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Office of Pesticide Programs**

**Agenda - 2011 NAFTA Biopesticide
Registration Improvement Course**

April 13 - 15, 2011

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2011 NAFTA BIOPESTICIDE REGISTRATION IMPROVEMENT COURSE

DAY 1 (April 13th, 2011)

ITEM	Time	Function	Proposed Presenter(s)
	7:00 - 8:00 am	REGISTRATION	
1	8:00 - 8:20 am	WELCOME/ INTRODUCTIONS/ TRAINING COURSE GOALS Part 1 Part 2	Steven Bradbury , Director, Office of Pesticide Programs Keith A. Matthews , Director, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
	8:20 - 8:25 am	Moderator's Remarks	W. Michael McDavit , Associate Director, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
1.1	8:25 - 8:40 am	Overview of the Biopesticide Industry Alliance	Bill Stoneman Biopesticide Industry Alliance Inc.
1.2	8:40 - 8:55 am	Overview of Mexico's Biopesticides Industry Association of Organic, Biological and Ecological Producers	Guillermo Cadena Avila , President, Asociacion Mexicana de Productores, Formuladores Y Distribuidores de insumos organicos, Biologicos Y Ecologicos, A. C.
1.3	8:55 - 9:10 am	Overview of EPA's Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division Regulatory Activities	W. Michael McDavit , Associate Director, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
1.4	9:10 - 9:25 am	Overview of Health Canada's PMRA Biopesticide Regulatory Activities	Terry Caunter , A/ Section Head, Risk Reduction in Agriculture Section, Value and Sustainability Assessment Directorate
1.5	9:25 - 10:25 am	Overview of Mexico's Biopesticide Regulatory Activities Part 1 Part 2 Part 3	M.C. Oscar Morales Galván , Sub-director for Certification and Recognition, DGIAAP/SENASICA/SAGARPA Biol. José Humberto Cuevas García , Sub-director for Evaluation of Risk and Infectious Biological Residues, DGGIMAR/SEMARNAT José Jesús Herrera Bazán Gerente de Muestreo y Monitoreo Comisión federal para la Protección contra Riesgos Sanitarios (COFEPRIS)
	10:25 - 10:40 am	HEALTH BREAK	
2		BIOPESTICIDE RESEARCH, USE AND VALUE ASSESSMENT	
2.1	10:40 – 11:25 am		Lisa M. Brines, Agricultural Marketing Specialist, National Organic Program, USDA

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		Relationship between Biopesticides and Organics: Regulation in US, Canada and Mexico Part 1 Part 2 Part 3	Canada Organic Office Canadian Food Inspection Agency M.C. Oscar Morales Galván, Sub-director for Certification and Recognition, DGIAAP/SENASICA/SAGARPA
2.2	11:25 - 11:45 am	Biopesticide Use in IPM Practices	Tom Brennan Chief, Environmental Stewardship Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
2.3	11:45 am - 12:30 pm	Research and Support Programs: IR-4, AAFC-PMC Part 1 Part 2	Michael Braverman , Manager, Biopesticide and Organic Support Program, IR-4 Project, Rutgers University Tobias Laengle, Senior Biopesticide Coordinator, Pesticide Risk Reduction Program, Pest Management Centre, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada
	12:30 - 1:30 pm	LUNCH	
2.4	1:30 - 2:00 pm	Efficacy trial design requirements (Regulatory, Research, Demonstration) Part 1 Part 2	Terry Caunter , A/ Section Head, Risk Reduction in Agriculture Section, Value and Sustainability Assessment Directorate Clara Fuentes, Entomologist, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
2.5	2:00 - 2:15 pm	Value requirements: data requirements and new value approach	Terry Caunter , A/ Section Head, Risk Reduction in Agriculture Section, Value and Sustainability Assessment Directorate
2.6	2:15 - 2:35 pm	Efficacy of Public Health Products	Clara Fuentes , Entomologist, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
	2:35 – 3:05 pm	Panel Discussion on Product Performance	
	3:05 - 3:20 pm	HEALTH BREAK	
3		CHALLENGES IN SUBMISSION MANAGEMENT SESSION	
3.1	3:20 - 4:00pm	Regulatory Processes – (EPA PRIA re-negotiation, PMRA MOSP, etc) Part 1 Part 2	Martha Farkas , Section Head, Registration Directorate Sheryl K. Reilly, Chief, Microbial Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
3.2			Joseph Mikhael , Business Analyst Business Analysis, Data Management

