6-14-2004 Form Approved. OMB No. 2070-0060. Approval expires 2-28 OPP Identifier Number Registration **United States Environmental Protection Agency Amendment** Washington, DC 20460 Other Application for Pesticide - Section I 1. Company/Product Number 2. EPA Product Manager 3. Proposed Classification 241-306 James Tompkins None Restricted 4. Company/Product (Name) PM# Scepter 70 DG herbicide PM 25 5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) 6. Expedited Reveiw. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling **BASF** Corporation NOTIFICATION 26 Davis Drive (P.O. Box 13528) EPA Reg. No. Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 JUN 1 4 2004 Check if this is a new address **Product Name** Section - II Amendment - Explain below. Final printed labels in repsonse to Agency letter dated Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _ "Me Too" Application. Notification - Explain below. Other - Explain below. Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.) Add the state of Maine to list of states where label may be distributed Section - III 1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged in: Unit Packaging Child-Resistant Packaging Water Soluble Packaging 2. Type of Container Yes Matal Yes Yes Plastic No Nο Glass Paper If "Yes" If "Yes" No. per No. per * Certification must Unit Packaging wgt. Other (Specify) container Package wgt container be submitted 3. Location of Net Contents Information 4. Size(s) Retail Container 5. Location of Label Directions On container 2 1/2 gallons 6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product Other Lithograph Paper glued Stenciled Section - IV 1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.) Title Name Telephone No, (Include Area Code) Karen R. Blundell **Product Registration Manager** (919) 547-2979 . . . * 6. Data Application Certification Received certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. Lacknowledge that any knowlinglly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or

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5. Date May 12, 2004



Supplemental Labeling

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EPA Reg. No. 241-306

FOR USE IN EASTERN COTTONWOOD (*Populus deltoides*) AND HYBRID POPLAR CLONES INCLUDING CROSSES BETWEEN *Populus deltoides, Populus maximowiczii, Populus nigra* and *Populus trichocarpa* GROWN ON FIBER FARMS

ONLY FOR DISTRIBUTION AND USE IN THE FOLLOWING STATES

Alabama	Kansas	Missouri	South Carolina
Arkansas	Kentucky	Nebraska	South Dakota
Florida	Louisiana	New Jersey	Tennessee
Georgia	Maine	North Carolina	Texas
Idaho	Maryland	Ohio	Virginia
Illinois	Michigan	Oklahoma	West Virginia
Indiana	Minnesota	Oregon	Washington
Iowa	Mississippi	Pennsylvania	Wisconsin

OBSERVE ALL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS IN THE SCEPTER® 70 DG HERBICIDE LABELING BEFORE USING. SEE THE SCEPTER 70 DG LEAFLET LABEL FOR PRECAUTIONS, WORKER PROTECTION STANDARD REQUIREMENTS, APPLICATION INFORMATION, WEEDS CONTROLLED, USES WITH OTHER PRODUCTS AND ROTATIONAL CROP RESTRICTIONS.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. The use of **SCEPTER 70 DG** not consistent with this labeling may result in injury to crops. DO NOT apply this product through any type of irrigation system.

This labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of herbicide application.

GENERAL INFORMATION

SCEPTER® 70 DG herbicide applied preplant incorporated, preemergence or postemergence provides early season weed control and residual activity on broadleaf weeds and grass weeds in eastern cottonwood and hybrid poplars, grown on fiber farms or tree plantations.

When tank-mixing herbicides, always follow the most restrictive label.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Applications prior to planting trees: Apply 2.8 to 5.6 oz **SCEPTER 70 DG** per acre preplant incorporated, preemergence or postemergence to control labeled weeds. For any of these methods tank mix with 1.2 to 4.8 quarts **PENDULUM® 3.3 EC herbicide** to improve preemergence control of weeds listed on the **PENDULUM 3.3 EC** label.

For preplant incorporated applications, **SCEPTER 70 DG** may be tank mixed with trifluralin. Refer to the trifluralin label for specific use recommendations, rates and weeds controlled.

