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Subject: Malathion Comments to Cheminova (Ref: 2008-2-1)

Teung – I was waiting to hear back from Oregon regarding uses on sweet cherries. Hopefully I will hear from them tomorrow. For now, here is my summary of comments:

Malathion Open Items

Caneberries: Suggest new wording related to the caneberries something like “Blackberry, raspberry (red and black) and varieties and/or hybrids of these”, which covers all the different types of caneberries without listing them all. We had asked for 4 applications per year for caneberries but my contacts say that now they have additional control materials and can live with 3 applications per year. Growers also asked for a 1-day REI for caneberries.

Blueberries: We need at least 2 applications per year and 2# ai/A application rate.

Boysenberries: Need to add it as one of the canberries or change the wording associated with the caneberries as per note above.

Cherries: I’m still waiting to hear from Oregon regarding the use of malathion on cherries.

Dewberry: Need to add it as one of the canberries or change the wording associated with the caneberries as per note above.

Loganberries: Why is EPA proposing 2 applications per season when 3 per season are allowed for blackberries? Should also be 3 applications per season.

Mint: Need to add to table. Need 24-hour REI.

Raspberry: Same comment as with loganberries, need to make the # of applications per year agree with blackberries.

Strawberry: Want to retain the 3-day PHI.

Grasses, pasture, rangeland: Need 0-day grazing restriction.

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Subject: Fw: Malathion use table....

Jane:

I think this is up-to-date with respect to the Pacific Northwest. If you have time, please confirm. Cheminova plans to provide this to EPA in two days.

Teung

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or comments.

Best regards,

Teung

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To Cathy Tarutani, Mark Mossler

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Subject Fw: Malathion use table....

Cathy and Mark:

Here is Cheminova's draft table. Hopefully, we have addressed the max. application rates, days between treatments, numbers of applications and PHIs adequately by now. Please let us know if there are any needed changes.

Cheminova wishes to provide their tables to EPA in two days.

Many thanks!

Teung

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Hi Teung

3/7/2008

Attached is the current status of the response table. Hawaii should let us know if there are any important uses missing and whether we've captured all of their use pattern needs.

Regards,

Paul