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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Dr. Rodney Akers PHD. BASF Corporation P.O. Box 13528 Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

Dear Dr. Akers:

Subject: Request for Approval of supplemental labeling Prowl 3.3 EC Herbicide EPA registration number 241-337 Your submission dated July 29, 2002

The Labeling referred to above submitted in connection with the application under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable, provide the following changes are made ;

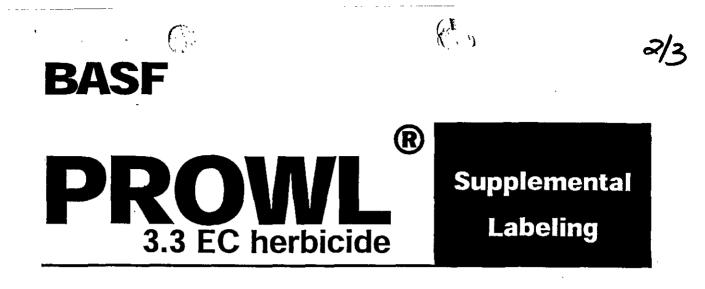
Under" Application Information" change "Apply Prowl 3.3 herbicide after harvest.....Following a fall application of Prowl 3.3 herbicide" to "Apply Prowl 3.3 herbicide after harvest and prior to ground freeze in the winter before soybeans are planted in the following spring".

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

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

Sincerely Yours, (Wesley Allen for

James A. Tompkins Product Manager 25 Herbicide Branch Registration Division (7505C0



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EPA Registration No.: 241-337

FALL APPLICATION OF PROWL 3.3 EC HERBICIDE IN A PLANNED SEQUENTIAL PROGRAM ON SOYBEANS.

OBSERVE ALL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS, FIRST AID, MIXING AND APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS, AND ROTATIONAL CROP RESTRICTIONS IN THE PROWL 3.3 EC HERBICIDE LEAFLET LABEL BEFORE USING.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION!/PRECAUTION

Si usted no entiende la etiqueta, busque a alguien para que se la explique a usted en detalle. (If you do not understand this label, find someone to explain it to you in detail).

Follow all other applicable directions, restrictions and precautions on the EPAregistered label. It is a violation of federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

This label and the federal label for this product must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

> RRFED COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated SEP 2 5 2002

Under the Federal Insecticide,

registered under EPA

Fundicide, and Rodentieide Act as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

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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. The use of PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide not consistent with this labeling may result in injury to crops.

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

GENERAL INFORMATION

PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide may be applied in conventional, minimum or no-till as a fall surface or fall incorporated treatment for soybeans.

PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide controls labeled annual grasses and certain broadleaf weeds as they germinate, but will not control established weeds.

PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide is not recommended for use. on peat or muck soils.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

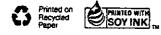
FALL APPLIED - PROWL 3.3 EC may be surface applied or incorporated in the fall, October 1 to December 31, in states north of I-80 and the entire states of Illinois, Iowa, Oklahoma, and Texas. Fall applications of PROWL 3.3 EC will not provide season long weed control. For season long weed control, fall applications of PROWL 3.3 EC should be followed by a postemergence program using EXTREME, PURSUIT, RAPTOR or other registered postemergence herbicide. Apply PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide after harvest and prior to ground freeze in the winter. Soybeans should be planted in the spring following a fall application of PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide. If weeds emerge in-season, a registered postemergence treatment may be applied for weed control.

Refer to the PROWL 3.3 EC product label for additional information on application instructions.

USE AREA

Fall applications of PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide may be made in the states north of I-80 and the entire states of Illinois, Iowa, Oklahoma, and Texas. Refer to the product label for other approved use areas.

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ROTATIONAL CROP INFORMATION

Refer to the rotational crop restrictions listed on the PROWL 3.3 EC product label.

NOTE: For fall applications of PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide, adjust the rotational crop intervals by basing the interval on the date of soybean planting, rather than the date of herbicide application.

Use of PROWL 3.3 EC herbicide in accordance with label directions is expected to result in normal growth of rotational crops in most situations; however, various environmental and agronomic factors make it impossible to eliminate all risks associated with the use of this product and, therefore, rotational crop injury is always possible.

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