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	4:00 - 4:30 pm	e-Submissions Part 1 Part 2	and Protection Section, Registration Directorate Robert Schultz , Information Technology and Resources Management Division
3.3	4:30 - 5:30 pm	Panel Discussion on Common Challenges in the Regulatory Process	Joseph Mikhael, Business Analyst, Business Analysis, Data Management and Protection Section, Registration Directorate Sheryl K. Reilly, Chief, Microbial Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
	5:30 – 5:35 pm	WRAP UP	Moderator,

Reception at Renaissance Arlington Capital View Hotel; 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m

DAY 2 (April 14th, 2011)

ITEM	Time	Function	Proposed Presenter(s)
4		MICROBIALS SESSION	
	8:15 – 8:30 am	Introduction	Moderator
4.1	8:30 - 9:00 am	Product Characterization and Analysis Part 1 Part 2	Jonas Ptasinski , Senior Evaluation Officer, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate John Kough, Microbial Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
4.2	9:00 - 9:35 am	Health Assessment: Data requirements; scientific waiver building; OECD templates Part 1 Part 2	Brian Belliveau , Section Head, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate, Annabel Waggoner, Microbial Pesticides Branch Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
4.3	9:35 - 10:10 am	Environmental Assessment: Data requirements; scientific waiver building; OECD templates Part 1 Part 2	Jonas Ptasinski , Evaluation Officer Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate, Shannon Borges, Microbial Pesticides Branch Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division

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	10:10 - 10:25 am	HEALTH BREAK	
4.4	10:25 - 11:00 am	Risk Assessment and Decision Making on Microbial Biopesticides Part 1 Part 2	Brian Belliveau , Section Head, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate, Sheryl K. Reilly, Chief, Microbial Pesticides Branch Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
4.5	11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Panel Discussion on Scientific Challenges of Microbial Assessments	Brian Belliveau and Jonas Ptasinski, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate, Alan Reynolds, Team Leader, Microbial Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division
	12:00 - 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
5		BIOCHEMICALS/ NON-CONVENTIONALS SESSION	
5.1	1:00 - 1:35 pm	Overview of Classification and Modes of Action Part 1 Part 2	Russell S. Jones , Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division Valerie Hodge, Section Head, Environmental Risk III Section, Environment Assessment Directorate,
5.2	1:35 - 2:15 pm	Biochemical / Non- conventional Product Chemistry Assessment Part 1 Part 2	Jacob Moore , Chemist, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division James Nyangulu, Chemistry Evaluator, Chemistry Evaluation Section, Compliance, Lab Services and Regional Operations Directorate,
5.3	2:15 - 2:55 pm	Health Assessment: Data requirements; scientific waiver building Part 1 Part 2	Angela L. Gonzales Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division Jonas Ptasinski Senior Evaluation Officer, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate,
	2:55 - 3:10 pm	HEALTH BREAK	

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5.4	3:10 - 3:50 pm	Environmental Assessment: Data requirements; scientific waiver building Part 1 Part 2	<p>Michel Rexrode and Gina M. Casciano, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division</p> <p>Valerie Hodge, Section Head, Environmental Risk III Section, Environment Assessment Directorate,</p>
5.5	3:50 - 4:30 pm	Risk Assessment and Decision Making on pheromones and biochemicals/ non- conventionals Part 1 Part 2	<p>Russell S. Jones, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division</p> <p>Brian Belliveau, Section Head, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate,</p>
5.6	4:30 - 5:30 pm	Panel Discussion on Scientific Challenges of Biochemical/ Non-conventional Assessments	<p>Linda A. Hollis, Chief, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division</p> <p>Brian Belliveau and Jonas Ptasinski, Microbial and Biochemical Evaluation Section, Health Evaluation Directorate,</p>
	5:30 – 5:35 pm	WRAP UP	Moderator

DAY 3 (April 15th, 2011)

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6		NAFTA OPPORTUNITIES	
	8:30 – 8:45 am	Introduction	Moderator
6.1	8:45 – 9:15 am	Joint Reviews	<p>Driss Benmhend, Biologist, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division</p> <p>Martha Farkas, Section Head, Registration Directorate</p>
	9:15 – 10:00	Panel Discussion on Joint review process	
	10:00 – 10:15 am	HEALTH BREAK	
6.2	10:15 - 10:40 am	EPA Organic Labelling	<p>Chris Pfeifer, Biochemical Pesticides Branch, Biopesticides and Pollution Prevention Division</p>

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7	10:40 - 11:05 am	General Workshop Participant Comment Period	
8	11:05 - 11:30 am	CLOSING REMARKS AND ADJOURNMENT	M.C. Oscar Morales Galván Terry Caunter Keith A. Matthews

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