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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

October 6, 2003

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Farnam Companies, Inc. 301 West Osborn Avenue Phoenix, AZ 85014

Attention: Mr. Cheryl Purcell:

Subject: Repel Granular Dog & Cat Repellent

EPA Reg. No. 270-293

Your amended application of June 18, 2003

Purpose

The purpose of this submission, under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), is to revise the first aid text of your label in accordance with PR Notice 2001-1 and 2001-6.

Label review

The labeling submitted with the above letter, under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA) is acceptable, provided you submit one (1) copy of final printed labeling to us, with the following changes, before you ship your product.

- 1. We suggest revising your "FIRST AID" text as indicated in Enclosure 1.
- 2. Revise your "STORAGE AND DISPOSAL" text as follows:

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Storage: Store only in original container in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets.

Disposal: If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency or call 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

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

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Existing stocks

Stocks of existing labels may be used for eighteen (18) months.

Consequence for non-compliance

If this condition is not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA section 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of this condition.

Questions

If you have questions about this letter, please contact me at 703-305-5407 (by phone), 703-305-6596 (by fax), or peacock.dan@epa.gov (by E-Mail).

Sincerely yours,

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Daniel B. Peacock, Biologist Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch Registration Division (7504C)

Enclosures

1. Suggested First Aid Text

2. Minimum Type Sizes for Final Printed Labels

Letter location

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Enclosure 1. Suggested First Aid Text

FIRST AID		
Have label	with you when obtaining treatment advice, including 1-602-285-1660 ¹ .	
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 immediately for treatment advice.	
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 immediately for treatment advice. 	

¹Call 1-602-285-1660 for **medical emergencies**; health concerns; pesticide incidents; fire; leaking or damaged containers; or product use information. [Note: At your option, you can substitute the toll-free telephone number for the National Pesticide Information Center (NPIC) at 1-800-858-7378.]

REPEL GRANULAR DOG & CAT REPELLENT

- A Training Aid for Your Pet
- Will Repel Dogs and Cats for up to 24 Hours When Applied Daily
- Keeps Pets Away from Trees, Shrubs, Garbage Cans/Bags, and Other
 "Forbidden Areas"
- Reduces frequency of defecation and urination by dogs on lawns and flower gardens Reduces frequency of digging by cats in flower gardens

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Methyl Nonyl Ketone	1.90%
Related Compounds	
OTHER INGREDIENTS	
TOTAL	

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

See [Left/Right/Side/Back] Panel for Additional Precautionary Statements

Farnam Companies, Inc. P.O. Box 34820 Phoenix, AZ 85067-4820

Net Contents: ____lb.

with COMMENTS in EPA Letter Dated:

OCT 16 2003

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act EPA Reg. No. 270-293ed, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 270-293

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Harmful if absorbed through the skin. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes or clothing. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reaction in some individuals. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

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	emergencies or health and safety inquiries, or in case of fire, d containers or for product use information, call 602-285-1660.	

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

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

USE RESTRICTIONS:

For outdoor use only. Do not apply on ornamental, soft-bodied plants. Do not apply on or near food or feed crops.

For both indoor and outdoor situations, use training whenever possible, including positive (praise) and negative (sharply spoken word backed up with disciplinary action) reinforcement.

This product repels dogs and cats for up to 24 hours when applied daily. Keeps pets away from furniture, carpet, trees, shrubs, garbage cans/bags, and other "forbidden areas".

OUTDOOR USE:

Keeps pets away from trees, shrubs, garbage cans/bags, and other "forbidden areas". Reduces frequency of defecation and urination by dogs on lawns and flower gardens. Reduces frequency of digging by cats in flower gardens:*:**

NOTE: This product is not likely to break the established urination patterns of dogs unless it is used as a training aid.

<u>Pretreatment Directions</u>: Stray animals are frequently attracted to areas where pets have soiled with feces or urine. To discourage repeat visits, remove any droppings and clean with water.

<u>Application Directions</u>: Do not apply to foliage of shrubs or to ornamental, soft-bodied plants. Do not apply to food or feed crops. Using gloves, lightly sprinkle granules directly from the box or using a spreader at the rate of 1 lb. per 250 sq. ft. Apply as a border to the item to be protected.

<u>Retreatment Directions</u>: Repeat daily, or as necessary, until undesirable habit is broken.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

STORAGE: Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Store in a cool, dry place inaccessible to children and pets. DISPOSAL: If empty: Do not reuse this container. Place in trash or offer for recycling if available. If partly filled: Call your local solid waste agency or call 1-800-CLEANUP for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

Warranty and Limitation of Damages

Seller warrants that this material conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in accordance with directions under normal conditions or use and Buyer assumes the risk of any use contrary to such directions. Setter makes no other express or implied warranty, including any other express or implied warranty of Fitness or of Merchantability, and no agent of Seller is authorized to do so except in writing with a specific reference to this warranty. In no event shall Seller's liability for any breach of warranty exceed the purchase price of the material as to which a claim is made.