

Subject: US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) does further checks on Pesticides
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This email is for the information of those concerned about the use of pesticides, and particularly 2,4-D. The EPA is screening this ingredient as an Endocrine Disruptor (see <http://epa.gov/endo/index.htm>) - as one 73 draft list of chemicals (published June 2007) scheduled for initial Tier1 screening. (see <http://epa.gov/endo/pubs/prioritysetting/draftlist.htm>) Note that "because this list of chemicals was selected on the basis of exposure potential only, it should not be construed or characterized as a list of known or likely endocrine disruptors"

For more details the reader is referred to http://epa.gov/endo/pubs/prepublication_draft_list_052507.pdf

Yours truly,

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