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> OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Ms Pat Dinnen Syngenta Crop Protection P.O.BOX 18300 Greensboro, NC 27419 NOV 27 2009

Subject: Label Notification(s) for Pesticide Registration Notice 2007-4

Dear Registrant:

The Agency is in receipt of your Application(s) for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notice (PRN) 2007-4 dated September 14, 2009 for:

EPA Registration 100-722 Award ® Fire Ant Bait

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted a review of this request for applicability under PRN 2007-4 and finds that the label change(s) requested falls within the scope of PRN-2007-4. The label has been date-stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on <u>nonrefillable</u> containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by nonnotification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please contact me directly at 703-305-6249 or Banza Djapao of my staff at 703-305-7269.

Sincerely,

Linda Arrington Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader Registration Division (7505P) Office of Pesticide Programs

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September 14, 2009

Document Processing Desk (NOTIF) Office of Pesticide Programs (7504P) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Room S-4900, One Potomac Yard 2777 South Crystal Drive Arlington, VA 22202-4501

Attention: Ms. Linda Arrington

#### SUBJECT: AWARD® FIRE ANT BAIT EPA REG. NO. 100-722 NOTIFICATION OF LABEL CHANGE PER PR NOTICE 2007-4

Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc. is submitting Notification for Award Fire Ant Bait, EPA Reg. No. 100-722. Syngenta is amending the Storage and Disposal section of the label by Notification according to the directions stated in PR Notice 2007-4.

Attached are:

- One copy of the label with the changes clearly marked
- One unmarked copy of the label
- A CD of the unmarked copy of the label for "Electronic Comparison and Review"
- Certificate with Respect to Label Integrity Form
- Completed EPA Form 8570-1

Thank you in advance for approving this Notification. If you have any questions, please contact me at 336-632-2494.

Sincerely,

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Award® Fire Ant Bait

Insect Growth Regulator For Control of Fire Ants and Big-Headed Ants in Turf, Ornamentals, Home Lawns and Landscaped Areas Around the Home, Non–Crop Areas, Horse Farms, Sod Farms, Non–Grazed Areas on the Farm, and Nurseries and Fire Ants in Certain Nonbearing Crops

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Active Ingredient: Fenoxycarb: (Ethyl [2–	
(4-phenoxyphenoxy ethyl] carbamate)	1.00%
Other Ingredients:	99.00%
Total:	100.00%

1 lb. contains 0.16 oz. active ingredient.

#### KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

#### CAUTION

See back panel for additional precautionary statements and directions for use. (25 lb. bag)

See additional precautionary statements and directions for use in booklet. (3 lb. bklt)

EPA Reg. No. 100-722

EPA Est. 39578-TX-1

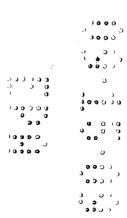
**Product of France** 

Formulated in the USA

SCP 722A-L2D 0803 (3 lb.)

SCP 722A-L1E 0803 (25 lb.)

3 lbs. 25 pounds Net Weight



	FIRST AID
lf on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
If inhaled	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
lf in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
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	HOT LINE NUMBER 24-Hour Medical Emergency Assistance (Human or Animal) Chemical Emergency Assistance (Spill, Leak, Fire or Accident) Call 1-800-888-8372

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## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

### CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through skin or inhaled. Avoid breathing dust or contact with skin? or clothing.

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# Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

## Applicators and other handlers must wear:

- Long-sleeved shirt and long pants
- Shoes plus socks

Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning/maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

# **Engineering Control Statements**

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

# User Safety Recommendations:

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.

# **Environmental Hazards**

This product is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic invertebrates in adjacent aquatic sites. Do not apply directly to water or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment wash water.

# ATTENTION

This product contains a chemical (N-methyl pyrrolidone) known to the state of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

#### CONDITIONS OF SALE AND LIMITATION OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY

NOTICE: Read the entire Directions for Use and Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability before buying or using this product. If the terms are not acceptable, return the product at once, unopened, and the purchase price will be refunded.

