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FROM: Lebelle Hicks, PhD DABT  
RE: Registration Request for Monsanto's MON 89034 X MON 88017 (EPA# 524-576)  
protein

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Monsanto is requesting registration approval for its MON 89034 X MON 88017 (EPA# 524-576) with Cry1A.105 %, Cry2Ab2 and Cry3Bb1. This product has field corn (with a 20% refuge) and sweet corn (cut down directions) uses on the label. MON 89034 expresses both Cry1A.105 and Cry 2Ab2. Field corn products containing MON 88017 and its associated proteins Cry3Bb1 were registered by the Board on July 17<sup>th</sup> 2007.

The genetic events from which these proteins were derived and the human health literature review are included in the DRAFT Medical Advisory Committee Report on Bt corn. This draft report was in last month's meeting package.

This product has a 20% refuge requirement, therefore it is not pending additional consideration by the Plant Incorporated Protectant Technical Committee.

