6. Microscopic examination of all organs of rats fed diets containing 0.01 through 0.32 per cent of DCB showed no major visceral damage that could be ascribed to DCB in the diet.

It is therefore concluded, on the basis of the experimental results reported herein, that 1,3-dimethyl-4,6-bis(chloromethyl)benzene has a low order of toxicity and that exposure by inhalation, by skin contact or by ingestion of food contaminated with the agent presents no serious health hazards. However, this does not preclude the possibilities of health hazards arising from exposure prolonged beyond those reported or under dissimilar conditions.

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