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Subject:

Amended Reregistration Label, Response to EPA Letter Dated November 6, 2008

**CUTTER Insect Repellent #30CR, EPA Reg. No. 121-57** 

Your Submission Dated January 28, 2009

Dear Mr. Metzger:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable.

Current labels on DEET repellent products tend to dissolve from contact with the repellent (usually liquids). All reregistered DEET product labels must use materials that remain permanent and readable for the reasonable life of the product.

The Agency is in the process of developing and improving the current Efficacy Assessment Guidelines for repellent products. The Agency intends to defer the determination of any related efficacy data requirements supporting the claims that may appear on this label until these Efficacy Assessment Guidelines are complete. When the guidelines are finalized, the Agency expects to issue a Data Call-In to address the revised guidelines to all registrants with registrations for personal repellent products that have not previously submitted efficacy data sufficiently consistent with the revised guidelines.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA 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) lists 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 be 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 EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance (OECA). As an alternative, you may refer consumers to the company's phone number or e-mail address.

A copy of your label stamped "Accepted" is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions about this label review, please contact Mr. Carmen J. Rodia, Jr. at (703) 306-0327 or via e-mail at Rodia, Carmen@epa.gov.

Sincerely Yours,

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Enclosure: Label stamped "Accepted" 000121-00057 p405279

FRONT PANEL

# CUTTER Insect Repellent #30CR

[Long lasting protection from mosquitoes, chiggers, gnats, ticks, fleas and biting flies • It won't stain • Not greasy or oily • Makes You Invisible to Bugs • Tough on bugs • Effective, dependable protection • Pleasant, effective protection • Repels mosquitoes, chiggers, ticks, biting flies, no-see-ums, gnats and fleas • Repels biting insects for hours • Protects against mosquitoes for up to 10 [8] hrs • Repels mosquitoes for up to 10 [8] hrs • 10 [8] Hr Protection against Mosquitoes • Repels Mosquitoes that may Carry West Nile Virus • Mosquito Repellent • Pleasant, effective protection from mosquitoes, chiggers, ticks, biting flies, no-see-ums, gnats and fleas • Unscented • Pocket size • Lotion • Cream • Resists perspiration • Water resistant [formula] • Water resistant [sports formula] • Sweat resistant [formula] • [Non-greasy and] resists perspiration • For active families]

ACCEPTED

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under:

Active Ingredient:	EPA. Reg. No:	121-57	30.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN WARNING Read cautions on back panel

Net Wt 1 oz (28 g)

## OPTIONAL MARKETING CLAIMS

[NOW...PLEASANT PROTECTION THAT'S EFFECTIVE FOR HOURS! LONG LASTING PROTECTION...WITHOUT UNPLEASANT SCENT!

#### **OPTION 1**

Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR is specially formulated to repel mosquitoes, ticks, biting flies, gnats, chiggers, fleas and no-see-ums. Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR offers long-lasting protection that's never greasy or oily, and has no unpleasant odor.

#### **OPTION 2**

Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR provides hours of protection from mosquitoes and biting flies. Also repels ticks, chiggers, no-see-ums, gnats, and fleas. Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR offers long-lasting protection: it's not greasy and has no unpleasant odor.

#### **OPTION 3**

Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR repels biting insects for hours. It's specially formulated to repel mosquitoes, ticks, biting flies, gnats, chiggers, fleas and no-see-ums. Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR is never greasy or oily and has no unpleasant odor. Cutter Insect Repellent is also available in a convenient pocket size stick, pump and aerosol spray.

#### **OPTION 4**

Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR provides up to 10 [8] hours of protection from mosquitoes. It also repels biting flies, ticks, chiggers, fleas and no-see-ums. Cutter's unique formula is not greasy, won't stain, and has no unpleasant odor.

#### OPTION 5

Cutter Insect Repellent #30CR gives you the protection you need for a day outdoors. Used sparingly on arms, legs, neck and face, it keeps you free from mosquitoes for up to 10 [8] full hours. Its perfect to take along in your golf bag, tackle box or backpack]

#### **BACK PANEL**

**STOP.** Read and follow all directions and precautions on this product label.

# **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

Do not use in enclosed areas. To apply, put a few drops in palm of hand, rub palms together, then spread evenly over exposed skin. Use just enough repellent to cover exposed skin and/or clothing. Do not use under clothing. When using on face, apply

sparingly, avoiding eyes. Do not apply near eyes and mouth. Apply sparingly around ears. Do not apply over cuts, wounds or irritated skin. Do not apply to sunburned skin. Do not apply to children's hands. Do not allow children to handle this product. When using on children, apply to your own hands and then put it on the child. [For extra protection from [crawling] ticks, chiggers and fleas, apply along all openings of clothing, such as neck-band, waistband, pant and sleeve cuffs, sock tops and other areas where insects may crawl under clothing.] [Frequent reapplication is unnecessary.] Avoid over-application of this product. After returning indoors, wash treated skin with soap and water [and double-check yourself, other family members and pets for ticks.] Wash treated clothing before wearing it again. Will not damage nylon, cotton, or wool. May damage some synthetic fabrics, plastics, watch crystals, leather, painted or varnished surfaces. Use of this product may cause skin reactions in rare cases. If you suspect reaction to this product, discontinue use, wash treated skin and call your local Poison Control Center. If you go to a doctor, take this product with you.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Pesticide Storage: Store the product in a cool, dry place, out of reach of children. Container Disposal: If empty: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

**Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals** 

**WARNING** - Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes. Use of this product may cause skin reactions in rare cases. Wash treated clothing before wearing it again. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing oum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

#### First Aid

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. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice. If Swallowed: 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 a Poison Control Center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. IF YOU SUSPECT A REACTION TO THIS PRODUCT: Discontinue use. Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a Poison Control Center or doctor for treatment advice.

**HOTLINE NUMBER:** In case of an emergency call toll free [1-800-767-9927]. Have the product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor, or going for treatment.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:** Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

NOTICE: To the extent consistent with applicable law buyer assumes all responsibility for safety and use not in accordance with directions.

Questions or Comments? Call 1-800-767-9927.

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