

## **National Organic Standards Board Meeting, May 6-8, 2002, Austin, Texas**

### **Processing Committee: Recommendation Glycerol Monooleate**

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#### **Introduction:**

Glycerol Monooleate is petitioned for use as an antifoam agent used in processing.

#### **Background:**

Glycerol Monooleate is a commonly used antifoam agent used in processing. Therefore the material has been petitioned for inclusion on the national list. It has been brought to the attention of the processing committee that studies are currently underway testing the effectiveness of organic antifoams. Further, the committee has been informed results from these studies are expected prior to the September, 2002 National Organic Standards Board Meeting.

#### **Recommendation:**

Glycerol Monooleate to be deferred for consideration at the September, 2002 National Organic Standards Board Meeting.

#### **Committee Vote:**

Approved – 3  
Disapprove – 0  
Recuse – 1  
Absent - 1