

Pesticide Sales Reporting

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New Pest Control Products Act

- ◆ new requirement for registrants to report information on sales of each of their products
- ◆ condition of registration
- ◆ report in form and manner directed by the Minister and in accordance with regulations

Proposed Regulation

End-Use Products

- ◆ registrants must report the quantity sold or made available for sale in each province or territory, including:
 - ◆ sales by registrant to users
 - ◆ sales by registrant to vendors
 - ◆ sales to distributors that sell in only one province
 - ◆ sales by national/regional distributors to vendors/users
 - ◆ quantity made available for sale to users as fertilizer/pesticide mixtures, feed/pesticide mixtures or treated seed

Proposed Regulation

Technical Grade Active Ingredients and Manufacturing Concentrates

- ◆ registrant must report:
 - ◆ sales from Canada to another country
 - ◆ sales in each province and territory, including sales to manufacturers of fertilizer/pesticide mixtures or feed/pesticide mixtures
 - ◆ quantity made available for sale to users in each province and territory as fertilizer/pesticide mixtures or feed/pesticide mixtures

Proposed Regulation

Use of Estimates

- ◆ registrants without access to actual data could provide an estimate with a satisfactory explanation of how the estimate was derived for:
 - ◆ sales by national/regional distributors to vendors/users
 - ◆ quantities available for sale as fertilizer/pesticide, feed/pesticide mixtures or treated seeds
- ◆ would be permitted for the first two years the regulation is in force

Proposed Regulation

Other Highlights

- ◆ starting in 2005, sales information for the previous calendar year would be required to be submitted by the first of June each year
- ◆ registrants would be required to provide available information on sales of one or more products within one week of request from the Minister in emergency situation

Disclosure of Information

- ◆ definition of CBI in new PCPA includes the “monetary value of sales”
- ◆ CBI may be shared with regulators in federal departments, provinces/territories
- ◆ quantity of sales (e.g., kilograms) may be disclosed to public

Disclosure of Information

- ◆ public reports to indicate quantity of each active ingredient available for sale to users in each province and territory
- ◆ steps to be taken to prevent disclosure of monetary value of sales where an active ingredient found in only one registered product

Next Steps

- ◆ analyze responses to Discussion Document
- ◆ prepare drafting instructions for regulation
- ◆ *Canada Gazette*, Part I – fall 2003
- ◆ *Canada Gazette*, Part II – spring 2004