Re-evaluation Decision Document

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Methyl Nonyl Ketone

The purpose of this Re-evaluation Decision Document (RRD) is to notify registrants, pesticide regulatory officials and the Canadian public that the re-evaluation of methyl nonyl ketone is now complete.

The Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA) has determined that methyl nonyl ketone is acceptable for continued registration provided that the proposed mitigation measures are adopted and the data requirements are addressed.

This RRD presents the regulatory decisions resulting from the re-evaluation of methyl nonyl ketone as published in the Proposed Acceptability for Continuing Registration (PACR) document, <u>PACR2004-06</u>, on 21 April 2004.

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1.0 Introduction

The re-evaluation of the available information for the active ingredient methyl nonyl ketone and its associated uses as an animal repellent used in indoor and outdoor settings has been completed by the PMRA.

2.0 Background

The purpose of this RRD is to notify the registrants, pesticide regulatory officials and the Canadian public that the re-evaluation of methyl nonyl ketone is now complete.

On 21 April 2004, the PMRA published <u>PACR2004-06</u>, *Re-evaluation of Methyl Nonyl Ketone*, for consultation on the proposed regulatory decision for methyl nonyl ketone. Comments on the proposed label amendments were received from the technical registrant. These comments did not result in any substantial changes to the regulatory decision. They will be addressed when the PMRA communicates with the end-use product registrants regarding the required label changes for specific products.

This RRD presents the regulatory decisions resulting from the re-evaluation of methyl nonyl ketone.

3.0 Regulatory decision

The PMRA has determined that methyl nonyl ketone is acceptable for continuing registration provided that the mitigation measures specified in the PACR are implemented.

Section 5.0 of the PACR outlined additional requirements for continued registration of methyl nonyl ketone. The registrants will be informed by letter of the specific requirements and the regulatory options available to comply with this decision.