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Dear Mr. Cummings:

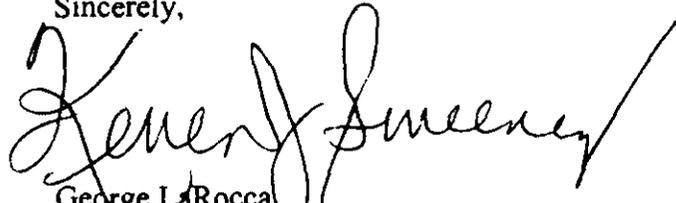
Subject: Label Amendments
Comite EPA Reg. No. 400-104
Comite II EPA Reg. No. 400-154
Omite 6E EPA Reg. No. 400-89
Omite-30W EPA Reg. No. 400-82
Omite-30WS EPA Reg. No. 400-427
Omite-CR EPA Reg. No. 400-425
Omite-CR EPA Reg. No. 400-426
Submissions dated September 22, 2000

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal, Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provide you make the label changes listed below prior to release for shipment of product bearing the amended labeling.

1. Remove minimum spray intervals from sites with only 1 application per year.
2. Since it is Agency policy to specify preharvest intervals on labels, a PHI of at least 28 days should be stated on the labels for Omite-30W (EPA Reg. No. 400-82) for citrus "after harvest", Omite-30WS (EPA Reg. No. 400-427) for citrus "after harvest". Please contact California and submit an amendment for SLN No. CA860070 to add the 28 day PHI to the label for oranges and grapefruit.

Submit two copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. A stamped copy of the labeling is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions, please contact Kevin Sweeney at (703) 305-5063.

Sincerely,



for. George LaRocca

Product Manager 13
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Enclosure

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OMITE®-CR

FOR CALIFORNIA ONLY

THIS BAG CONTAINS 2 x 1½ LB. WATER SOLUBLE BAGS
SEE FOLDER FOR USE INSTRUCTIONS
ENCLOSED IN BOTTOM FOLD

AGRICULTURAL MITICIDE

For agricultural use only

Net contents:

COMPOSITION

Active Ingredients: (% by weight)
 Propargite (Sulfurous acid, 2-[4-(1,1-dimethyl-ethyl) phenoxy] cyclohexyl-2-propynyl ester). 32.0%
 Inert Ingredients: 68.0%
 Total: 100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER • PELIGRO

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

FIRST AID

IF IN EYES. Hold eyelids open and flush with a steady, gentle stream of water for 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

IF SWALLOWED: Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink promptly a large quantity of milk, egg whites or gelatin solution, or if these are not available, drink large quantities of water. Avoid alcohol.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. All treatments should be based on observed signs and symptoms of distress in the patient. For medical advice contact Unroyal Emergency Phone 203-723-3670.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS DANGER

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Do not get in eyes or on clothing.

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

Applicators and Other Handlers Must Wear: A long-sleeved shirt & long pants; waterproof gloves; shoes plus socks; protective eyewear. Applicators, if applying more than 10 lbs. of OMITE-CR per acre in air blast equipment must be in enclosed cab.

Discard clothing and other absorbent materials that have been drenched or heavily contaminated by this product's concentrate. Do not reuse them. Follow manufacturer's instructions for cleaning and maintaining PPE. If no such instructions for washables, use detergent and hot water. Keep and wash PPE separately from other laundry.

When handlers use closed systems, enclosed cabs, or aircraft in a manner that meets the requirements listed in the Worker Protection Standard (WPS) for agricultural pesticides [40 CFR 170.240(d)(4-6)], the handler PPE requirements may be reduced or modified as specified in the WPS.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENT
in EPA Letter Dated

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Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, the registration of this pesticide is suspended.

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USER SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS

Users should:

- Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using the toilet.
- Remove clothing immediately if pesticide gets inside. Then wash thoroughly and put on clean clothing.
- Remove PPE immediately after handling this product. Wash the outside of gloves before removing. As soon as possible, wash thoroughly and change into clean clothing.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark. Drift or runoff from treated areas may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in neighboring areas. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters.



DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Do not apply this product through any type of irrigation system.
Do not apply this product in a way that will contact workers or other persons, either directly or through drift. Only protected handlers may be in the area during application. For any requirements specific to your State or Tribe, consult the agency responsible for pesticide regulation.

AGRICULTURAL USE REQUIREMENTS

Use this product only in accordance with its labeling and with the Worker Protection Standard, 40 CFR Part 170. This Standard contains requirements for the protection of agricultural workers on farms, forests, nurseries, and greenhouses, and handlers of agricultural pesticides. It contains requirements for training, decontamination, notification, and emergency assistance. It also contains specific instructions and exceptions pertaining to the statements on this label about personal protective equipment (PPE), notification to workers and restricted-entry intervals. The requirements in this box only apply to uses of this product that are covered by the Worker Protection Standard.

Do not enter or allow worker entry into treated areas during the restricted entry interval (REI) of 28 days.

