

MEMORANDUM

<u>Via E-Mail</u>

DATE:	October 20, 2009
TO:	Clients and Friends
FROM:	The Acta Group, L.L.C.
RE:	EPA Posts Prepublication EDSP Federal Register Notices

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has posted two prepublication *Federal Register* notices concerning its Endocrine Disruptor Screening Program (EDSP). In the first notice, EPA announces the EDSP Tier 1 battery of assays and availability of test guidelines for conducting the assays included in the battery. In the second notice, EPA announces the issuance of the initial EDSP screening orders and the schedule of issuance. EPA expects both notices to be published in the *Federal Register* on **October 21, 2009**. The notices are available at <u>http://www.epa.gov/scipoly/oscpendo/index.htm</u>.

According to the second notice, EPA intends to issue test orders for the first group of 67 chemicals between **October 29, 2009**, and **February 26, 2010**. Screening data are due within two years of the date of the issuance of the order. Order recipients must respond according to the schedules contained in the order they receive. EPA states that persons other than order recipients who wish to submit "other scientifically relevant information related to one of the chemical-specific orders" should submit that information within 90 days of the order issuance date. The notice includes the following order issuance schedule:

Chemical Name	CAS Number	Order Issuance Time Frame
Abamectin	71751-41-2	January 2010
Acephate	30560-19-1	November 2009
Acetone	67-64-1	February 2010
Atrazine	1912-24-9	October 2009

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Chemical Name	CAS Number	Order Issuance Time Frame
Benfluralin	1861-40-1	October 2009
Bifenthrin	82657-04-3	November 2009
Butyl benzyl phthalate	85-68-7	January 2010
Captan	133-06-2	January 2010
Carbamothioic acid, dipropyl-, S-ethyl ester	759-94-4	November 2009
Carbaryl	63-25-2	November 2009
Carbofuran	1563-66-2	November 2009
Chlorothalonil	1897-45-6	December 2009
Chlorpyrifos	2921-88-2	November 2009
Cyfluthrin	68359-37-5	November 2009
Cypermethrin	52315-07-8	November 2009
2,4-D	94-75-7	October 2009
DCPA (or chlorthal-dimethyl)	1861-32-1	October 2009
Diazinon	333-41-5	November 2009
Dibutyl phthalate	84-74-2	January 2010
Dichlobenil	1194-65-6	December 2009
Dicofol	115-32-2	December 2009
Diethyl phthalate	84-66-2	January 2010
Dimethoate	60-51-5	November 2009
Dimethyl phthalate	131-11-3	January 2010
Di-sec-octyl phthalate	117-81-7	January 2010
Disulfoton	298-04-4	November 2009
Endosulfan	115-29-7	December 2009
Esfenvalerate	66230-04-4	November 2009
Ethoprop	13194-48-4	November 2009
Fenbutatin oxide	13356-08-6	October 2009
Flutolanil	66332-96-5	December 2009
Folpet	133-07-3	January 2010
Gardona (cis-isomer)	22248-79-9	November 2009
Glyphosate	1071-83-6	January 2010
Imidacloprid	138261-41-3	January 2010
Iprodione	36734-19-7	January 2010
Isophorone	78-59-1	January 2010
Linuron	330-55-2	December 2009



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Chemical Name	CAS Number	Order Issuance Time Frame
Malathion	121-75-5	November 2009
Metalaxyl	57837-19-1	December 2009
Methamidophos	10265-92-6	November 2009
4,7-Methano-1H-isoindole-1,3(2H)-dione,2-	113-48-4	January 2010
(2-ethylhexyl)-3a,4,7,7a-tetrahydro-		
Methidathion	950-37-8	November 2009
Methomyl	16752-77-5	November 2009
Methyl ethyl ketone	78-93-3	January 2010
Methyl parathion	298-00-0	November 2009
Metolachlor	51218-45-2	December 2009
Metribuzin	21087-64-9	December 2009
Myclobutanil	88671-89-0	December 2009
Norflurazon	27314-13-2	October 2009
o-Phenylphenol	90-43-7	January 2010
Oxamyl	23135-22-0	November 2009
Permethrin	52645-53-1	November 2009
Phosmet	732-11-6	November 2009
Piperonyl butoxide	51-03-6	November 2009
Propachlor	1918-16-7	December 2009
Propargite	2312-35-8	October 2009
Propiconazole	60207-90-1	December 2009
Propyzamide	23950-58-5	January 2010
Pyridine, 2-(1-methyl-2-(4-	95737-68-1	January 2010
phenoxyphenoxy)ethoxy)-		
Quintozene	82-68-8	December 2009
Resmethrin	10453-86-8	November 2009
Simazine	122-34-9	December 2009
Tebuconazole	107534-96-3	December 2009
Toluene	108-88-3	February 2010
Triadimefon	43121-43-3	December 2009
Trifluralin	1582-09-8	January 2010



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The notice states that EPA will provide details of the status on the orders at <u>http://www.epa.gov/endo</u>. The information posted will include the order issuance date, the recipient(s) of the order, the order recipient's response to the order, and the order due date.

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We hope this information is helpful. As always, please call if you have any questions.