For postemergence applications, glyphosate may be used with **SCEPTER 70 DG** alone or in combination with **PENDULUM 3.3 EC**. Refer to the glyphosate label for specific use recommendations, rates and weeds controlled.

Postplant applications prior to trees breaking dormancy (bud swell stage): Apply 2.8 to 5.6 oz SCEPTER 70 DG per acre preemergence or postemergence to control labeled weeds. Tank mix with 1.2 to 4.8 quarts PENDULUM 3.3 EC to improve preemergence control of weeds listed on the PENDULUM 3.3 EC label.

Postplant applications on actively growing trees: Apply 2.8 to 5.6 oz **SCEPTER 70 DG** per acre preemergence or postemergence to control labeled weeds. Different clonal lines may vary in their tolerance to **SCEPTER 70 DG**. Therefore, before making over the top applications on actively growing trees, spray a few trees and observe for plant damage over a period of six weeks prior to full-scale application. For best crop safety on actively growing trees, do not include a surfactant. Do not tank mix with **PENDULUM® 3.3 EC herbicide**.

Do not apply more than 5.6 oz SCEPTER 70 DG per acre per year.

Refer to the **SCEPTER 70 DG** label for additional information on application instructions.

WEEDS CONTROLLED

When applied as directed, **SCEPTER® 70 DG herbicide** will provide postemergence control of the following weed species. Refer to **SCEPTER 70 DG** label for weeds controlled by soil applications.

5.6 oz. SCEPTER 70 DG per acre

Common Name	Scientific Name	
Broadleaf Weeds		
Carpetweed	Mollugo verticillata	
Cocklebur, common	Xanthium strumarium	
Eclipta	Eclipta prostrata	
Jimsonweed	Datura stramonium	
Mustard, wild	Brassica kaber	
Nightshade, eastern black	Solanum ptycanthum	
Poinsettia, wild	Euphorbia heterophylla	
Prickly sida	Sida spinosa	
Smartweed, ladysthumb	Polygonum persicaria	
Smartweed, Pennsylvania	Polygonum pensylvanicum	
Sunflower, common	Helianthus annuus	
Pigweed	•	
Palmer	Amarathus palmeri	
Redroot	Amaranthus retroflexus	
Smooth	Amaranthus hybridus	
Spiny	Amaranthus spinosus	
Venice mallow	Hibiscus trionum	
Grasses		
Corn, volunteer*	Zea mays	
Foxtail, giant	Setaria faberi	
Foxtail, yellow	Setaria glauca	
Panicum, fall	Panicum dichotomiflorum	

* A postemergence application of **SCEPTER 70 DG** will control only those field corn hybrids which DO NOT possess tolerance or resistance to **SCEPTER 70 DG** or other imidazolinone herbicides.

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Subject: Scepter 70 DG herbicide (EPA Registration Number 241-306):

Notification of a Change in the List of States Approved for Distribution of a

Supplemental Label for Use in Eastern Cottonwood

Dear Sir or Madam:

Under cover of this letter, BASF is submitting a notification regarding supplemental labeling for Scepter 70 DG herbicide, EPA Reg. No. 241-306. This supplemental label describes directions for use of the product on eastern cottonwood and hybrid poplar clones grown on fiber farms. The label lists a number of states where use is allowed. When the label was first proposed, there was no need identified for this use in the state of Maine. Maine growers have recently informed us that the product would be useful for tree plantations in their state. Therefore we are adding the state of Maine to the list of states currently on the label.

I have enclosed 5 copies of highlighted labeling (showing the addition to the label) and 1 copy of clean, amended text in the event you would prefer that copy for your files.

A copy of an Application for Pesticide Notification has also been included.

If you have any questions regarding this notification, please do not hesitate to contact me at 919-547-2979.

Sincerely,

BASE/Corporation

Karen Blunde

Product Registration Manager

cc: Mr. James Tompkins, PM 25