MINUTES OF 410th MEETING OF REGISTRATION COMMITTEE HELD ON 
05.11.2019 IN THE COMMITTEE ROOM NO. 1, ICAR, KRISHI BHAWAN, NEW DELHI.

Meeting of Registration Committee (RC) was held under the Chairmanship of Dr. S. K. Malhotra, Agriculture Commissioner on 05.11.2019 at 10:00 AM in Committee Room No. 1, ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi. Sh. Rajesh Malik, Plant Protection Advisor, DPPQ&S, Faridabad; Dr. Rajan, In charge ADG (PP) ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi; Dr. S. P. Shani, (Representative of Drug Controller General of India), New Delhi; Dr. K. K. Sharma, Project Co-ordinator, IARI, Pusa, New Delhi and Dr. J. P. Singh, Member Secretary, CIB&RC attended the meeting. Following officers from the Secretariat of CIB&RC also attended the meeting to present their agenda and advises as and when required or volunteered to provide the information during the deliberations.

1. Dr. Sushil K. Khurana, Consultant (Pathology)
2. Dr. Sandhya Kulshrestha, Consultant (Pharma)
3. Dr. Sarita Bhalla, Consultant (Pharma)
4. Dr. Archana Sinha, JD (Chem)
5. Sh. A. K. Reddy, DD (WS)
6. Sh. Kiran W. Deshkar, DD (E)
7. Dr. Vandana Pandey, AD (PP)

At the outset, Chairman welcomed the members & experts and asked Secretary, CIB&RC to take up the agenda for deliberations. The decisions taken by the RC are as under:

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The minutes may be confirmed with following amendments

a. Agenda item 6.3 may be amended as committee deliberated the agenda and approved for grant of registration for formulation import of Copper Hydroxide 46.1% w/w WG (30% Metallic Copper content) subject to fixation of MRL for control of Anthracnose and Dieback (Colletotrichum capsici) on Chilli; Anthracnose and Twig blight (Colletorichum gloeosporiodes), Citrus canker (Xanthomonas campestris pv. Citri) on Citrus; Anthracnose (Colletorichum gloeosporiodes) on Pomegranate; Capsule rot of Cardamom (Phytopthora meditii), Late blight (Phytopthora infestans) on Potato and Bacterial blight (Xanthomonas axonopodis pv. Malvacearum) on Cotton. A cautionary statement may be incorporated on the label and leaflet that “Product may be toxic to certain aquatic invertebrates and should be avoided near aquaculture”.

b. Agenda item 9.9: Application of M/s Syngenta India Ltd., for endorsement for alternate packing in PET container was approved in the minutes of 409th meeting for capacity 100 ml, 250 ml, 1000 ml IS 2771 (Pt1) 1990. Which shall be further packed in CFB box as transport packing for Lambda cyhalothrin 4.9% (Capsule Suspension). Pack size of 500ml was also proposed in the detailed agenda of 409th meeting and hence approved for the above packaging endorsement.

c. Annexure10.7.1, SL. No. 2 may be read as Copper Cyanide, Zinc Cyanide & Other metallic Cyanide & Electroplating Chemicals in place of Benzyl Cyanide.

d. Agenda item 11.2: The minutes under this item may be amended to the extent that the decision to hold the certificate of registration shall not be applicable for export certificates.
### 1.2 Possibility of registration of insecticides as generic insecticides/pesticides.

Committee deliberated the agenda and accepted the recommendations of the sub-committee which are as under:

1. Committee has recommended for the amendment in the labelling provisions of Insecticides Rules, 1971, so as the common/generic name is given more prominence than the trade name. The generic name should be mentioned above and two font size larger than the trade name.
2. Directions to be given to state agriculture department of all the States/UTs to issue manufacturing license for generic pesticides with prominence.
3. Accordingly, all the stockists/retailers should be directed to keep the separate shelves for display of generic pesticides for sale which should be visible to the end users.
4. Committee also suggested for the training by Central and State agriculture extension functionaries to create awareness regarding purchase and use of generic pesticides by farmers and other end-users.

### 1.3 Revisit of current Guidelines for registration of pesticides u/s 9(3) and 9(4) of the Insecticides Act, 1968.

The committee deliberated the agenda and felt that there is need for simplification of current guidelines to make it more user friendly, harmonize, rationalize, to promote make in India and considering ease of doing business. Accordingly, a sub-committee was constituted with following composition:

1. Dr. Sandhya Kulshrestha, Consultant (Pharma) – Chairperson
2. Dr. Anupama Singh, Principal Scientist & Head, Department of Agro Chemical, IARI – Member
3. Dr. Rohit Mishra, Assistant Industrial Advisor, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – Member
4. Dr. Sarita Bhalla, Consultant (Pharma) – Member
5. Sh. Kiran W. Deshkar, DD (E) – Member
6. Sh. A. K. Reddy, DD (WS) – Member
7. Dr. Vandana Pandey, AD (PP) – Member
8. Sh. Avnish Tomar, AD (Pack) – Member
9. Member from IARI, Entomology Division – Member
10. Dr. Archana Sinha, JD (Chem) – Member Secretary

The sub-committee may co-opt any expert to contribute in the endeavor and may submit its report within three months.

### 1.4 Requirement of sample drawl for registration of Technical Indigenous Manufacture u/s 9(3).

RC deliberated the agenda and accepted the proposal of doing away with the requirement of drawl of in process sample u/s 9(3) TIM application and to replace this requirement with the submission of five batch analysis report from GLP laboratory along with application and a sample to CIL. Further, the committee noted that a sub-committee has been formed to review the guidelines (under item no. 1.3 above), hence, this matter may also be considered by the same sub-committee. Meanwhile the existing procedure may continue.

### 1.5 Review of pesticides with respect to agenda item no. 11.2 and 11.4 of 409 RC meeting (twenty-seven pesticides recommended to be continued but to be reviewed after completion of the studies recommended by Dr. Anupam Varma/RC, Neonicotinoids, Glyphosate and Profenofos).

The status w.r.t. 35 pesticides was presented. RC decided that the sub-committee should invite concerned pesticide associations and stakeholders to discuss the deficiencies in submission of required data/information as per recommendations of Dr. Anupam Varma Committee /RC and also have their view. Also directed sub-committee for submission of final report within 4 weeks time.
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<td>2.1</td>
<td>One time permission for import for export on the basis of confirmed order may be allowed to M/s PI Industries wavering the information after noting that same compound (Thiourea) is being allowed to import for use in the country for non insecticidal purposes w.r.t. F. No. 11233-FTE/9(3)/2019.</td>
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