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Mr. Richard Pence Senior Regulatory Manager NOVARTIS CROP PROTECTION, INC. P. O. Box 18300 Greensboro, NC 27419-8300

Dear Mr. Pence:

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This is in response to your request dated June 15, 1999 to change the product name for **EPA Registration 100-917** from: <u>Mertect Fungicide</u> to: <u>Thiabendazole Technical</u>.

Your request for the name change is accepted and the change will be made to the Agency's records. All future correspondence on this product should reference the new name.

Sincerely yours,

/s/

Sherada D. Hobgood Notifications Review Coordinator Registration Division (7505C)

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United States Environmental Protection Agency Washington, DC 20460		tes ection Agency	Registra Amendmo × Other	}	OPP Identifier Number NOTIFICATION	
	Appli	cation for Pesticide -	Section I			
1. Company/Product Nun 100-917			roduct Manager	3. Pr	roposed Classification	
4. Company/Product (Name) Mertect Fungicide		PM# 22			None Restricted	
5. Name and Address of Novartis Crop Pro P. O. Box 18300 Greensboro, NC		my product is	 Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. 			
Check if	this is a new address	Product Nam	Product Name			
	<u></u>	Section - II	·····			
Amendment - Explain below Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated "Me Too" Application.					to	
X Notification - Explain below.						
Explanation: Use addit	ional page(s) if necessary. (i	For Section I and Section	n II.).	<u></u>		
Request a name change	for the subject product. New	v name will be "Thiabend	dazole Technical".			
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Child-Resistant Packaging Yes* No	t Will Be Packaged In: Unit Packaging Yes No	Water Soluble Yes No		F	Metal Plastic Glass	
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6. Manner in Which Labe	I is Affixed to Product	Lithograph Paper glued Stenciled	Other			
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1. Contact Point (Compl Name Richard Pence	ete items directly below for iden	tification of individual to be of Title Senior Regula		Telepho	his application.) ne No. (Include Area Code) 32-2461	
I acknowledge that an both under applicable	nents I have made on this form a y knowingly false or misleading s	statement may be punishab			6. Date Application Received (Stampert)	
2. Signature Richard Pourel		3. Title Senior Regulatory	3. Title Senior Regulatory Manager			
4. Typed Name		5. Date June 15, 1999				
Richard Pence						

EPA Form 8570-1 (Rev. 8-94) Previous editions are obsolete.

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Thiabendazole Technical

FUNGICIDE

For use only in the manufacture of EPA registered fungicidal formulations

Active Ingredient: Thiabendazole (CAS No. 148-79-8)	
Other Ingredients:	1.5%
Total:	100.0%
EPA Reg. No. 100-917	EPA Est. 39578-TX-1

Made in India



Product ID.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

See additional precautionary statements at end of label.

50 POUNDS NET WEIGHT

U.S. Standard Measure

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Thiabendazole Technical

DIRECTIONS FOR USE AND CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

IMPORTANT: Read the entire **Directions for Use** and the **Conditions of Sale and Warranty** before using this product. If terms are not acceptable, return the unopened product container at once.

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

Novartis warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label and is reasonably fit for the purposes referred to in the **Directions for Use** subject to the inherent risks referred to above. Novartis makes no other express or implied warranty of Fitness or Merchantability or any other express or implied warranty. In no case shall Novartis or the Seller be liable for consequential, special, or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. Novartis and the Seller offer this product, and the Buyer and user accept it, subject to the foregoing Conditions of Sale and Warranty, which may be varied only by agreement in writing signed by a duly authorized representative of Novartis.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of federal law (USA) to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. This product is for the manufacture of EPA registered fungicidal formulations only and is not for resale under this label.

Instructions to Formulators

This technical product may be used only for the manufacture of EPA registered fungicidal formulations for use on the following: apples, bananas, carrots, citrus, fruits, Hubbard squash, mushrooms, papaya, pears, potatoes, sweet potatoes, tobacco, wheat, and elm and sycamore tree injection. This product may be used to formulate products for specific use(s) not listed on the MP label if the formulator, user group, or grower has complied with U.S. EPA data submission requirements regarding the support of such use(s). Formulators using this product are responsible for obtaining EPA registration for their formulated products.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

General

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

Storage

Store in a cool, dry place.

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

Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into application equipment. Then dispose of liner and fiber drum in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by state and local authorities.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed, inhaled, or absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with skin, eyes, and clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wear rubber gloves and protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

Statement of Practical Treatment

If swallowed: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If on skin: Wash with plenty of soap and water.

If inhaled: Remove victim to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth.

If in eyes: Flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

Environmental Hazards

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.

For 24-hour emergency information, call 1-800-888-8372.

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