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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: 84-MN-06; Section 18 emergency exemption for
the use of Tilt in/on rice in Minnesota,
Caswell #: 323EE

TO: Don Stubbs (PM#41)
Registration Division, FS-767
and
Residue Chemistry Branch
Hazard Evaluation Division, TS-769

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Requested Action:

A total assessment of the pesticide has been requested by Registration Division. One-liners are attached.

Recommendations:

1. The Section 18 is not toxicologically supported, since the active ingredient, CGA-64250, is a liver oncogen in male mice. The risk assessment by the contractor has been delayed and is not presently available. No tolerances are established for CGA-64250.

Review:

1. No new toxicity data were submitted.

2. Section 18 program

It is estimated that 20,000 acres (minimum) of rice will potentially need to be treated for fungal brown spot in 1984.