ENVIROMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Receipt of Information Under the Toxic Substances Control Act

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: EPA is announcing its receipt of information submitted pursuant to a rule, order, or consent agreement issued under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). As required by TSCA, this document 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.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Chemical Substances and/or Mixtures
Information received about the following chemical substances and/or mixtures is provided in Unit IV.:

A. Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4) (CASRN: 556-67-2).

B. 2-Oxiranemethanamine, N-[4-(2-oxiranylmethoxy)phenyl]-N-(2-oxiranylmethyl)-(CASRN 5026–74–4).

II. Authority

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 a rule, order, or consent agreement 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, which announces the receipt of the information. Upon EPA’s completion of its quality assurance review, the information received will be added to the docket identified in Unit IV., which represents the docket used for the TSCA section 4 rule, order, and/or consent agreement. In addition, once completed, EPA reviews of the information received will be added to the same docket. Use the docket ID number provided in Unit IV. to access the information received and any available EPA review.

EPA’s dockets are 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) 556-1744, and the telephone number for the OPPT Docket is (202) 556-0280. Please review the visitor instructions and additional information about the docket available at http://www.epa.gov/dockets.

IV. Information Received

As specified by TSCA section 4(d), this unit identifies the information received by EPA.

A. Octamethylcyclotetrasiloxane (D4) (CASRN: 556-67-2).

1. Chemical Uses: D4 is used as an intermediate for silicone copolymers and other chemicals. D4 is also used in industrial processing applications as a solvent (which becomes part of a product formulation or mixture), finishing agent, and an adhesive and sealant chemical. It is also used for both consumer and commercial purposes in paints and coatings, and plastic and rubber products and has consumer uses in polishes, sanitation, soaps, detergents, adhesives, and sealants.


3. Information Received: The following listing describes the nature of the information received. The information will be added to the docket for the applicable TSCA section 4 rule, order, or consent agreement and can be found by referencing the docket ID number provided. EPA reviews of information will be added to the same docket upon completion.

   a. Letter to EPA with responses to EPA comments on Section 4 Interim Progress
b. D4 Environmental Testing Final Report (2 volumes including Text, Figures, Tables and Appendices A through ZA).

The docket ID number assigned to this information is EPA-HQ-OPPT-2012-0209.

B. 2-Oxiranemethanamine, N-[4-(2-oxiranylmethoxy)phenyl]-N-(2-oxiranylmethyl)-(CASRN 5026–74–4).

1. Chemical Uses: 2-Oxiranemethanamine, N-[4-(2-oxiranylmethoxy)phenyl]-N-(2-oxiranylmethyl) is used in resin and synthetic rubber manufacturing and aerospace and parts manufacturing.

2. Applicable Rule, Order, or Consent Agreement: Chemical testing requirements for third group of high production volume chemicals (HPV3), 40 CFR 799.5089.

3. Information Received: EPA received the following information: Equivalence Data: Oral (Gavage) 2 Generation Reproductive Toxicity Study, Final Report.

The docket ID number assigned to this information is EPA-HQ-OPPT-2009-0112.


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