Regulatory Decision Document

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AC 900001 Technical Herbicide (Picolinafen) AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide

AC 900001 Technical Herbicide (picolinafen) and associated end-use product AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide[®], for the control of broadleaf weeds in spring wheat (including durum) and barley grown in the prairie provinces and the Peace River Region of British Columbia, are eligible for full registration under the Pest Control Products Regulations.

These products were originally proposed for registration in Proposed Regulatory Decision Document PRDD2005-05, AC 900001 (Picolinafen). This Regulatory Decision Document outlines this stage of the Pest Management Regulatory Agency's (PMRA) regulatory decision-making process concerning the use of AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide® for the control of broadleaf weeds in spring wheat (including durum) and barley grown in the prairie provinces and the Peace River Region of British Columbia.

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1.0 Introduction

This Regulatory Decision Document completes the PMRA regulatory decision-making process concerning the use of AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide® containing AC 900001 Technical Herbicide (picolinafen) for the control of broadleaf weeds in spring wheat (including durum) and barley grown in the prairie provinces and the Peace River Region of British Columbia.

2.0 Background

The PMRA carried out an assessment of available information in accordance with the Pest Control Product Regulations. The assessment found that there was sufficient information to allow a determination of the safety, merit and value of AC 900001 Technical Herbicide (picolinafen) and the formulated end-use product AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide® manufactured by BASF Corporation. The PMRA concluded that the use of AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide® in accordance with the label accompanying the product has merit and value consistent with the Pest Control Products Regulations and does not entail an unacceptable risk of harm.

This product was proposed for registration in Proposed Regulatory Decision Document PRDD2005-05. The PMRA received no comments concerning PRDD2005-05.

3.0 Regulatory Decision

Based on the considerations outlined above, the use of AC 900001 Technical Herbicide (picolinafen) and associated end-use product AC 900001 Water Dispersible Granular Herbicide®, for the control of broadleaf weeds in spring wheat (including durum) and barley grown in the prairie provinces and the Peace River Region of British Columbia, are eligible for full registration under the Pest Control Products Regulations.