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The Directions for Use of this product should be followed carefully. It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with the use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as manner of use or application, weather or crop conditions, presence of other materials or other influencing factors in the use of the product, which are beyond the control of SYNGENTA CROP PROTECTION, Inc. or Seller. All such risks shall be assumed by Buyer and User, and Buyer and User agree to hold SYNGENTA and Seller harmless for any claims relating to such factors.

SYNGENTA warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated in the Directions for Use, subject to the inherent risks referred to above, when used in accordance with directions under normal use conditions. This warranty does not extend to the use of the product contrary to label instructions, or under abnormal conditions or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to or beyond the control of Seller or SYNGENTA, and Buyer and User assume the risk of any such use. SYNGENTA MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE.

In no event shall SYNGENTA or Seller be liable for any incidental, consequential or special damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY OF THE USER OR BUYER, AND THE EXCLUSIVE LIABILITY OF SYNGENTA AND SELLER FOR ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, LOSSES, INJURIES OR DAMAGES (INCLUDING CLAIMS BASED ON BREACH OF WARRANTY, CONTRACT, NEGLIGENCE, TORT, STRICT LIABILITY OR OTHERWISE) **RESULTING FROM THE USE OR HANDLING OF THIS PRODUCT, SHALL BE THE RETURN OF THE PURCHASE PRICE OF THE PRODUCT OR, AT THE ELECTION** OF SYNGENTA OR SELLER, THE REPLACEMENT OF THE PRODUCT. ינננ ינננ

SYNGENTA and Seller offer this product, and Buyer and User accept it, subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Limitation of Warranty and Liability, which may not be modified except by written agreement signed by a duly authorized representative of SYNGENTA. 000000 رده د ۱۰ د ່ວວ່

# DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Award must be used only in accordance with recommendations on this label or in separately published Syngenta supplemental labeling recommendations for this product.

Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

#### AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE) and restricted-entry interval. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

# Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted-entry interval (REI) of 12 hours.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water is:

- Coveralls
- Waterproof gloves
- Shoes plus socks

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### NON-AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

The requirements in this box apply to uses of this product that are NOT within the scope of the Worker Protection Standard for agricultural pesticides (40 CFR part 170). The WPS applies when this product is used to produce agricultural plants on farms, forests, nurseries, or greenhouses.

Do not reenter treated areas until application is complete.

#### FAILURE TO FOLLOW THE DIRECTIONS FOR USE AND PRECAUTIONS ON THIS LABEL MAY RESULT IN POOR INSECT CONTROL, CROP INJURY, OR ILLEGAL RESIDUES.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

#### Pesticide Storage

Store away from heat. Keep package dry.

#### **Pesticide Disposal**

Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

#### Container Disposal Handling (25 lb. [bag)]

<u>Non-refillable container.</u> Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then <u>offer for recycling if available or dispose of empty bag</u> in a sanitary landfill, <u>by incineration</u>, or, <u>ifby other procedures</u> allowed by state and local authorities, <u>by burning</u>. If <u>burned</u>, stay out of smoke.

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#### Container DisposalHandling (3 lb. [plastic jug]container)

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recording if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying, Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container 1/4 full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour ringate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, by

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incineration, or, if by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

For minor spills, leaks, etc., follow all precautions indicated on this label and clean up immediately. Take special care to avoid contamination of equipment and facilities during cleanup and disposal of wastes. In the event of a major spill, fire, or other emergency, call 1–800–888–8372 day or night.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Award Fire Ant Bait is an insect growth regulator with a mode of action specific to insects, and therefore has less influence on non-target organisms. Award Fire Ant Bait is very easy and convenient to apply (see use directions below.)