Exception: After the first 48 hours of the REI, workers may enter the treated area to perform hand labor or other tasks involving contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, without time limit, if they wear the early-entry personal protective equipment listed below.

PPE required for early entry to treated areas that is permitted under the Worker Protection Standard and that involves contact with anything that has been treated, such as plants, soil, or water, is:

- coveralls
- waterproof gloves
- shoes plus socks
- protective eyewear

Notify workers of the application by warning them orally and by posting warning signs at entrances to treated areas.

USE RESTRICTIONS

Unless the rotated crop is a registered use for propargite, the following applies: 4/5
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Do not plant any root crop in rotation within 6 months after last application of propargite to labeled crops.

Do not plant other crops in rotation within 2 months after last application of propargite to labeled crops.

Registered-labeled field and vegetable uses for propargite are:

Beans, dry	Potatoes
Corn (sweet, field and popcorn)	Sorghum
Cotton	Seed crops only:
Hops	Alfalfa
Jojoba	Carrot
Mint	Clover
Peanuts	Sugar beets

Do not feed livestock on cover crops grown among the trees and vines listed on this label.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

OMITE-CR is a dry wettable powder for preparing sprays to control mites.

OMITE-CR is not systemic in action; therefore complete coverage of both upper and lower leaf surfaces and of fruit is necessary for effective control. OMITE-CR can be used in concentrate sprays.

MIXING INSTRUCTIONS

This package contains 2 x 1½ pound water soluble bags of OMITE-CR. After opening package:

1. Fill spray tank with ½ the required amount of water and turn on agitation system.
2. Do not open or perforate the inner water soluble bags of OMITE-CR. The water soluble bags and contents will dissolve in water.
3. Immediately put water soluble bag into spray tank and mix using vigorous agitation.
4. Fill tank with the remaining amount of required water.
5. Do not touch water soluble bags as handling may cause breakage.
6. Use only entire water soluble bag. Do not break bags or use partial bags.
7. Do not begin spraying until the bag is completely dissolved and the powder is thoroughly dispersed in the spray tank.
8. Do not use in spray systems with roller pumps.
9. If only one water soluble bag is used, store the remaining bag in the original package in a dry location away from heat or cold.
10. IMPORTANT: Do not use screens finer than 25 mesh in spraying equipment.

DOSAGE INSTRUCTIONS

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CROP	MITES CONTROLLED	AMOUNT OMITE-CR PER ACRE*	GALLONS SPRAY SOLUTION PER ACRE Ground	TOTAL NUMBER OF SPRAYS PER YEAR	EARLIEST MINIMUM SPRAY INTERVAL (DAYS)	HARVEST DAYS AFTER APPLICATION
ORANGES (1,2) GRAPEFRUIT LEMONS	citrus red two-spotted spider	7½ - 10½ lbs.	1000	2(3,4,5)	28 (2)	28 (3)

*Each water soluble bag contains 1½ lbs. of OMITE-CR.

APPLICATION NOTES:

1. OMITE-CR may cause some leaf burn on new growth (feather growth) of lemons.
2. Omite performance is best when daily temperatures average above 70°F.
3. Second treatment must be made no closer than 42 days after the first.
4. Do not apply petroleum oils 40 days prior to or 30 days after applying OMITE.
5. OMITE-CR when used alone may follow foliar oils at an interval of greater than 40 days after an oil application.
6. Follow all EPA and CAL-EPA reentry requirements for propargite.

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COMPATIBILITIES

- Do not mix water soluble bags with boron-type compounds, halogen compounds or strong alkaline or acidic products.
- Under certain conditions a non-penetrating surfactant can be added. Rely on your prior use experience or consult your local surfactant supplier for specific recommendations. Do not use penetrating surfactants.
- OMITE-CR is not compatible with alkaline materials such as lime, lime sulfur or Bordeaux. The effectiveness of OMITE-CR will be reduced.
- Do not apply in combination with petroleum based foliar spray oils as phytotoxicity may occur.
- Except as noted OMITE-CR is compatible with many pesticides. Observe all cautions and limitation of labeling of all products used in mixtures.
- Additional information on compability is contained in the Uniroyal chemical product label book. Contact your supplier or Uniroyal representative for this information.

IMPORTANT NOTICE—Seller warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purposes stated on the label when used in accordance with the directions and instructions specified on the label under normal conditions of use, but neither this warranty nor any other warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, express or implied, extends to the use of this product, contrary to label instructions, or under abnormal conditions, or under conditions not reasonably foreseeable to seller, and buyer assumes the risk of any such use.

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STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Store in a dry location.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture or rinsate is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Place water soluble bag directly into application equipment (see directions). Then dispose of empty outer bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE:

UNIROYAL CHEMICAL EMERGENCY PHONE:	203-723-3670
SAFETY DATA AND INFORMATION:	203-573-3303
TRANSPORTATION EMERGENCY (CHEMTREC):	800-424-9300