identifies each chemical substance and/ or mixture for which information has been received; the uses or intended uses of such chemical substance and/or mixture; and describes the nature of the information received. Each chemical substance and/or mixture related to this announcement is identified in Unit I. under SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For technical information contact: John Schaeffer, Chemical Control Division (7405M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001; telephone number: (202) 564–8173; email address: schaeffer.john@epa.gov.

For general information contact: The TSCA-Hotline, ABVI-Goodwill, 422 South Clinton Ave., Rochester, NY 14620; telephone number: (202) 554–1404; email address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Chemical Substances and/or Mixtures

Information about the following chemical substance and/or mixture is provided in Unit IV.: *Ethanedioic acid* (*CAS No. 144–62–7*).

II. Federal Register Publication Requirement

Section 4(d) of TSCA (15 U.S.C. 2603(d)) requires EPA to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** reporting the receipt of information submitted pursuant to test rules promulgated under TSCA section 4 (15 U.S.C. 2603).

III. Docket Information

A docket, identified by the docket identification (ID) number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2013-0677, has been established for this **Federal Register** document that announces the receipt of information. Upon EPA's completion of its quality assurance review, the information received will be added to the docket for the TSCA section 4 test rule that required the information. Use the docket ID number provided in Unit IV. to access the information in the docket for the related TSCA section 4 test rule.

The docket for this **Federal Register** document and the docket for each related TSCA section 4 test rule is available electronically at http://www.regulations.gov or in person at the Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics Docket (OPPT Docket), Environmental Protection Agency Docket Center (EPA/DC), West William Jefferson Clinton Bldg., Rm. 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW., Washington, DC. The Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday

through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Public Reading Room is (202) 566–1744, and the telephone number for the OPPT Docket is (202) 566–0280. Please review the visitor instructions and additional information about the docket available at http://www.epa.gov/dockets.

IV. Information Received

This unit contains the information required by TSCA section 4(d) for the information received by EPA about *Ethanedioic acid* (CAS No. 144–62–7).

- 1. Chemical Use(s): Ethanedioic acid is used as a rust remover; in antirust metal cleaners and coatings; as a flame-proofing and cross-linking agent in cellulose fabrics; as a reducing agent in mordent wool dying; as an acid dye stabilizing agent in nylon; as a scouring agent for cotton printing; and as a dye stripper for wool. Ethanedioic acid is also used for degumming silk; for the separation and recovery of rare earth elements from ore; for bleaching leather and masonry; for cleaning aluminum and wood decks; and as a synthetic intermediate for pharmaceuticals.
- 2. Applicable Test Rule: Chemical testing requirements for second group of high production volume chemicals (HPV2), 40 CFR 799.5087.
- 3. Information Received: The following listing describes the nature of the information. The information will be added to the docket for the applicable TSCA section 4 test rule and can be found by referencing the docket ID number provided. Any applicable EPA reviews of information will be added to the same docket upon completion.

Request for exemption from testing from Niche Chem Industries Inc. The docket ID number assigned to this information is EPA-HQ-OPPT-2007-0531.

Authority: 15 U.S.C. 2601 et seq.

Dated: October 4, 2016.

Maria J. Doa,

Director, Chemical Control Division, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OPP-2014-0011; FRL-9953-58]

Pesticide Product Registration; Receipt of Applications for New Uses

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has received applications to add new food uses on previously

registered pesticide products. Pursuant to the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), EPA is hereby providing notice of receipt and opportunity to comment on these applications.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before November 17, 2016.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by the docket identification (ID) number of interest as shown in the body of this document, by one of the following methods:

- Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments. Do not submit electronically any information you consider to be Confidential Business Information (CBI) or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute.
- *Mail*: OPP Docket, Environmental Protection Agency Docket Center (EPA/DC), (28221T), 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001.
- Hand Delivery: To make special arrangements for hand delivery or delivery of boxed information, please follow the instructions at http://www.epa.gov/dockets/contacts.html.

 Additional instructions on commenting or visiting the docket, along with more information about dockets generally, is available at http://www.epa.gov/dockets.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Michael L. Goodis, P.E., Registration Division (7505P), Office of Pesticide Programs, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001; main telephone number: (703) 305–7090; email address: *RDFRNotices@epa.gov*.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this action apply to me?

You may be potentially affected by this action if you are an agricultural producer, food manufacturer, or pesticide manufacturer. The following list of North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) codes is not intended to be exhaustive, but rather provides a guide to help readers determine whether this document applies to them. Potentially affected entities may include:

- Crop production (NAICS code 111).
- Animal production (NAICS code 112).
- Food manufacturing (NAICS code 311).
- Pesticide manufacturing (NAICS code 32532).

- B. What should I consider as I prepare my comments for EPA?
- 1. Submitting CBI. Do not submit this information to EPA through regulations.gov or email. Clearly mark the part or all of the information that you claim to be CBI. For CBI information in a disk or CD–ROM that you mail to EPA, mark the outside of the disk or CD-ROM as CBI and then identify electronically within the disk or CD-ROM the specific information that is claimed as CBI. In addition to one complete version of the comment that includes information claimed as CBI, a copy of the comment that does not contain the information claimed as CBI must be submitted for inclusion in the public docket. Information so marked will not be disclosed except in accordance with procedures set forth in 40 CFR part 2.
- 2. Tips for preparing your comments. When preparing and submitting your comments, see the commenting tips at http://www.epa.gov/dockets/comments.html.

II. Registration Applications

EPA has received applications to add new food uses on previously registered pesticide products. Pursuant to the provisions of FIFRA section 3(c)(4) (7 U.S.C. 136a(c)(4)), EPA is hereby providing notice of receipt and opportunity to comment on these applications. Notice of receipt of these applications does not imply a decision by the Agency on these applications.

