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Mr. Stephen J. Wratten Monsanto Company 700 14th St. N.W., Suite 1100 Washington, D.C. 20005

Dear Mr. Wratten:

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Subject: Change in Precautionary Labeling Monsanto/Ramrod® Flake Herbicide EPA Reg. No. 524-310 Your application dated Sept. 2, 1993

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(7)(A), is acceptable provided that you:

1. Submit and/or cited all data or other material required for registration/reregistration of your product under FIFRA sec. 3(c)(5) or FIFRA section 4 when the Agency requires all registrants of similar products to submit such data.

2. Submit five (5) copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment.

If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance with FIFRA sec. 6(e). Your release for shipment of the product bearing the amended labeling constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

This acceptance of your label does not relieve you of any obligation to comply with the Worker Protection Standard (WPS). Under the WPS labeling regulations at 40 CFR part 158, subpart K, § 156.200(c)(3), you are prohibited from distributing or selling any product within the scope of the WPS requirements after April 21, 1994, without amended labeling accepted by the Agency.

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

Sincerely yours,

Robert J. Taylor Product Manager 25 Fungicide-Herbicide Branch Registration Division (H7505C)

Enclosure

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NOT FOR SALE -- FOR FORMULATION OF RAMROD® Herbicide by Monsanto

Technical Grade Ramrod® Flake

MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals		
Keep out of reach of children. DANGER! CORROSIVE. CAUSES IRREVERSIBLE EYE DAMAGE. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR ABSORBED.	ACCURED Will COMMENTS In EPA Letter Dated:	

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Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.UtWear goggles, face shield or safety glasses and rubber gloves.FuWash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.re

Under the Federal Insecticida, Funcicide, and Redenticide Act as amended, for the posticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 224-310

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FIRST AID: IF IN EYES, immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.

IF ON SKIN, immediately flush with plenty of water while removing contaminated clothing. Get medical attention. As soon as soap is available, wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. Wash clothing before reuse. Sensitized persons should avoid further contact and reuse of contaminated clothing.

IF SWALLOWED, remove visible particles from mouth and rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Swallow water to dilute. Get medical attention. NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH TO AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probably mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

In case of an emergency involving this product, Call Collect, day or night, (314) 694-4000.

Environmental Hazards

This product is toxic to fish and wildlife. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or other waters, unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to the discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems with previously notifying the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Storage and Disposal

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

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

Emptied container retains product residue. Observe all labeled safeguards until container is destroyed.

Completely empty bag into equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

FOR USE BY MANUFACTURERS IN PREPARATION OF HERBICIDES.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

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Propochlor, 2-chloro-N-isopropylacetanilide	96.5%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	
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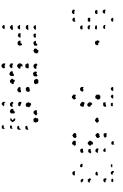
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