing conditions are described in the TME application and in this notice.

DATES: Approval of this TME is effective on September 28, 1999.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**I. Does this Action Apply to Me?**

This action is directed in particular to the chemical manufacturer and/or importer who submitted the TME to EPA. This action may, however, be of interest to the public in general. Since other entities may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action. If you have any questions