2008 WSSA Committee Report to Members Summary for 2008 and Action Plan for 2009

Committee Code and Name: P-22 – Terminology Committee

Committee Chair: Corey V. Ransom

Board Coordinator: Linda Nelson

Committee Members Rotating Off: Appropriate Replacements:

Need Committee member (S) Tim Miller, ex-off (P22b)

2008 Summary of Activities

What were the committee's goals for 2008?

Approve additional chemical and common names.

Develop definitions related to weeds acceptable to the majority of WSSA members

List the committee's accomplishments in 2008:

Approved several herbicide common names for inclusion on the WSSA list of approved common and chemical names and provided them for publication in Weed Science. Edited the herbicide list for inclusion as a reference in the back of the program for the annual meeting.

What information was posted on the WSSA website?

None

How much funds were requested? How much was spent?

None

What was the impact of the committee activities/accomplishments on the following: membership, publication, policy, legislation, and/or education?

The WSSA list of approved common and chemical names is used by society members to insure uniformity in publications.

What is the current state of the committee's projects and activities?

Need to spend additional efforts working on weed definitions.

2009 Plan for Committee Activities

Goals for 2009:

Continue rapid approval and publication of common herbicide names Work toward development of Society accepted weed definitions

Plan of Action:

Work as a committee on herbicide name approval and involve other society members with the committee to compile acceptable weed definitions.

What is needed to further the goals of the committee/project? Society member involvement

Recommendations for Board/Society Action:

Funds requested for 2009:

Other requests for the Board: