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OFFICE OF
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Mr. Stephen J. Wratten
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Washington, DC 2005

Dear Mr. Wratten:

Subject: MON 14420-G Herbicide (Update First Aid Statement and Other Changes)
EPA Registration No. 524-442
Application Dated July 7, 2003

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended is acceptable provide your make the following changes.

-Under Storage and Disposal revise "Storage" to read "Pesticide Storage" and "Disposal" to read "Pesticide Disposal".--

Submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling incorporating the above changes. Amended labeling will supercede all previously accepted ones. A stamped copy of labeling is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,

Vickie K. Walters for
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Product Manager 25
Herbicide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)

MON 14420-G Herbicide

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

Keep out of reach of children.

DANGER!

CAUSES EYE BURNS. HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield, chemical-resistant gloves, long sleeve shirt, and long legged pants in mixing and when adjusting, repairing, or cleaning equipment. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

FIRST AID: Call a poison control center or doctor 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.
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IF SWALLOWED	Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
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Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment. This product is identified as MON 14420-G Herbicide, EPA Reg. No. 524-442. You may also contact (314) 694-4000, call collect day or night, for emergency treatment information.

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

Environmental Hazards

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 Pollution 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 into sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment

plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

Physical or Chemical Hazards

Solutions of this product should be mixed and stored using only stainless steel, aluminum, fiberglass, plastic and plastic-lined containers.

DO NOT MIX, STORE OR UTILIZE THIS PRODUCT OR SOLUTIONS OF THIS PRODUCT IN GALVANIZED STEEL OR UNLINED STEEL (EXCEPT STAINLESS STEEL) CONTAINERS OR TANKS. This product or solutions of this product react with such containers and tanks to produce hydrogen gas which may form a highly combustible gas mixture. This gas mixture could flash or explode, causing serious personal injury, if ignited by open flame, spark, welder's torch, lighted cigarette or other ignition source.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

Read entire label before using this product.

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

Use only for manufacturing, formulating, or repackaging into a herbicide for use in aquatic, industrial, turf, ornamental nursery, tree and forestry, and residential sites; or some or all of the following food cropping systems: root, bulb, and tuber vegetables, leafy vegetables, brassica and cucurbit vegetables, succulent and dried legume vegetables, fruiting vegetables, fruits (citrus, pome, stone, various tropical fruits, small fruits and berries), tree nuts, cereal grains, animal grasses and forages, herbs, spices, and food crops including asparagus, avocado, banana, canola, coffee, cotton, coconut, cranberry, dates, flax, grapes, kiwi, lychee, mints, olive, palms, peanut, pineapple, soybeans, strawberry, sugar beet, sugarcane, and tea.

Storage and Disposal

STORAGE: Do not contaminate water, foodstuffs, feed or seed by storage or disposal. Keep container closed to prevent spills and contamination.

DISPOSAL: Wastes of this product may cause irreversible eye damage and may be dangerous. Improper disposal of excess

pesticide or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to the label 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 cleaned, reconditioned or destroyed. **FOR DRUMS:** Completely empty liner by shaking and tapping sides and bottom to loosen clinging particles. Empty residue into formulation equipment. Then dispose of liner in a sanitary landfill or by incineration if allowed by local authorities. If drum is contaminated and cannot be reused, triple rinse, puncture, and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or in a manner approved by local authorities.

FOR BULK BAGS: Completely empty bag into formulation equipment. This bag may be returned for refilling with this product. If not refilled, dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

*Glyphosate, in the form of its ammonium salt.....	74.7%
OTHER INGREDIENTS:.....	25.3%
	100.0%

* Equivalent to 67.9% of the acid glyphosate

LIMIT OF WARRANTY AND LIABILITY

Monsanto Company does not warrant any product reformulated or repackaged from this product except in accordance with this Company's stewardship requirements and with express written permission from Monsanto Company.

EPA Reg. No. 524-442

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
In EPA Letter Dated:
OCT - 6 2003

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. 524-442

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