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Final Notice

Registration of Toxic Chemicals in keeping with the Pesticides and Toxic Chemicals Control Act 2000 (No. 13 of 2000)

The Pesticides and Toxic Chemicals Control Board under the ***Pesticides and Toxic Chemicals Control Act 2000 (No. 13 of 2000), Part III Section 7***, is responsible for the management of Pesticides and Toxic Chemicals in Guyana. In addition the Board is mandated to manage the manufacturing, importing, transporting, storing, vending and use of toxic chemicals. In accordance with the Act a **Toxic Chemical** means any disinfectant or any other substance known to be poisonous, corrosive, irritating, sensitizing or harmful to man or animal that is used in agriculture, the arts, commerce or industry, or for any domestic or other purpose, other than any antiseptic, drug or pesticide.

The Board in an effort to strengthen the management systems for toxic chemicals and to bridge the existing gap in compliance with national laws and international chemical agreements invites all importers of toxic chemicals to complete the registration process for imported toxic chemicals.

In keeping with the above-stated Act and its associated Regulations (Subpart E), **you are requested to submit the following data for registration of toxic chemicals imported before the next license is processed:**

1. A draft label must be provided and be in compliance with Part III of the Pesticides and Toxic Chemicals Control Regulation (No. 8 of 2004) and submitted in its original form; labels must adhere to labeling standards with all labels in English; and
2. The complete Safety Data Sheet (SDS) comprising formula of the product and a full description of the tests made and the results thereof.
3. An application for registration of a pesticide or toxic chemical shall be accompanied by a cover letter addressed to the Registrar requesting registration and providing a detailed list of products to be registered. Registration submissions must be in duplicate by the applicant containing the information specified in regulation 24.
4. Each application for new registration or application for amended registration must include the following information - name and address of the applicant.





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Toxic Chemicals
Control Board**

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Toxic chemicals that are not registered, will not be approved for importation until the registration process is completed. Registered products will be documented on the official listing for registered toxic chemicals.

All for your information and guidance.

Yours sincerely,

Registrar
Pesticides and Toxic Chemicals Control Board



Documentation requirements for registration of toxic chemicals

1. **Cover letter** - a letter bearing the name and address of the applicant must be addressed to the Registrar requesting registration of toxic chemicals. The letter must provide a detailed, numbered list of the products requested for registration. The products' name **MUST** correspond with the SDS and the label. The intended purpose for the product's import must be clearly stated.
2. **Safety Data Sheet (SDS)** - a complete SDS comprising sixteen (16) sections must be submitted for each toxic chemical.
3. **Draft label** - a complete **LEGIBLE** label consisting of all sections (back, front and side) must be submitted. Labels must adhere to labeling standards with **ALL** labels in **ENGLISH**.
4. **Submission:** documentations for Toxic Chemicals registration should adhere to above format and **MUST** be spiral bound and submitted as a dossier.

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