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Dr. David I. Gustafason
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Dr. Gustafason:

RE: YOUR ADMINISTRATIVE LETTERS ALL DATED FEBRUARY 12, 2010; HARNESS HERBICIDE, EPA REG. NO. 524-473; HARNESS 20G HERBICIDE, EPA REG. NO. 524-487; DEGREE HERBICIDE, EPA REG. NO. 524-496; ACETOCHLOR A.I.;

AND

DEGREE XTRA HERBICIDE, EPA REG. NO. 524-511; HARNESS XTRA HERBICIDE, EPA REG. NO. 524-480; AND HARNESS XTRA 5.6L HERBICIDE, EPA REG. NO. 524-485; ACETOCHLOR PLUS ATRAZINE A.I.'S

Your supplemental labels for Harness Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 524-473), Harness 20G Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 524-487), Degree Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 524-496), Harness Xtra Herbicide (EPA Reg. No. 524-480), Harness Xtra 5.6L Herbicide (524-485), and Degree Xtra Herbicide (524-511) adding cotton as a rotational crop the season after acetochlor products are applied to corn are approved.

Stamped approved labels are enclosed for your files.

Please contact Phil Errico at 703-305-6663/ errico.philip@epa.gov for assistance in this matter.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Tompkins".

James A. Tompkins, PM 25
Herbicide Branch/ Registration Division

SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING

READ THE ENTIRE LABEL FOR DEGREE® HERBICIDE BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH THE USE DIRECTIONS CONTAINED IN THIS SUPPLEMENTAL LABELING.

When using Degree Herbicide as permitted according to this supplemental labeling, read and follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions on the label booklet provided with the pesticide container and on this supplemental labeling. This supplemental labeling must be in the possession of the user at the time of pesticide application.

Degree Herbicide by Monsanto

EPA Reg. No. 524-496

ROTATIONAL CROP INSTRUCTIONS FOR COTTON

Keep Out of Reach of Children.

CAUTION

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

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Follow all applicable directions, restrictions, and precautions including statements pertaining to the Worker Protection Standard, on the main booklet label for this product.

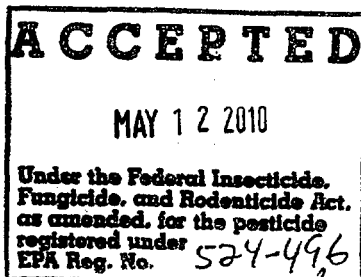
This supplemental label must be in the possession of the user at the time of herbicide application.

ROTATIONAL CROPS:

In addition to the rotational crops listed in the label booklet provided with the container, the field treated with this product may be rotated the next season to cotton.

Read the "Limit of Warranty and Liability" in the label booklet for Degree Herbicide before using. These terms apply to this supplemental label and if these terms are not acceptable, return the product unopened at once.

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