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February 22, 1993

CERTIFICATION

I, being an authorized representative of Riverdale Chemical Company certify that all containers of Riverdale Premium Weed and Feed, EPA Reg. No. 228-163 produced by June 15, 1994, will bear revised labeling in accordance with the revised labeling required for Task Force technical and manufacturing-use products. I further certify this company by January 1, 1995, will bear revised labeling in accordance with the revised labeling required for Task Force technical and manufacturing-use products.

Sincerely,

RIVERDALE CHEMICAL COMPANY

James K. Champion
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President

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and Distributors
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RIVERDALE

PREMIUM WEED & FEED

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FOR LAWNS AND ORNAMENTAL TURF
TREATS (OR COVERS) 5,000 SQ. FT. (50' x 100')

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Formulated for your area: Nitrogen to help promote green thick lawns. Includes slow-release nitrogen for extended lawn feeding; Phosphoric Acid to help provide strong, vigorous roots; and, Potash to help increase resistance to disease and drought.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Isooctyl (2-ethylhexyl) Ester of 2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid* 1.35%
Isooctyl (2-ethylhexyl) Ester of 2-(2-Methyl-4-Chlorophenoxy) propionic Acid** 1.37%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 97.28%
TOTAL 100.00%

Isomer Specific AOAC, Equivalent to:

*2,4-Dichlorophenoxyacetic Acid 0.90%
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GUARANTEED ANALYSIS:°

Total Nitrogen (N) XZ
XZ Ammoniacal Nitrogen
XZ Urea Nitrogen
Available Phosphoric Acid (P₂O₅) XZ
Soluble Potash (K₂O) XZ

Primary Plant Foods derived from Ammonium Phosphate, Sulfur Coated Urea, Urea, and Muriate of Potash
Chlorine (Cl) Maximum XZ

The urea nitrogen in this product has been coated to provide XZ coated slow release urea nitrogen.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

SEE BACK PANEL FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS AND STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

NET WEIGHT - 15 LBS.

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RIVERDALE CHEMICAL COMPANY
GLENWOOD, ILLINOIS 60425-1584

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PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

CAUTION

Avoid inhalation of dust and contact with eyes, skin, or clothing. Wear long pants, long-sleeved shirt, socks and shoes when loading and applying this product. After using this product remove clothing and launder separately before reuse, and promptly and thoroughly wash hands and exposed skin with soap and water. The maximum number of broadcast application per treatment is 2 per year. Do not allow people (other than applicator) or pets on treatment area during application. Do not enter treatment areas until dust has settled.

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

IF SWALLOWED: Get medical attention.
IF IN EYES: Flush eyes with water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
IF ON SKIN: Wash skin with soap and water.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to aquatic invertebrates. Drift or runoff may adversely affect aquatic invertebrates and non-target plants. Do not apply directly to water or wetlands (swamps, bogs, marshes, and potholes). Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.

Most cases of groundwater contamination involving phenoxy herbicides such as 2,4-D and MCPP have been associated with mixing/loading and disposal sites. Caution should be exercised when handling these phenoxy pesticides at such sites to prevent contamination of groundwater supplies. Use of closed systems for mixing and transferring this pesticide will reduce the probability of spills. Placement of the mixing/loading equipment on an impervious pad to contain spills will help prevent groundwater contamination.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USING THIS PRODUCT. USE STRICTLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH LABEL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS AND DIRECTIONS.

This product may be used on Bluegrass, Fescue, Rye, common Bermuda, Bahia and Zoysia lawns. Do not use on dichondra, carpetgrass and St. Augustine grasses. Do not use this product where desirable clovers are present or allow the product to "wind drift"

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on flowers, vegetables or ornamental shrubbery. When using a spinner type (rotary) spreader, use extreme caution to avoid any contact with desirable plants.

This product may be used for control of broadleaf weeds in lawns such as: Bindweed, Black medic, Blue lettuce, Buckhorn, Burdock, Chickweed, Chicory, Cinquefoil, Clover, Cocklebur, Croton, Dandelion, Dock, Fanweed, Galinsoga, Goldenrod, Ground ivy, Hawkweed, Healall, Henbit, Jewelweed, Jimsonweed, Kochia, Knotweed, Lambsquarters, Mallow, Morningglory, Mustard, Nettles, Oxalis, Pennywort, Peppergrass, Pigweed, Plantain, Povertyweed, Purslane, Ragweed, Shepherdspurse, Smartweed, Speedwell, Spotted spurge, Thistle, Vervain, Vetch, Wild aster, Wild lettuce, Wild radish and Yarrow.

WHEN TO APPLY: Best results are obtained when weeds are growing actively in Spring or early Fall. Apply when grass is moist (after a rain, sprinkling or dew). For most effective broadleaf weed killing action, avoid unnecessary disturbances, including watering, of treated areas for 48 hours after application. Watering will wash off weed killing material. Do not apply if rainfall is expected within 48 hours following treatment. Avoid contact with desirable shrubs, plants, vegetables, or flowers.

(A) Possible retreatment in approximately 30 days may be necessary if lawn is heavily overrun with weeds or if adverse low moisture conditions prevail and weeds are in a state of poor growth. Do not exceed recommended rates because damage to turf may occur. Do not reseed for at least 3 to 4 weeks after application. Do not apply to newly seeded or sodded lawn until after 3 mowings. Do not cut grass 1 to 2 days before and after application.

HOW TO APPLY: This 15 pound bag should be used on 5000 square feet. Apply evenly with a lawn spreader as a one pass application. A two pass application, criss-crossing the area at half the rate each time is also acceptable.

The following settings are approximate for applying contents of this package at a suggested rate of 3.0 pounds per 1000 square feet. Settings are based on an average walking speed. Reduce setting for slower speed; raise setting for higher speed. Check your spreader on 250 sq. ft. and adjust to apply at a rate of .75 lb. per 250 sq. ft. Clean spreader thoroughly after use.

SPREADER SETTINGS
For One Pass Application*

MAKE	SETTING	MAKE	SETTING
Cyclone	3-1/2	Central	5
Scotts Drop	4	K-Mart	5
Scotts Rotary	E	Jackson Drop	5
Show-N-Tell	5	Jet Spray	3-1/2
Sears Drop	5	Sears Rotary	3

Sweep all fertilizer materials from concrete surfaces immediately after application. Do not wash material from concrete surfaces because fertilizers which contain iron may cause discoloration upon oxidation.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Always use original container to store pesticides in a secured warehouse or storage building. Do not store near seeds, fertilizers, insecticides or fungicides. Do not stack more than two pallets high. Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

PRODUCT DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are toxic. If container is damaged or if pesticide has leaked, clean up all spilled material. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixtures or rinsate is a violation of Federal law and may contaminate groundwater. 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: Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay away from smoke.

NOTICE: Seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this product other than indicated on the label. Buyer assumes all risk of use and/or handling of this material when such use and/or handling is contrary to label instructions. (ERP 061594)

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(Non-Commercial Label)

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STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Do not reuse empty bag. Fold empty bag and discard in trash.

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