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401 "M" St., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20460

NOTICE OF PESTICIDE:

X Registration

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(under FIFRA, as amended)

EPA Reg.

Date of Issuance:

228-328

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Term of Issuance:

Conditional

Name of Pesticide Product:

Horsepower™ Granular Weed Killer

Name and Address of Registrant (include ZIP Code):

Riverdale Chemical Company 425 West 194th Street Glenwood, Illinois 60425-1584

Note: Changes in labeling differing in substance from that accepted in connection with this registration must be submitted to and accepted by the Registration Division prior to use of the label in commerce. In any correspondence on this product always refer to the above EPA registration number.

On the basis of information furnished by the registrant, the above named pesticide is hereby registered/reregistered under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

Registration is in no way to be construed as an endorsement or recommendation of this product by the Agency. In order to protect health and the environment, the Administrator, on his motion, may at any time suspend or cancel the registration of a pesticide in accordance with the Act. The acceptance of any name in connection with the registration of a product under this Act is not to be construed as giving the registrant a right to exclusive use of the name or to its use if it has been covered by others.

This product is conditionally registered in accordance with FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A) provided that you:

- 1. Submit and/or cite all data required for registration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data; and submit acceptable responses required for reregistration of your product under FIFRA section 4.
- 2. Make the following label changes on both the commercial and non-commercial labeling:
  - a. Revise the EPA Registration Number to read, "EPA Reg. No.228-328".
  - b. Under the STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT, please update your oral first aid statement to read as the following:

"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. If person is unconscious, do not give anything by mouth and do not induce vomiting."

Signature	of	Approving	Official:

Date:

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b. In the Precautionary Statements section, please revise the HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS to read as the following:

"Harmful if swallowed. Causes moderate eye irritation.
Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling."

 Submit one (1) copy of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact
Marcel Howard at 703-305-6784.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records.

Joanne I. Miller Product Manager (23) Herbicide Branch Registration Division (7505C)

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#### RIVERDALE

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# CONTAINS MCPA, TRICLOPYR, AND DICAMBA.

Weed contacted by this product gradually die and disappear from the lawn.

Treats (or covers) 5,000 Square Feet (50' x 100')

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: †							
Dimethylamine Salt of 2-Methyl-4-Chlorophenoxyacetic Acid*							. 1.10%
Triethylamine Salt of 3,5,6-Trichloro-2-Pyridinyloxyacetic Acid	**						. 0.12%
Dimethylamine Salt of Dicamba (3,6-Dichloro-o-Anisic Acid) ***		-					. 0.11%
INERT INGREDIENTS:							_98.67%
TOTAL							100.00%
SOMER SPECIFIC AOAC METHOD, EQUIVALENT TO:							
*2-Methyl-4-Chlorophenoxyacetic Acid							0.897%
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#### CAUTION

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

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Get medical attention. In the country by trucking but of they with fugge of form to unencurs, do

Flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation IF SWALLOWED:

IF IN EYES:

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation

persists.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Drift or runoff may adversely affect non-target plants. 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 disposing of equipment washwaters.