Addition of New Food Uses on Previously Registered Pesticide Products

- 1. Registration Number: 10163–277 (Onager® Miticide; Decision No. 513683). Docket Number: EPA–HQ–OPP–2015–0038. Company name and address: Gowan Company, P.O. Box 5569, Yuma, AZ 85366–5569. Active ingredient: Hexythiazox. Proposed Use(s): Sugar beet. Contact: RD.
- 2. Registration Number: 10163–277 (Onager® Miticide; Decision No. 513683). Docket Number: EPA–HQ–OPP–2015–0038. Company name and address: Gowan Company, P.O. Box 5569, Yuma, AZ 85366–5569. Active ingredient: Hexythiazox. Proposed Use(s): Bermudagrass. Contact: RD.
- 3. Registration Number: 10163–337 (Onager® EW Miticide; Decision No. 513685). Docket Number: EPA–HQ–OPP–2015–0038. Company name and address: Gowan Company, P.O. Box 5569, Yuma, AZ 85366–5569. Active ingredient: Hexythiazox. Proposed Use(s): Sugar beet. Contact: RD.
- 4. Registration Number: 10163–337 (Onager® EW Miticide; Decision No.

- 513684). Docket Number: EPA-HQ-OPP-2015-0038. Company name and address: Gowan Company, P.O. Box 5569, Yuma, AZ 85366-5569. Active ingredient: Hexythiazox. Proposed Use(s): Bermudagrass. Contact: RD.
- 5. Registration Number: 71711–37 (Pyrifluquinazon Insecticide; Decision No. 513684). Docket Number: EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0971. Company name and address: Nichino America, Inc., 4550 New Linden Hill Road, Suite 501, Wilmington, DE, 19808. Active ingredient: Pyrifluquinazon. Proposed Use(s): Almond, hulls; Brassica, head and stem vegetables (crop group 5-16); Cattle, fat; Cattle, meat; Cattle, meat byproducts; Citrus fruits (crop group 10–10); Citrus, oil; Cotton, gin byproducts; Cotton, undelinted seed; Cucurbit vegetables (crop group 9); Fruiting vegetables, tomato (crop group 8-10A); Fruiting vegetables, pepper/ eggplant (crop group 8-10B); Goat, fat; Goat, meat; Goat, meat byproducts; Horse, fat; Horse, meat; Horse, meat byproducts; Leaf petiole vegetables (crop subgroup 22B); Leafy vegetables (crop group 4-16); Milk; Pome fruits (crop group 11-10); Sheep, fat; Sheep, meat; Sheep, meat byproducts; Small fruit vine climbing subgroup (crop subgroup 13-07F) (except fuzzy kiwifruit); Stone fruits, cherry (crop group 12-12A); Stone fruits, peach (crop group 12-12B); Stone fruits, plum (crop group 12-12C); Tree nuts (crop group 14-12); and Tuberous and corm vegetables (crop subgroup 1C). Citrus. Contact: RD.
- 6. Registration Number: 71711-38 (Pyrifluquinazon Technical; Decision No. 513684). Docket Number: EPA-HQ-OPP-2011-0971. Company name and address: Nichino America, Inc., 4550 New Linden Hill Road, Suite 501, Wilmington, DE, 19808. Active ingredient: Pyrifluquinazon. Proposed Use(s): Almond, hulls; Brassica, head and stem vegetables (crop group 5–16); Cattle, fat; Cattle, meat; Cattle, meat byproducts; Citrus fruits (crop group 10–10); Citrus, oil; Cotton, gin byproducts; Cotton, undelinted seed; Cucurbit vegetables (crop group 9); Fruiting vegetables, tomato (crop group 8–10A); Fruiting vegetables, pepper/ eggplant (crop group 8-10B); Goat, fat; Goat, meat; Goat, meat byproducts; Horse, fat; Horse, meat; Horse, meat byproducts; Leaf petiole vegetables (crop subgroup 22B); Leafy vegetables (crop group 4–16); Milk; Pome fruits (crop group 11-10); Sheep, fat; Sheep, meat; Sheep, meat byproducts; Small fruit vine climbing subgroup (crop subgroup 13-07F) (except fuzzy kiwifruit); Stone fruits, cherry (crop group 12-12A); Stone fruits, peach (crop

group 12–12B); Stone fruits, plum (crop group 12–12C); Tree nuts (crop group 14–12); and Tuberous and corm vegetables (crop subgroup 1C). Citrus. *Contact*: RD.

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 136 et seq.

Dated: October 11, 2016.

Michael L. Goodis,

Acting Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[EPA-HQ-OPPT-2003-0004; FRL-9953-42]

Access to Confidential Business Information by Abt Associates, Inc. and Its Identified Subcontractor, Versar, Inc.

AGENCY: Environmental Protection

Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA has authorized its contractor, Abt Associates of Bethesda, MD, and Versar, Inc., of Springfield, VA to access information which has been submitted to EPA under all sections of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). Some of the information may be claimed or determined to be Confidential Business Information (CBI).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For technical information contact: Scott Sherlock, Environmental Assistance Division (7408M), Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, Environmental Protection Agency, 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW., Washington, DC 20460–0001; telephone number: (202) 564–8257; email address: sherlock.scott@epa.gov.

occurred on or about July 26, 2016.

For general information contact: The TSCA-Hotline, ABVI-Goodwill, 422 South Clinton Ave., Rochester, NY 14620; telephone number: (202) 554–1404; email address: TSCA-Hotline@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. General Information

A. Does this action apply to me?

This action is directed to the public in general. This action may, however, be of interest to all who manufacture, process, or distribute industrial chemicals. Since other entities may also be interested, the Agency has not attempted to describe all the specific entities that may be affected by this action.