Precautions: (1) Avoid application during excessively hot periods of the day or when the grass is wet. (2) Heavy rainfall within 2 or 3 hours of application may reduce effectiveness. (3) DO NOT APPLY TO PASTURE, RANGELAND OR OTHER AREAS WHICH MAY BE GRAZED BY CATTLE, SHEEP, OR OTHER DOMESTIC ANIMALS EXCEPT HORSE FARMS. SPECIFIC DIRECTIONS FOR USE ON HORSE FARMS FOLLOW.

#### **APPLICATION SITES**

Award Fire Ant Bait may be applied to the following nonbearing crops: apples, avocados, blueberries, carambola, citrus, guava, lychee, mangoes, mamey sapote, nectarines, peaches, pecans, plums, and West Indian cherry. Nonbearing crops are those that will not bear fruit for at least one year following application of Award Fire Ant Bait.

Award Fire Ant Bait may also be applied to turf and other non-agricultural land including, but not limited to airports, roadsides, school grounds, golf courses, parks, picnic grounds, sports fields, other recreational areas, ornamental gardens, cemeteries, and other landscaped areas.

Award Fire Ant Bait may also be applied to home lawns and landscaped areas around the home.

Award Fire Ant Bait may be applied to non-cropped and non-grazed areas on the farm. Non-cropped and non-grazed areas include areas around barns, outbuildings, fended rows, set aside acres, and other areas not grazed by livestock or used asscept land.

Award Fire Ant Bait may be used on pasture, rangeland, or other grazed areas on the set for human consumption.

Award Fire Ant Bait may also be used in and around container and field-grown

*Precautions: 1) Application to nonbearing crops is permitted up to one year before the first harvest. 2) Do not apply to the specified nonbearing crop more than twice per year.* 

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#### SPECIFIC USE DIRECTIONS

#### FIRE ANT CONTROL

Award Fire Ant Bait is slow acting but very effective for control of fire ants. Following application, Award Fire Ant Bait is collected by worker ants and distributed throughout the colony. Within 4 - 8 weeks, there is considerable ant mortality and a continual decline of the fire ant colony. Applications made in the fall may take up to 12 weeks before decline of the colony occurs due to cooler weather.

#### Methods of Application

Apply Award Fire Ant Bait when ants are actively foraging. This is usually when soil temperatures are above 60°F. Avoid application during excessively hot periods of the day or when grass or other vegetation is wet. Heavy rainfall within 2 or 3 hours of application may reduce effectiveness.

In cases where reinfestation occurs or when very large mounds remain active, retreatment may be desirable after 3 - 4 months.

**Single Mound Treatment**: Apply 1 - 3 level tablespoons of Award Fire Ant Bait per mound, uniformly distributing material 3 - 4 ft. around the mound. Do not contaminate kitchen utensils by use or storage.

**Broadcast Application**: Apply uniformly with ground equipment calibrated to give the correct dosage. Apply 1 - 1.5 lbs./A.

**Aerial Application**: Apply uniformly with aerial equipment calibrated to give the correct dosage. Apply 1 - 1.5 lbs./A. Do not apply when weather conditions favor drift from treated areas.

#### **BIG-HEADED ANT (PHEIDOLE MEGACEPHALA) CONTROL**

**Broadcast Application:** Apply Award Fire Ant Bait uniformly with ground or hand-held equipment calibrated to deliver the correct dosage. Apply at 1-1.5 lbs  $\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $\frac{3}{5}$  reat  $\frac{3}{5}$  surrounding areas, adjacent borders, and fence lines to help prevent an migration into the treated area. Allow 4 - 6 weeks for the insect growth regulator effect of Award Fire Ant Bait to reduce the activity of the ant colonies.

Re-treat after 4-6 months, if needed.

#### ON HOME LAWNS AND LANDSCAPED AREAS AROUND THE HOME

Apply as directed above.

#### FOR USE ON TURF AND OTHER NON-AGRICULTURAL LAND

Other non-agricultural land includes but is not limited, to airports, roadsides, school grounds, golf courses, parks, picnic grounds, sports fields, other recreational areas, ornamental gardens, cemeteries, and other landscaped area.

