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Hawaii, defendant MONSANTO COMPANY knowingly stored acute hazardous
waste, namely, more than one kilogram of methyl parathion, also known
as Penncap-M, on the premises located at 1351 Mauna Loa Highway,
Kaunakakai, Hawaii, on the island of Molokai, without a permit under
Title 42, United States Code, Chapter 82, Subchapter III or pursuant
to Title I of the Marine Protection, Research, and Sanctuaries Act,
in violation of Title 42, United States Code, Section 6928(d)(2)(A).
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COUNT 2

Beginning on or before January 1, 2014, and continuing to on or about October 21, 2014, in Maui County, within the District of Hawaii, defendant MONSANTO COMPANY knowingly stored acute hazardous waste, namely, more than one kilogram of methyl parathion, also known as Penncap-M, on the premises known as "Valley Farm" located on Maui Veterans Highway in Kihei, Hawaii, on the island of Maui, without a permit under Title 42, United States Code, Chapter 82, Subchapter III or pursuant to Title I of the Marine Protection, Research, and Sanctuaries Act, in violation of Title 42, United States Code, Section 6928(d)(2)(A). 

COUNT 3

On or about July 15, 2014, in Maui County, within the District of Hawaii, defendant MONSANTO COMPANY, a commercial applicator, knowingly sprayed methyl parathion, also known as Penncap-M, a restricted use pesticide that was banned pursuant to a cancellation order issued by the Environmental Protection Agency, on corn seed and research crops on the premises known as "Valley Farm" located on Maui Veterans Highway in Kihei, Hawaii, on the island of Maui, in violation of Title 7, United States Code, Sections 136j(a)(2)(K), 136l(b)(1)(B).

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