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Mr. Walter Malesh
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Dear Mr. Malesh:

Subject: Vectobac AS (B.t. H-14, 600 ITU/mg)
EPA Registration No. 275-52
Your Submission of March 19, 1985

Your application of the above date for amending your product's labeling to include the following is acceptable for these proposed amendments:

- a) An increased rate for blackflies from 1-10 to 1-50 mg/liter stream water;
- b) Expanded and clarified application directions; and
- c) A change in the "Do not mix more than..." statement "than can be used in a 2 week period" instead of a 24 hour-period.

Note: Even though we have approved this labeling text, we question the efficaciousness of this product after such a long time. Do you have data to verify this claim? If so, please submit three (3) copies for our files.

In the future, please highlight on at least one of your submitted labelings the exact changes that you propose to make, as this insures a more speedy and efficient review of your submission.

Sincerely yours,

Timothy A. Gardner
Product Manager (17)
Insecticide-Planticide Branch
Registration Division (TS-767)

CONCURRENCES

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RD/IRB, JOB: 487413, CL, Dak., 5/27/85, Del 5/28/85, Kendrick: 898-1270:ac

Vectobac-AS is a highly selective insecticide for use against mosquito and black fly larvae.

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARD TO HUMANS**

As a precautionary measure in case of contact, flush eyes with plenty of water. In case of irritation, contact a physician.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.

STORAGE: Store in a cool place.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke. Do not reuse container.

NOTICE TO USER

Seller makes no warranty, express or implied, of merchantability, fitness or otherwise concerning the use of this product other than as indicated on the label. User assumes all risk of use, storage or handling not in strict accordance with accompanying directions.

**ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated:**

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, this pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No.

275-52

VECTOBAC® -AS

Biological Mosquito and Black Fly Larvicide

AQUEOUS SUSPENSION

Active ingredient: Bacillus thuringiensis, Sero-type H-14, 600 International Toxic Units (ITU) per milligram (Equivalent to 2.19 billion ITU per gallon; 0.576 billion ITU per liter) **0.6%**

Inert ingredients **99.4%**

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

EPA Reg. No. 275-52
EPA Establishment No. 33762-1A-1
List No. 5059

Lot No.

Net Volume: Gallons

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