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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: PP#5F3252 [RCB#1351]. DPX-Y6202 (Assure®) Herbicide on Cotton and Soybeans. Evaluation of Amendment Dated August 6, 1985 (Accession No. 073773).

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E. I. Du Pont de Nemours and Company has submitted an amendment to PP#5F3252 which consists of a cover letter from T. Catka of Du Pont to R. Taylor of EPA, supplemental environmental fate data, and a revised Section B (containing a revised crop rotation statement corresponding to their EUP label and an additional storage/disposal statement).

Conclusions/Recommendations

Since this amendment only addresses EAB issues, RCB has no official comments.

The deficiencies cited in RCB's review of the original petition (see M. Firestone memo of (9/25/85) remains outstanding at this time; thus, RCB continues to recommend against establishment of DPX-Y6202 tolerances for soybeans and cottonseed.

TS-769:RCB:MFirestone:vg:CM#2:Rm810:X77484:10/10/85
cc: RF, Circu, MFirestone, EEB, EAB, FDA, PMSD/ISB, PP#5F3252
RDI: JHOnley, 9/19/85; RDSchmitt, 9/19/85