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Guidance

Appendix of Prohibited Materials for Organic Crop Production

This list is provided for reference purposes and is not intended to be comprehensive. In addition to the materials identified below, any synthetic material that is not included at section 205.601 of the National List is prohibited for crop production. The materials listed below have been specifically prohibited on the National List at section 205.602, have been petitioned and reviewed by National Organic Standards Board and not recommended for addition to the National list, have expired from the National List, and/or have been reviewed by a Federal agency and determined to be prohibited for organic crop production.

1,4-Dimethylnaphthalene

3-Decen-2-one

6-Benzyladenine

Acetylated Lanolin Alcohol

Acrylic Acid Methyl Ester, Polymer with Acrylonitrile and 1,3-Butadiene

Ammonium Nonanoate, except as provided

on § 205.601

Arsenic

Ash from Manure Burning

Avermectin

Basic Slag, agricultural slag

Biosolids

Calcium Carbide

Calcium Oxide, fertilizer use Calcium Sulfate (synthetic form)

Captan Chitosan

Copper Chromium Arsenate Coumarone – indene resin

Cryolite Dextrin

Ethylene Glycol

Exhaust Gas (Carbon Monoxide)

Glycerin Oleate Glyphosate

Humic acid, treated with hydrogen peroxide

(oxidized lignite) Indole-3-butyric Acid

Lead Salts Leather Meal Lime Mud

Magnesium Dihydrogen Phosphite

Monohydrate

Manganous Oxide, except as provided on

§ 205.601(j) Methyl Bromide Methyl Laurate

Monocalcium Phosphate Nickel Salts, Synthetic

Niter

Pelargonic Acid

Pentaerythritol Monostearate Pentaerythritol Tetrastearate

Piperonyl Butoxide

Propylene glycol monolaurate (PGML) Potassium Sulfate (synthetic form) Propane, for underground rodent control

Rotenone Sewage Sludge Sodium Chlorate Sodium Fluoaluminate Sodium Fluoride

Sodium Lauryl Sulfate (SLS)

Sodium Propionate Streptomycin

Struvite (Magnesium Ammonium

Phosphate) Strychnine

Sulfuric Acid, except as provided on

§ 205.601(i)

Tall Oil Tetracycline

Tetrahydrofufuryl Alcohol

Thiram

Tobacco Dust (Nicotine Sulfate)

Triple Phosphate

Urea



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Note: Substances classified as EPA List 4—Inerts of Minimal Concern may be permitted in pesticide products under section 205.601(m). For more information, see NOP 5008.