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TO : All Original Registrants of Proprietary and/or Generic
/Commodity Pesticide Active Ingredients and Products

FROM : 
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Executive Director

SUBJECT : DERMAL AND/OR RESPIRATORY SENSITIZING
PESTICIDE PRODUCTS/s

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In accordance with FPA's mandate to protect the public from the risks inherent in the use of pesticides, and educating the agricultural sector in the use of these inputs, FPA is currently reviewing its policies on the possible dermal and/or respiratory sensitizing effects of **pesticide products**, including the so-called "**inert ingredients**." In view, thereof, the FPA Board, which is the policy-making body of FPA, required, during its meeting last February 23, 2015, the list of currently registered/used sensitizing products in the Philippine market, for consideration during the forthcoming PPTAC and Board meeting. In order to facilitate the preparation and review of the same, you are hereby enjoined to submit the list of your company's registered products and inert ingredients with such effect/s, according to the following matrix:

List of Registered Dermal/Respiratory Sensitizers:

Active Ingredients/ Technical Material		Formulation/s		Inert Ingredient/s	
Imported	Locally manufactured	Imported	Locally/Formulated/ Repacked	Incorporated/ In finished products/s	Used in local formulation

Please indicate **D.R.**, or **B** after each product, to identify whether it is **dermal, respiratory** or both as a sensitizer, respectively and **M1, M2, S, for mild, moderate or severe**, respectively based on the previous **WHO classification**. If a revised Safety Data Sheet (SDS) is already available, please indicate the GHS sensitization category. The aforementioned data are required to be submitted on or before April 12, 2017 to enable us to process and submit the list to all PPTAC and Board members for their consideration.

For strict compliance.