Shaughnessey No.

EEB Branch Review

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Data Accession No(s). R. Taylor (25)

Product Name(s) Mon-097

Company Name Monsanto Company

Submission Purpose Clarification of avian and aquatic studies requested by EEB

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Chemical, & Formulation % A.I.
Mon-097 (Acetochlor)

EEB acknowledges receipt of two letters from Monsanto Company dated April 3, 1981, and April 9, 1981. Both letters are requesting an opinion regarding needs for Tier II level testing. We will reiterate our conclusions to the EUP review, and modify these conclusions in regards to these letters.

EEB cannot give an opinion on either of these letters until all six of the basic studies are submitted and validated as acceptable for the registration of this product. Further, we will need to re-request from the Environmental Fate Branch (EFB) a fate profile of this product. If EFB can supply us with the information that we request, and if this data is acceptable to them for registration, then we can begin our hazard assessment. At that time, we will be in a position to determine if and what types of Tier II level testing will be required. We will be able to address the endangered species question. We would expect that the registrant would supply us with an approved label with the above requested data.

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