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MEMORANDUM:

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Subject: Response to Registration Standard, Azinphos-Methyl, teratology study.

Registrant: Mckay Corporation, Kansas City, MO.

OSWELL # 874.

HED Proj. #18-0088.

We noted in our review of 6/24/88, D. Ritter, of a rat teratology study that the vehicle, Emulphor EL-719, used to administer the test material, required identification of its component(s). The Registrant has identified it as a polyoxyethylated vegetable oil (CAS # 9014-00-2), used as an emulsifier.

Accordingly, the study may now be upgraded from CORE "Minimum Data" to CORE "Definitive Data".

* A Teratology Study with azinphos-methyl (GUTHION Technical) in the Rat. Report # 94887, P. I. Fowalski, et al. NRID 040964801.

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