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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Charles Levey
The Scotts Company d/b/a The Ortho Group
14111 Scottslawn Rd.
Marysville, OH 43041

Dear Mr. Levey:

Subject:

Amendment

Weed Be-Gone Spot Weed Killer Concentration

EPA Registration Number 239-2691

Application Submission dated April 12, 2005

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as amended is acceptable, provided the following change is made:

1. The rain-fast claim must be revised to indicate the product is rain-fast for 2 hours after 0.25 inches of rain.

One copy of the label stamped "Accepted with Comments", as well as a copy of the Biological and Economic Analysis Division (BEAD) review, is enclosed for your records. This label supercedes all labels previously accepted for this product. Please submit one copy of the final printed label that incorporates the required changes before the product is released for shipment. If you have any questions, please contact Tracy White by phone at (703) 308-0042 or via email at white.tracy@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Joanne I. Miller

Product Manager (23)

Herbicide Branch

Registration Division (7505C)

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Weed-Be-Gon Spot Weed Killer

Kills Weeds – Won't Harm Lawns†
Control All Major Broadleaf Weeds In Lawns
Rainproof/Rainfast in 2 Hours
Kills Broadleaf Weeds: Dandelion, Clover, Chickweed, Plantain, Spurge, Oxalis
Kills 140 Broadleaf Weeds
For a beautiful Weed-Free Lawn
Kills broadleaf weeds in your lawn.
Won't harm most lawn grasses.†
Kills even tough lawn weeds

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated:

SEP 2 3 2005 Under the Federal Insecticide. Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

239-2691

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Dimethylamine Salt of 2,4-D* ... 0.326%

Dimethylamine Salt of Mecoprop-p** ... 0.163%

Dimethylamine Salt of Dichlorprop-p*** ... 0.161%

OTHER INGREDIENTS: ... 99.350%

TOTAL 100.000%

Isomer Specific AOAC Method, Equivalent to:

 *2,4-D Acid
 0.270%, 0.022 lbs/Gallon

 **Mecoprop-p Acid
 0.135%, 0.011 lbs/Gallon

 ***Dichlorprop-p Acid
 0.135%, 0.011 lbs/Gallon

CONTAINS THE SINGLE ISOMER FORMS OF MECOPROP-p AND DICHLORPROP-p.

†When used as directed

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION SEE BACK PANELS FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

See (side panels, back panel, or booklet) for additional Precautionary Statements.

(Back label)

Open Resealable Label For Directions and Precautions

PEEL HERE PRESS TO RESEAL

PRODUCT FAC	
WEEDS KILLED	Alders, artichoke, aster, Austrian fieldcress, beggartick, biden, bindweed, bitterweed, bitter winter cress, black medic, blessed thistle, blue lettuce, box elder, broomweed, buckhorn, bull thistle, burdock, bur ragweed, buttercup, Canada thistle, carpetweed, catnip, chickweed, chicory, clover, cockle, cocklebur, coffeebean, coffeeweed, common sowthistle, creeping Jenny, croton, curly indigo, dandelion, dock, dogbane, dogfennel, elderberry, English daisy, flea bane (daisy), flixweed, Florida pusley, frenchweed, galinsoga, goatsbeard, goldenrod, ground ivy, gumweed, hawkweed, healall, heartleaf drymary, hemp, henbit, hoary cress, honeysuckle, horsetail, Indiana mallow, ironweed, jewelweed, Jimsonweed, kochia, knotweed, lambsquarters, locoweed, lupines, mallow, marshelder, Mexicanweed, morningglory, musk thistle, mustard, nettle, nutgrass, orange hawkweed, oxalis, parsnip, pennycress, pennywort, peppergrass, pepperweed, pigweed, plantain, poison hemlock, poison ivy, poison oak, pokeweed, poorjoe, povertyweed, prickly lettuce, primrose, puncture vine, purslane, ragweed, red clover, red sorrel, rush, Russian thistle, St. Johnswort, sheep sorrel, shepherdspurse, smartweed, sneezeweed, Southern wild rose, sowthistle, Spanishneedle, spatterdock, speedwell, spurge, spurweed, stinkweed, stitchwort, sumac, sunflower, sweet clover, tarweed, thistle, toadflax, tumbleweed, velvet leaf, Veronica, vervain, vetch, Virginia buttonweed, Virginia creeper, wild aster, wild carrot, wild garlic, wild geranium, wild lettuce, wild onion, wild radish, wild rape, wild strawberry, wild sweet potato, willow, witchweed, woodsorrel, wormseed, yarrow, yellow rocket, and other broadleaf weeds.
WHERE TO USE	ON RESIDENTIAL LAWNS—Bahiagrass, bentgrass, bermudagrass, buffalograss, centipedegrass, fescue, Kentucky bluegrass, perennial ryegrass, St. Augustinegrass (except 'Floratam') (do not use on 'Floratam') and zoysiagrass without harming lawn grasses
[PHONE/ COMPUTER ICON]	Questions, Comments or Medical Information? Call 1-888-736-7645 www.ortho.com/basics

(Inside Booklet)

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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.

(Icons People/Pets) People and pets may enter treated areas after spray has dried.

