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Agricultural Chemicals Act 1958 PROCLAMATION

I, Richard E. McGarvie, Governor of Victoria, acting with the advice of the Executive Council and under sections 6A and 10A of the *Agricultural Chemicals Act 1958* amend the Proclamation made on 26 March 1991 and published in the *Government Gazette* on 27 March 1991 prescribing substances to the prohibited constituents of agricultural chemicals used or intended to be used for prescribed purposes as follows:

1. In item 1, column 1 of the Schedule after "substance" add "except strychnine".
2. After item 45 of the Schedule add to columns 1 and 2—

Column 1
"46. Strychnine

Column 2
As a vermin destroyer in graminaceous species, oilseed or legume field crops for the control of mice except when in the form of grain bait coloured green and containing not more than 2.7 grams of active constituent per kg. of bait and applied to the graminaceous species, oilseed or legume field crops at a rate of 1.0 kg/hectare and applied not closer than 100 metres from domestic situations; 1000 metres from township boundaries; 20 metres from windrows rolled or bailed hay or straw; 100 metres from reservoirs lakes wetlands creeks and rivers; 20 metres from dams and main channels (no channel to be baited); 100 metres from domestic or occupied buildings; 100 metres from major conservation reserves; 30 metres from other areas of native vegetation greater than 10 hectares; all such areas to be baited only after 3.00 p.m. on any day that baiting is carried out."

Given under my hand and the seal of Victoria on 26 July 1993

(L.S.) R. E. McGARVIE
By His Excellency's Command

B. McGRATH
Minister for Agriculture

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