## 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.
- ✓ SWEET SIXTEEN WEED AND FEED WITH HORSEPOWER is a stable mixture of three herbicides. is for use on Ornamental Turf such as Lawns, Parks, Cemeteries, and Golf Courses (Fairways, Aprons, Tees, and Roughs).
- This product may be used on Bahia, Bent (excluding golf course greens and tees), Bermuda, Blue Grass, Fescue, Rye, and Zoysia grass. Avoid applications to Centipede and St. Augustine grass unless injury can be tolerated. Do not use on Dichondra, Carpetgrass, or where desirable clovers are present.
- This product is designed to promote lush green growth in lawns and control many broadleaf weeds such as: Beggarweed, Bindweed, Black medic, Buckhorn, Burdock, Buttercup, Canada thistle, Carpetweed, Catnip, Chamise, Chickweed, Chicory, Cinquefoil, Clover, Cocklebur, Coffeeweed, Cornflower, Cornspeedwell, Dandelion, Dock, Dog fennel, English daisy, Florida Jusley, Frenchweed, Goldenrod, Ground ivy, Hawkweed, Healall, Heartleaf drymary, Henbit, Jimsonweed, Knawel, Knotweed, Kochia, Lambsquarter, Lespedeza, Little starwort, Mallow, Matchweed, Morningglory, Mustard, Oxalis (Stricta and corniculata), Parsley-piert, Pennywort, pepperweed, Pigweed, Plantain, Poison ivy, Poison oak, Purslane, Ragweed, Red clover, Red sorrel, Sheep sorrel, Shepherdspurse, Smartweed, Sowthistle, Speedwell, Spiderwort, Spotted catsear, Spurge, Spurweed, Stinging nettle, Stitchwort, Thistle, Toadflax, Veronica, Vetch, Wild aster, Wild carrot, Wild garlic, Wild geranium, Wild lettuce, Wild onion, Wild radish, Wild violet, Wood sorrel, Yarrow and many other broadleaf weeds.
- WHEN TO APPLY: Best results are obtained when weeds are growing actively in Spring or early Fall. Avoid contact with desirable shrubs, trees, vegetables, flowers, or desirable plants; especially when applying with a rotary (spinner) type spreader. 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. For optimum results (1) Avoid mowing 1 to 2 days before and after application; (2) Apply when grass is moist (after a rain, sprinkling or dew); (3) Avoid unnecessary disturbances, including watering of treated areas for 48 hours after application. Watering will wash off weed killing material; and (4) Avoid applying if rainfall is expected within 48 hours following treatment. 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.

NOTE: When applying to listed Warm Season Grasses - under conditions of inadequate moisture, high temperature and high humidity, over-application may cause minor transitory discoloration. It is recommended that during hot, dry conditions, application rates should be reduced 50% to avoid possible dehydration or browning of grass.

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The following settings are approximate for applying contents of this package at a suggested rate of 4 pounds per 1,000 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 square feet and adjust to apply at the rate of 1 lb. per 250 square feet.

SPREADER SETTINGS
ONE PASS APPLICATION:

<u>MAKE</u>	SETTING
Central Calibrated	5
Cyclone Broadcast	3-3/4
Jackson	5
Sears Broadcast	3
Sears	5
Scotts Calibrated	<b>4</b>

ash out spreader after each use and allow it to dry thoroughly. Treat any exposed metal spreader areas with oil to reduce corrosion.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Store in original container and keep any bags containing unused product in locked storage area inaccessible to children and domestic animals. Do not store near feed or foodstuffs. To prevent cross-contamination, do not store near open containers of fertilizers, seed or other pesticides.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** To dispose of bag which contains unused product, securely wrap original container in several layers of newspaper and discard in trash.

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

NOTICE: Seller makes no warranty, expressed or implied, concerning the use of this roduct 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.

# OPTIONAL SPREADER INSTRUCTIONS:

For Drop Spreaders: First apply two strips at ends. Then apply product along the length of the lawn, overlapping very slightly and (Illustration)

shutting off spreader when turning.

(Illustration) For Rotary Spreaders: Apply in a circular path, starting on the outside and working toward the center, overlapping very slightly.

# OPTIONAL MARKETING STATEMENTS

Contains Horsepower™ - A Premium Broadleaf Herbicide

# **Environmental Benefits**

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Besides increasing property values, did you know a well-maintained lawn provides the following benefits to your home and environment:

Grass clipcings and yard waste are approximately 20% of the volume in our nation's landfills. To do your part to reduce this amount, leave grass clippings on your lawn. Increased mowing height and trequency will produce smaller grass clippings that will decompose more readily so nutrients go back into your lawn.

- ✓ A 50' x 50' lawn produces enough. oxygen for a family of 4 every day
- ✓ Reduces Glore & Reduces Noise
- ✓ Traps Dust, Smoke Particles & other Pollutanss
- ✓ Purifies Water & Modifies Temperature
- ✓ Improves Soll Condition & Controls Erosion

The following note will not be part of the actual label copy.

\*Note: Spreader Settings will vary among various commercial manufacturers.

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Most cases of ground water contamination involving phenoxy herbicides such as MCPA 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.

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PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: 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. 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 out of smoke.

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