Apply Award Fire Ant Bait as directed above.

#### IN NURSERIES AND SOD FARMS

Apply Award Fire Ant Bait as directed in and around container and field-grown ornamental and non-bearing nursery stock and commercial turf.

# ON NON-CROPPED AND NON-GRAZED AREAS OF THE FARM AND ON HORSE FARMS

Non-cropped and non-grazed areas of the farm include areas around barns, outbuildings, fence rows, set aside acres, and other areas not grazed by livestock or used as crop land.

Award Fire Ant Bait may be applied to pastures, rangeland, and other grazed areas on horse farms **only** if horses are not used for human consumption.

Apply as directed above.

#### ON NON-BEARING CITRUS, PECANS, PEACHES, APPLES, NECTARINES, PLUMS, MANGO, AVOCADO, CARAMBOLA, MAMEY SAPOTE, GUAVA, LYCHEE AND BLUEBERRY

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Nonbearing crops are those that will not bear fruit for at least one year following the signal application of Award Fire Ant Bait.

Apply as directed. For best results, apply Award Fire Ant Bait in the spring prior to planting and make annual treatments each spring until one year before bearing. Fire ant control in the tropical crops may require spring and fall treatments of Award Fire Ant Bait because of year-long fire ant activity.

*Precautions: 1) Do not apply within one year of the first harvest. 2) Do not apply to these non-bearing crops more than twice per year.* 

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SCP 722A-L2D 0803 (3 lb.)

SCP 722A-L1E 0803 (25 lb.)

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(Container label 3 lb.)

Award® Fire Ant Bait

Insect Growth Regulator For control of Fire Ants and Big-Headed Ants in Turf, Ornamentals, Home Lawns and Landscaped Areas Around the Home, Non–Crop Areas, Horse Farms, Sod Farms, Non–Grazed Areas on the Farm, and Nurseries and Fire Ants in Certain Nonbearing Crops

Active Ingredient: Fenoxycarb: (Ethyl [2–	
(4-phenoxyphenoxy ethyl] carbamate)	1.00%
Other Ingredients:	99.00%
Total:	100.00%

1 lb. contains 0.16 oz. active ingredient.

## KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

## CAUTION

See additional precautionary statements and directions for use in booklet.

# AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. Refer to supplemental labeling under "Agricultural Use Requirements" in the Directions for Use section for information about this standard.

EPA Reg. No. 100-722 EPA Est. 39578-TX-1 SCP 722A-L2D 0803 (3 lb.) SCP 722A-L3A 0803 (back) 3 Pounds Net Weight

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## **PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

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## Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

# CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through skin or inhaled. Avoid breathing dust or contact with skin or clothing.

	FIRST AID
lf on skin or clothing	<ul> <li>Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If swallowed	<ul> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.</li> <li>Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow.</li> <li>Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul>
lf inhaled	<ul> <li>Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.</li> </ul>
If in eyes	<ul> <li>Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes.</li> <li>Remove contact lenses, if present, after the first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul>
•	uct container or label with you when calling a poison control center or g for treatment.
	HOT LINE NUMBER r 24-Hour Medical Emergency Assistance (Human or Animal) Chemical Emergency Assistance (Spill, Leak, Fire or Accident) Call 1-800-888-8372
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## **Environmental Hazards**

This product is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Drift and runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic invertebrates in adjacent aquatic sites. Do not apply directly to water or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Do not contaminate water when cleaning equipment or disposing of equipment wash water.

## ATTENTION

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This product contains a chemical (N-methyl pyrrolidone) known to the state of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm.

## Container Disposal<u>Handling</u>

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times. Then offer for recycling if available or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, by incineration, or, if by other procedures allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

For minor spills, leaks, etc., follow all precautions indicated on this label and clean up immediately. Take special care to avoid contamination of equipment and facilities.

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