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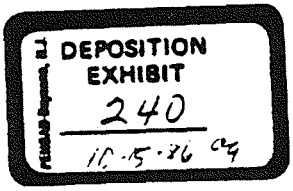
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A recent report from an ACS regional meeting by J. C. Street of Utah State University dealt with the ability of polychlorinated biphenyls to induce microsomal enzyme activity. Levels of 50 and 100 ppm (8 Arocior products and 2 triphenyls) fed to female rats for 15 days did stimulate these systems. In our chronic rat work, perhaps we could work this into the study as an aid in evaluating gross liver weight increases as might be expected to result. This might aid in determining the "no-effect" level, if indeed one exists in chronic studies of an accumulating material and if Monsanto still has hopes of maintaining these products on the market.

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