collect the pesticide production information required by Section 7(c) of FIFRA.

The purpose of this reporting requirement is to obtain pesticide production information, to maintain current and complete records of the locations of all pesticide-producing establishments. This information provides an overview of establishments engaged in pesticide activities and allows the Agency to target establishments for inspections with optimal utilization of limited inspection resources. Such production information permits EPA to trace ineffective, contaminated, or otherwise violative products to their source, and minimizes any adverse environmental impact that might arise from the production or distribution of violative products. In addition, the information is used extensively by the Agency, the USDA, the FDA, and other Federal agencies for various other purposes, such as risk/ benefit analyses.

An Agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control numbers for EPA's regulations are displayed in 40 CFR Part 9. The EPA would like to solicit comments to:

(i) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(ii) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;

(iii) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(iv) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Estimating the Burden and Cost of the Collection

Estimating Respondent Burden

The estimates for 3540–8 are based on discussions with the industry. The one-time submission of information is of such a nature as to demand no research of company records or calculations; it is easily completed by clerical personnel and reviewed and signed by a company officer. The completion of the application rarely exceeds 30 minutes. Burden estimates for Form 3540–16 are based on the results of interviews with

a cross-section of industry respondents. We asked six industry representatives of the respondent universe—small businesses, firms with multiple establishments, and repackagers—to estimate the amount of time they typically spent gathering, compiling, and filling out information for the report. From these interviews we learned that generally, the information is already assembled and compiled so filling out the form is very easy.

Estimating Respondent Cost

Since the regulation and associated information collection has a minor economic impact on respondents, a regulatory impact analysis was not conducted. Estimates of labor rates and associated costs are based on the Comprehensive Assessment and Information Rule economic analysis, which measured costs to the same industry affected by our collection. The estimated hourly labor rates are as follows: management @ \$60.00, technical @ \$34.00, and clerical @ \$15.00.

Estimating Agency Burden and Cost

The costs to the Government for Form 3540–8 are based on one work-year to review and process applications at an average GS–11 step 1 grade, plus 10.4% estimated overhead costs. Other direct costs are limited to printing costs for instructions and reporting forms. The number of respondents are estimated based on the average annual number of applicants registering establishments over the past three years.

The costs to the Government for Form 3540–16 are based on one work-year to review and process production reports, at an average GS–11 step 1 grade, plus 10.4% overhead costs. Other direct costs are limited to printing costs for instructions and reporting forms. The number of respondents is the number of active pesticide-producing establishments registered with EPA.

Bottom Line Burden Hours and Costs

The estimates for respondent burden hours and costs for Forms 3540–8 and Form 3540–16 are discussed below. The annual burden costs for respondents associated with the submission of this information for EPA Form 3540–8 (Application for Registration of Pesticide-Producing Establishment) consist of: reading instructions, compiling information, completing forms provided by EPA, recording and storing copies of the submitted information. The total time associated with this effort is one-half hour, times approximately 700 respondents, which

equals 210 hours at an annual cost of \$4725.00.

The annual burden costs for respondents associated with the submission of this information for EPA form 3540–16 (Pesticides Report for Pesticide-Producing Establishments) consists of: reading instructions, planning and gathering information for the collection, inputting information on the reporting form, and storing the information. The total time associated with this effort is one-hour and thirty-three minutes for a cost of \$36.45, times the number of respondents (12,382), for an annual cost of \$451,323.90.

Send comments regarding these matters, or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the address listed above.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collections being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission

September 21, 1995.

The Federal Communications, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Comments are requested concerning (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commissions burden estimates: (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collected and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Written comments should be submitted on or before November 27, 1995. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.