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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

MAY 28 2004

Ms. Nancy Huebl
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Dear Ms. Huebl:

Subject: IRED Labeling Changes and Updated First Aid Statements
Technical Propetamphos
EPA Reg. No. 2724-313
Your Label Amendment of March 10, 2004
Agency's October 10, 2003 Letter Relative to Dermal Toxicity

The labeling amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, As Amended (FIFRA), is acceptable, provided that you submit two copies of your final printed label before you release the product for shipment.

If this condition is not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended label constitutes acceptance of this condition.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

As specified in our previous letter of April 4, 2003, any Notice of Reregistration issued for the subject product must await completion of the organophosphate pesticide cumulative assessment process and issuance of the RED for propetamphos. In addition, the data compensation requirements must be met. Applications for the reregistration of pesticide products are subject to the data compensation procedures and regulations. Please refer to 40 CFR Part 152 Subpart E.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Marilyn A. Mautz".

Marilyn A. Mautz
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Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
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TECHNICAL PROPETAMPHOS
FOR USE ONLY IN FORMULATING INSECTICIDES

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:	
Propetamphos (CAS #31218-83-4).....	90%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:	10%
TOTAL	100%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN
WARNING

See additional handling, safety precautions, and First Aid

EPA Reg. No. 2724-313
EPA Est. No.

NET WEIGHT:

ACCEPTED
MAY 28 2004
Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act,
as amended, for the pesticide
registered under
EPA Reg. No. 2724-313

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS - WARNING: May be fatal if swallowed, or absorbed through skin. Harmful if inhaled. Do not breath spray mist. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. In case of prolonged exposure, wear rubber gloves, protective clothing, and goggles. Wash hands, arms, and face area thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet. Wash all contaminated clothing with soap and hot water before reuse.

FIRST AID	
Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.	
If swallowed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. • Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. • Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. • Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
If on skin or clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take off contaminated clothing. • Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.
If inhaled	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Move person to fresh air. • If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.
Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. You may also contact 1-800-[phone number] for emergency medical treatment information.	
NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Contains propetamphos, an organophosphate, that inhibits cholinesterase. Atropine with 2-PAM is the emergency antidote if symptoms of cholinesterase inhibition are present.	

[Note: First Aid statement paragraph format may be used if space is limited.]

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish, aquatic invertebrates and other wildlife, and poses a risk to reproduction of birds. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE: It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labelling.

Only for formulation into a propetamphos insecticide product for indoor, nonresidential crack and crevice treatment only for the following use areas: food service establishments (e.g., restaurants, taverns, delicatessens, mess halls, mobile canteens, around vending machines, grocery stores and markets where there is no contact with food, and when food is removed or covered prior to treatment, including schools, hospitals and nursing homes in food service areas only; indoor non-food areas (e.g., office buildings; commercial; and industrial buildings and warehouses; and institutions, except those where children and the elderly occupy, such as and including schools, day-cares, hospitals, and nursing homes); and non-food areas of eating establishments where there is no contact with food, and where no food processing, packing, and no food and/or feed warehousing occurs.

The product may be used to formulate products for any additional use(s) not listed on the MP label if the formulator, user group, or grower has complied with US EPA submission requirements regarding support of such use(s).

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL: Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. **Storage:** Store in a cool, dry, ventilated area away from humans, pets, foodstuffs, or feed. Do not store near heat or open flame. In case of spillage, cover with an absorbent material such as clay or sawdust. Sweep up and bury. Then wash area with strong detergent solution. **Pesticide Disposal:** Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance. **Container Disposal: Metal Container:** Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities. **Plastic Container:** Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

Wellmark International makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than as indicated on the label.

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