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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

May 9, 2016

J.T. Eaton & Co., Inc. c/o Sharon M. Johnston RegGuide 509 Tower Valley Drive Hillsboro, MO 63050

Subject: PRIA Label Amendment – PRIA amendment to add use sites to the label and make other minor revisions Product Name: J.T. Eaton answer for the control of pocket gophers EPA Registration Number: 56-57 Application Date: March 10, 2016 Decision Number: 515092

Dear Ms. Johnston:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA approved registration, the website will be referred to the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

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Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, please contact Gene Benbow by phone at 703-347-0235, or via email at <u>Benbow.Gene@epa.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Mark Suarez Product Manager 07 Invertebrate & Vertebrate Branch 3 Registration Division (7505P) Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure

PROFESSIONAL USE LABEL

J.T. EATON™

ANSWER FOR CONTROL OF POCKET GOPHERS

This product may only be used to control pocket gophers in manual, below ground applications.

KILLS GOPHERS

Active Ingredient:	
Diphacinone (CAS# 82-66-6)	0.005%
Other Ingredients	<u>99.995%</u>
Total	0.000%

EPA Reg. No. 56-57 EPA Est. No.

Keep Out of Reach of Children CAUTION

See side [back] panel for additional precautionary statements.

J.T. Eaton & Co., Inc. 1393 East Highland Road Twinsburg, OH 44087

Net Contents: 10, 12, 50 pounds



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

^{NO.} 56-57

PROFESSIONAL USE LABEL

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION: Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Keep away from children, domestic animals and pets. Wear long pants, shoes, socks and waterproof gloves. Any person who retrieves carcasses or unused bait following application of this product must wear waterproof gloves.

User Safety Requirements:

- Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables exist, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing.
- As soon as possible, wash hands thoroughly after applying bait and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet and change into clean clothing.

FIRST AID Have the label with you when obtaining treatment advice.		
If Swallowed	 Call a poison control center, doctor or 1-800-222-1222 immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to by a poison control center or doctor. 	
If on Skin or Clothing	 Take off contaminated clothing. Immediately rinse skin with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center, doctor or 1-800-222-1222 immediately for treatment advice. 	
If in Eyes	 Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center, doctor or 1-800-222-1222 immediately for treatment advice. 	

TREATMENT FOR PET POISONING

If animal eats bait, call a veterinarian at once.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN OR VETERINARIAN

Anticoagulant Diphacinone: If swallowed, this material may reduce the clotting ability of the blood and cause bleeding. **For humans or dogs** that have ingested this product and/or have obvious poisoning symptoms (bleeding or prolonged prothrombin times), give Vitamin K_1 intramuscularly or orally.

Environmental Hazards

This pesticide is extremely toxic to mammals and birds. Dogs and other predatory and scavenging mammals and birds might be poisoned if they feed upon animals that have eaten this bait. Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Runoff may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water or rinsate.

ENDANGERED SPECIES CONSIDERATIONS

NOTICE: It is a Federal offense to use any pesticide in a manner that results in the death of a member of an endangered species. The use of this product may pose a hazard to Federally designated endangered/threatened species.

PROFESSIONAL USE LABEL

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

This label must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

USE RESTRICTIONS

This product may only be used in manual, subterranean applications to control valley pocket gophers (Thornomys bottae), northern pocket gopers (T. talpoides, Mazama pocket gophers (T. mazama), Townsend's pocket gophers (T. townsend), giant pocket gophers (T. bulbivorus), Sierra pocket gophers (T. monticola) and plains pocket gophers (Geomys bursarius).in RANGELAND, ORCHARDS, VINEYARDS, CROPLAND (grain fields, hops fields, forage crops, hay and alfalfa crops and vegetable crops), FOREST AND NONCROP AREAS including golf courses, parks, nurseries and around homes. This product may only be applied at the use sites and by the application methods indicated on this label. Bait must be applied directly into pocket gopher burrow systems. Do not apply this product above the ground surface. Do not apply this product by use of a mechanical burrow builder machine or any other type of mechanical application equipment, including mechanized probes. Do not broadcast bait.

BAITING:

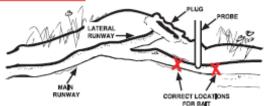
Place baits in main runways. To locate main runways, probe 12 to 18 inches from the surface mound on the side which is flattened or depressed using a burrow probe or a smooth metal rod. When resistance on probe suddenly decreases, probe is in the main runway. Open the runway with the probe, a spade or shovel. Place one BAIT BLOCK into each opening of the runway and cover the opening securely to exclude light. Do not permit the loose soil to cover bait.

Place baits at two or three locations in each main burrow (runway) system. A pocket gopher will normally travel to all portions of its burrow system within a few days. As some gophers may die above ground, check the area periodically for 10 to 15 days after treatment. Any dead animals found are to be buried or placed in the trash. If pocket gopher activity persists 2 weeks after treatment, bait the active burrow a second time.

FOLLOW-UP:

Wearing waterproof gloves, collect and dispose of dead, exposed animals. Dispose of leftover bait in accordance with disposal instructions. If reinfestation does occur, repeat treatment.

GOPHER MOUND



Storage and Disposal

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

Pesticide Storage: Store only in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets. Keep containers closed and away from other chemicals.

Pesticide Disposal: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be placed in trash or delivered to an approved waste disposal facility.

Container Handling: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container.

[Plastic] Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by incineration.

[Paper] Dispose of empty container by placing in trash, at an approved waste disposal facility or by incineration.

NOTICE: To the extent consistent with applicable law, buyer assumes all risks of use, storage or handling of this material not in strict accordance with directions given herewith. The efficacy of the product may be reduced under high moisture conditions.

Product Batch Code No.

HOMEOWNER USE LABEL

J.T. EATON™

ANSWER FOR CONTROL OF POCKET GOPHERS

This product may only be used to control pocket gophers in manual, below ground applications.

Intended for Residential Use

KILLS GOPHERS

Active Ingredient:	
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Other Ingredients	%
Total	

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Environmental Hazards

This pesticide is extemely toxic to mammals and birds. Dogs and other predatory and scavenging mammals and birds might be poisoned if they feed upon animals that have eaten this bait. Do not apply directly to water. Runoff also may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash water or rinsate.

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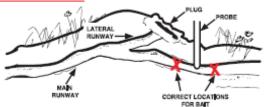
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Pesticide Storage: Store only in original container in a dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

Pesticide Disposal and Container Handling: Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container.

If empty: Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

If partly filled: Call our local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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