SHAKE WELL BEFORE USING

OPTION 1 - (24 oz Trigger Sprayer:)

HOW TO APPLY/USE: [icon]

- Turn sprayer nozzle to open.
- Adjust sprayer nozzle as desired.
- Aim at center of weed and spray until foliage is wet.

OPTION 2 - (1 GAL - BAG SPRAYER)

HOW TO APPLY/USE: ficon]

- Remove the cap from container and replace with sprayer hose and cap assembly. Tighten securely.
- Turn sprayer nozzle one-half turn counterclockwise. Hold sprayer below the level of container and
 prime by pumping trigger 10-15 times until product is dispensed. Adjust the nozzle to a coarse
 spray. Position sprayer tip approximately 1-2 feet away from the weed. Spray weeds until foliage
 is wet.
- After each use, thoroughly flush sprayer and hose with water. Return hose and cap assembly to
 container, tighten securely. Turn nozzle to "OFF" position, and store above level of liquid in
 container to prevent leakage.

NOTE: If sprayer does not function properly, remove nozzle cover and check nozzle hole and holes in rubber component for obstructions. Check to make sure nozzle is not in "OFF" position. Replace nozzle cover, return sprayer assembly to container and proceed.

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REFILL INSTRUCTIONS:

24 fl oz size - Add 2 teaspoons of Weed-Be-Gon Spot Weed Killer Concentrate to this empty container. Then add 2 ½ cups tap water, replace sprayer, shake well, and use according to directions in this label.

1 Gal size - Add 1 ½ oz (3 Tbs) of Weed-Be-Gon Spot Weed Killer Concentrate to this empty container. Then add 3 quarts tap water, replace sprayer hose and cap assembly, shake well, and use according to directions in this label.

WHEN TO USE

- Use whenever weeds are actively growing in your lawn.
- The best time to apply is in the spring when weeds are small and actively growing with temperatures below 90°F.
- Winter weeds grow in the fall. An application then can prevent many serious weed problems the following spring.

FOR BEST RESULTS

- o Do not mow for 1 to 2 days before or after application
- o If lawn needs watering, water thoroughly before application
- o Rain or watering 2 hrs after application will not wash away effectiveness
- o Do not apply if rainfall is expected within 2 hours
- o After applying this product, weeds will begin to show visible signs of leaf curl within a few days. One application should be sufficient. Reapplication can be made in 3-4 weeks if the weeds have not been killed.:
- o Spray when air is calm to avoid any spray drift that might injure desirable plants

IMPORTANT APPLICATION INFORMATION

- o Newly seeded lawns can be sprayed after first mowing.
- o Bare spots can be planted with grass seed 3 weeks after application
- O Do not use this product for controlling weeds around ornamental shrubs, trees or plants, keep spray off foliage and exposed roots
- o St. Augustinegrass, Centipedegrass, and Bermudagrass lawns may have delayed green-up if this product is used when lawns are emerging from dormancy in the Spring or when temperature drop below 45°F within 72 hours of application.
- o Do not spray on Carpetgrass, Dicondra, or desirable Clover lawns.

- o Do not use on or around fruits, vegetables, or flowers.
- o St Augustine lawns may be yellowed following application but will turn green in a 2 to 3 weeks. Do not use on Floratam, a variety of St Augustine grass.
- o Some hybrid Bermuda grasses may be sensitive to this product. Contact your local Extension Service weed control specialist.

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STORAGE & DISPOSAL

24 oz Size Container:

STORAGE: (for conventional trigger sprayers) Rotate nozzle to closed position. —OR— Turn sprayer nozzle to "OFF". Keep from freezing. Keep pesticide in original container. Do not put into food or drink containers. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Store in a cool, dry place, preferably in a locked storage area.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL:

If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

If partly filled: Call you local solid waste agency of 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instruction. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

1 Gal Size Container:

STORAGE: Keep from freezing. Keep pesticide in original container. Do not put into food or drink containers. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs. Store in a cool, dry place, preferably in a locked storage area. Rotate nozzle on trigger sprayer to closed position.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL:

If Empty: Do not reuse container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available.

If partly filled: Call your local solid waste disposal service or 1-800-CLEANUP. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Avoid inhalation of spray mist and contact with eyes or clothing. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Wear long pants, long-sleeved shirt, socks, shoes and chemical resistant gloves when handling or applying this product. After using this product, wash nondisposable gloves thoroughly with soap and water before removing, remove clothing and launder separately before reuse, and promptly and thoroughly wash hands and exposed skin with soap and water. Remove saturated clothing as soon as possible and shower. Do not allow people (other than applicator) or pet on treatment area during application.

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 eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

If on skin or clothing: 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. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

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. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters nor pour the washwater on the ground; spray or drain over a large area away from wells and other water sources and desirable plants. Do no

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contaminate water used for irrigation or domestic purposes. If spills occur, collect the material and dispose of by following disposal instructions on this label.

NOTICE: Buyer assumes all risk of use, storage or handling of this product not in accordance to directions.

Manufactured for The ORTHO Group P.O. Box 190 Marysville, OH 43040 EPA Reg. No. 239-2691 EPA Est. No. 239-XXX

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