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NOTIFICATION IN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

PUBLIC NOTICE

Application for derogation for the restricted use of agricultural remedies identified as substances of concern.

This notice is to inform the public of the administrative action being taken in relation to the approval of agricultural remedies under the Fertilizer, Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act, 1947 (Act No. 36 of 1947).

ICA International Chemicals (Pty) Ltd., (Co Reg. No. 2001/013319/07) hereby informs the general public of their intention to submit an application for derogation for the registered agricultural remedy containing **halosulfuron-methyl** (sulfonylurea) below, with active ingredient load of **750 g/kg**, identified as a substance of concern due to its classification as a reproductive toxin Category 1B according to the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, for the following uses in South Africa: A herbicide used for the control of weeds in **Maize, Grain sorghum, Wheat, Avocados, Citrus and Mangoes** as specified in the Toxicological Risk assessment.

COMPANY NAME AND REGISTRATION NUMBER	TRADE NAME AND REGISTRATION NUMBER	WEBSITE
ICA International Chemicals (Pty) Ltd (Co. Reg. No. 2001/013319/07)	WeedO 750 WG (L 11149)	www.icaonline.co.za

As per the requirements of the "Regulations relating to agricultural remedies" of August 2023, a toxicological risk assessment was conducted for the proposed end uses and the public is hereby invited to review the risk assessment report and submit comments in relation to the proposed application. This report can be accessed online via the following website: <https://www.icaonline.co.za/> or in hard copy at the Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development (Agriculture Building, 20 Steve Biko Street, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0002) during office hours (08:00 to 16:00 on Mondays to Fridays, excluding public holidays).

Interested parties must submit comments or objections in connection with the proposed application in writing to:

Mr. Maluta Mudzunga.

The Registrar: Fertilizer, Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act, 1947 (Act No. 36 of 1947) Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development, Private Bag X343, Pretoria, 0001.

Office 417, Harvest House Building, 30 Hamilton Street, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0002.

Tel no: 012 319 6530

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Interested parties must submit comments or objections in relation to this application within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Comments received after this date need not be considered.

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KENNISGEWING IN DIE STAATSKOERANT

ALGEMENE KENNISGEWING

Aansoek vir derogasie vir die beperkte gebruik van landbouchemikalieë geïdentifiseer as sorgwekkende middels.

Hierdie kennisgewing het ten doel om die algemene publiek in te lig van die administratiewe aksie onderweg in verband met die goedkeuring van landbouchemikalieë onder die Wet op Misstawwe, Veevoer, Landbouchemikalieë en Veemiddels (Wet Nr. 36 van 1947).

ICA International Chemicals (Pty) Ltd. (Mpy Reg. Nr. 2001/013319/07) lig die algemene publiek hiermee in van hul voorneme om aansoek te doen vir die derogasie van die geregistreerde **halosulfuron-metiel** (sulfonielureum) bevattende landboumiddel hieronder, met aktiewe bestanddeel inhoud van **750 g/kg**, wat geïdentifiseer is as 'n sorgwekkende middel weens klassifikasie as reprodutief toksies Kategorie 1B ingevolge die "Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals", vir die volgende eindgebruike in Suid-Afrika: 'n Onkruidodder vir die beheer van onkruid in **Mielies, Graansorghum, Koring, Avokado's, Sitrus en Veselperskes** (Mango's) soos uiteengesit in die Toksikologiese Risiko-ontleding.

MAATSKAPPYNAAM EN REGISTRASIENOMMER	HANDELSNAAM EN REGISTRASIENOMMER	WEBWERF
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Soos vereis in die "Regulations relating to agricultural remedies" van Augustus 2023 is 'n toksikologiese risiko-ontleding voltooi vir die voorgestelde eindgebruike en die publiek word hiermee uitgenooi om kommentaar te lewer rakende die risiko-ontleding en die voorgestelde aansoek. Die verslag is aanlyn beskikbaar by: <https://www.icaonline.co.za/> of in harde kopie by "Department of Agriculture, Land Reform and Rural Development (Agriculture Building, 20 Steve Biko Street, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0002) gedurende kantoorure (tussen 08:00 en 16:00, Maandag tot Vrydag, uitsluitend openbare vakansiedae).

Belangstellende partye moet kommentaar of besware skriftelik rakende die voorgestelde aansoek rig aan:

Mnr. Maluta Mudzunga

Registrateur: Wet op Misstawwe, Veevoer, Landbouchemikalieë en Veemiddels, 1947 (Wet Nr. 36 van 1947).

Departement van Landbou, Grondhervorming en Landelike Ontwikkeling, Privaatsak X343, Pretoria, 0001. Kantoor 417, Harvest House-gebou, Hamiltonstraat 30, Arcadia, Pretoria, 0002.

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Kommentaar, of besware rakende hierdie aansoek moet binne 30 dae van publikasie van hierdie kennisgewing ingedien word. Kommentaar ontvang na die sperdatum mag nie noodwendig in ag geneem word nie.