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PEP-7004 - Notices of Objection Reports

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Portal flag	N
Company name	Rural Municipality of Piapot No. 110
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Date decision made public	04-MAR-2020 01:00:00
Decision on application	Cancelling registration through re-evaluation
Decision on reevaluation	No
Scientific basis description	In 1992 to 2001, 2% liquid strychnine wasn't available causing Richardson Ground Squirrel populations to explode resulting in millions of dollars in losses to grow. It was used again in Saskatchewan on BCC food

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damage to farm equipment. In years strychnine has been made available RGS populations have declined. Dry years with no effective method of control means the progress made on reducing RGS populations will be lost and will result in compounding agriculture losses as the population grows each season. The science PMRA is using to support their decision includes a 2019 study by the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture (SMA). This research study indicated that despite a large number of non-target species present, death from strychnine was limited to only four deer mice. This same study found less than 2 percent of RGS expired above ground and very few incidents where bait was ejected from the burrow proving a very small risk for non-target poisoning. Rural Municipalities have been working with the SMA and PMRA to minimize the potential impact of 2% liquid strychnine on unintended species by promoting integrated pest management and monitoring conditions of registration including how the product is applied, who can purchase the product and reporting requirements through the Saskatchewan RGS Stewardship Program (SRSP) The 2019 SMA study proves that these conditions are effective in minimizing the environmental impacts of strychnine use therefore Rural Municipalities would like to see the PMRA use this study to justify its continued registration for RGS control.

Active ingredients	2% Liquid Strychnine and its Associated End-use Products (Richardson's Ground Squirrels)
Product information	Active_Ingredient
Registration number	-
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