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Dear Ms. Lemm:

Subject: Crabgrass Preventer with Dacthal
EPA Registration Number 572-193
Draft Labeling - Groundwater Advisory Statement

This is in response to your submission of July 13, 1992, regarding the placement of a groundwater advisory statement on the referenced label.

The labeling is acceptable provided that the following revisions are made:

1. The label must comply with the Worker Protection Standard.
2. The protective clothing and cleaning up instructions must be placed under the Precautionary Statements section.
3. Delete the sentence, "Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs, marshes, and potholes)." from the Environmental Hazards section. Replace the deleted sentence with, "Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark."

We regret the delay in processing this submission. Submit one (1) copy of final printed labeling incorporating the above revisions before releasing the product for shipment.

Sincerely yours,

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Joanne I. Miller
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Enclosure

CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL ▶	7505C							
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DATE ▶	Feb 27, 1995							

Crabgrass Preventer with Dacthal

A Dacthal coated corn cob for pre-emergence control of crabgrass and other annual weeds and grasses in established ornamental turf and ornamental plantings manufactured specifically for use in cyclone-type spreaders.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

DCPA (dimethyl tetrachloroterephthalate)..... 4.8%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 95.2%

100.00%

EPA Reg. No. 572-193

EPA Est. No. 9198-OH-1

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
CAUTION**

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS:

Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Do not contaminate food or foodstuffs. Do not apply to crops used for food or feed purposes.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: Collect and incorporate granules spilled on the soil surface. Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs, marshes, and pot-holes). Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

Groundwater Advisory: Tetrachloroterephthalic Acid, a breakdown product of Dacthal, is known to leach through soil as a result of agricultural and turf uses and has been found in groundwater which may be used for drinking water. Users are advised not to apply Dacthal to sand and loamy sand soils where the water table (groundwater) is close to the surface and where these soils are very permeable, i.e. well drained. Your local agricultural agencies can provide further information on the type of soil in your area and the location of groundwater used for drinking water.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF IN EYES: Flush with plenty of water. Call a physician if irritation persists.

IF ON SKIN: Wash exposed areas with soap and water.

IF SWALLOWED: DO NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs spontaneously, keep airways clear. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek medical attention immediately.

CRABGRASS PREVENTER WITH DACTHAL controls Carpetweed, Common Chickweed, Fall Panicum, Florida Pussley, Green Foxtail, Hairy Crabgrass, Johnsongrass, Lambsquarters, Lovegrass, Purslane, Smooth Crabgrass, Texas Millet, Witchgrass, Yellow Foxtail when used as directed.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Do not apply in Suffolk County, L.I., N.Y.

USE ONLY WHEN WEARING THE FOLLOWING PROTECTIVE CLOTHING: Wear long sleeved shirt and long legged pants and chemical resistant gloves.

IMPORTANT! If the pesticide comes in contact with skin, wash off with soap and water. Always wash hands, face, and arms with soap and water before smoking, eating, drinking, or toileting.

AFTER USE. Before removing gloves, wash them with soap and water. Take off all work clothes and shoes. Shower using soap and water. Do not reuse contaminated clothing. Clothing worn during use must be laundered separately from household articles.

Apply in early spring before weed seeds germinate. Spread evenly at the rate of 5 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. Before making application, lawn should be thoroughly raked. Delay Spring seeding 60 days after application or delay application on new seedings until greening of newly sprouted lawn grasses.

On Ornamentals, apply 5 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. However, do not use on the following plants: Bugleweed, Button Pink Carnation, Geum, Germander, Mesembryanthem, Pansy, Phlox, Sweet William, Telanthera.

Water in lightly if no rain falls within a week after application. Do not rake the lawn or disturb soil surface after application.

SPREADER SETTINGS

CYCLONE - 4 1/2 SCOTT ROTARY - "G"

These suggestions are for guidance in spreading this material. They are in no sense a guarantee of exact application. Age and wear of spreader, speed of operation and roughness of terrain can cause variation in rates applied.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store in a dry place. Store unused material in original container in a locked storage area out of reach of children or animals. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide that cannot be used according to label instructions, must be disposed of according to applicable Federal, State or local procedures.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by the State and local authorities, by burning. If burned stay out of smoke.

WARRANTY: Seller makes no warranty expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions.

Net Weight 25 lbs.

Manufactured for
ROCKLAND CORPORATION,
West Caldwell, NJ 07006

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.

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