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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

## **MEMORANDUM:**

BACTEKILLER AC (Silver Copper Zeolite): Additional Data SUBJECT:

Submission for Registration of Bactekiller AC

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072501 [Silver] and 022501 PC Code:

[Copper]

DP Barcode: D193817 MRID #: 428457-01 Submission: S445655

Registrant: Kanebo Zeolite, USA, Inc.

EPA IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS:

Action Requested: Toxicology was requested to review and address the additional information (historical control data) submitted for Bactekiller AC in support of its registration.

A request for historical control data developmental toxicity studies in rats was made in order to assist in the further evaluation of a developmental toxicity study [MRID #416385-02, memo by S. Williams, October 8, 1991). In response to resubmitted material, a memo (by S. Williams, January 6, 1993) stated that the information was entitled "historical control data", but the body contained information on positive control animals. Therefore, the supplementary classification remained.

In this submission the Registrant stated that developmental studies from the performing lab did not routinely contain data on untreated animals. Therefore, the Agency stated that it would consider using studies on untreated control rats of

the same species submitted from other labs for comparison and to satisfy this deficiency. This comparison has been made and found to be within historical control ranges, thus allowing this study to be upgraded to core-minimum.