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PESTICIDE ENFORCEMENT BRANCH

PESTICIDE EPISODE TRANSMITTAL RE

PR-ENF-114 (REV. 2/00)

RECEIVED BY	FROM	REPI		
Louis Watson	Don Richmond	Worker Health and Safety	6/20/02	10:00 A.M.

PRIORITY INVESTIGATION	TYPE OF EPISODE (CHECK ONE OR MORE)	COUNTY OF OCCURRENCE	DATE OF OCCURRENCE	TIME
☒ YES # 39-LA-02	☒ HUMAN EFFECTS # 1	Los Angeles County	4/11/02	11:00 A.M.
☐ NO	☐ PROPERTY LOSS $ ____			
CONCLUSION:	☐ ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS	EPISODE LOCATION		
☐ PRIORITY CRITERIA NOT MET	☐ OTHER (EXPLAIN): # ____	Unknown location, possibly at [redacted] North Hollywood		
☐ NOT PESTICIDE RELATED				
☐ RELATIONSHIP UNCONFIRMED		NEAREST CROSS STREETS	SECTION / TOWNSHIP / RANGE / B AND M	

BASIS/BY
Serious illness (any pesticide illness requiring hospital admission as "in patient status")

NAME OF PESTICIDE/MANUFACTURER	REGISTRATION # FROM LABEL	CAT.	DOSE/DILUTION/VOLUME	COMMODITY/SITE TREATED	DATE
Unknown - 2% Zinc Phosphide	Unknown	Ukn	Unknown	N/A	4/11/02

NAME OF PERSON(S)	M/F	ADDRESS	OCCUPATION	AGE
1. [redacted] (2001-219)	F	[redacted], North Hollywood, CA	Unknown	33
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

DESCRIPTION OF EPISODE/DAMAGE:

On April 11, 2002, a thirty-three (33) year old woman ingested nine (9) Zinc Phosphide pellets (unknown EPA Registration Number), and an unknown amount of the medications, Ambien and Vicodin. She vomited in the emergency room and appeared drowsy to the medical staff. The doctor admitted her into the hospital overnight for observation. The doctor discharged her the next day. The Los Angeles County Agricultural Commissioner's (LA CAC) Office will investigate this incident.

PERSON/FIRM ALLEGEDLY RESPONSIBLE FOR EPISODE/DAMAGE:

IF ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OR PROPERTY LOSS: OWNER | ADDRESS

INVESTIGATING AGENCY/INVESTIGATOR:
Los Angeles County Agricultural Commissioner's (LA CAC) Office

SUSPECTED VIOLATIONS:

FAC 12973, use of a pesticide in conflict with its registered labeling.

NOTIFICATION:	DATE	DATE REPORT SENT
U.S. EPA:	Ms. Laurie Amaro	6/25/02
CAC:	Mr. Cato Fiksdal	6/25/02
DIR:	Mr. Rop Repke	6/25/02
DNS:	Dr. Rupali Das	6/25/02
OEHHA:	Dr. Richard Ames	6/25/02
OTHER:	Ms. Kelli Okuma (SPCB)	6/25/02

DPR ROUTING

Alvord, Andrews, Brank, Farnsworth, Okumura, Paulson, Richmond, Shattuck, Surjan, Watson, Southern Regional Office, Priority Investigation File 39-LA-02

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