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Attention: Valerie Kromer

Regulatory Specialist

Subject: ML-17G

EPA Registration No. 527-108 Amendment Dated May 19, 2003

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticde Act (FIFRA) as amended, to revise the First Aid statement as per PR Notice 2001-1 and the Storage and Disposal statement, is acceptable, provided that you make the following labeling changes listed below.

1. Include the following phrase to the precautionary statement:

"Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco".

2. In the First Aid section, include the following statement:

"IF SWALLOWED: Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person."

General Comments

Submit two (2) copies of final printed labeling for our review. A stamped copy of the accepted labeling is enclosed for your records.

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If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,

Marshall Swindell Product Manager 33

Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobial Division (7510C)

Enclosure

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDSTO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMAL

DANGER: CORROSIVE. Causes eye and skin damage. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Avoid contemination of food. West gaggles of face and subber gloves when handling. Wash thoroughly after handling. Refer to the ML-17G Material Safety Data Sheet for other salety information.

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. IF ON SIGN OR CLOTH-ING: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. IF INHALED: Move person to tresh sir. If person is not breething, call 911 or an embulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucceal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric levage. Medical Emergency Telephone 1-800-535-5053 (U.S.). Outside the U.S. 1-352-323-3500.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This posticide is toxic to fish. Do-not discharge effluent containing this product into takes, 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 discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without 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 a manner inconsistent with its tabel. The Use of ML-17G in industrial and/or commercial recirculating cooling tower systems and industrial air wash ing systems will control microbiological growth and slime.

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with COMMENTS in EPA Letter Dated: AUG 0 5 2003 EPA Est. No. 527-IL-1

WATER ENERGY DIVISION **ML-17G** MICROBIOCIDE FOR CONTROL OF MICROORGANISMS IN

COOLING WATER AND INDUSTRIAL AIR-WASH SYSTEMS

EPA REG. No. 527-108

ACTIVE INGREDIENT Potassium dimethyldithiocarhemate 25.0% OTHER INGREDIENTS. ...75.0% 100.0%

This product contains 2.3 lbs of active ingredient per gallon and weighs 9.2 lb per gallon.

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN DANGER

See Side Panel for Precautionary Statements



COOLING TOWER SYSTEMS: Prior to use, the systems should be cleaned to remove alcal prowth microbiological stime or other deposits. Based on the Total amount of water in the system, make an initial treatment 4.5 to 6.8 liquid ounces (40-80 ppm) of ML-17G per 1000 gallions of water. Repeat this dosage until control is attained. Every 2-5 days or as needed, make maintenance additions of 2.3-6.8 liquid ounces (20-60 ppm) of ML-17G per 1000 callons. The frequency of addition depends upon the amount of bleedoff and the microbiological problem severity. Additions should be made to the sump of recirculating cooling tower systems.

INDUSTRIAL AIR-WASHING SYSTEMS: For use only in systems with effective mist-eliminations. Clean the system to remove bacterial alime or other deposits present. An initial dose of 10.6-13.6 liquid ounces (93-120 ppm) of ML-17G per gallons of water in the system is recommended. Repeat this dosage until control is attained. Maintenance additions of 7.9-13.6 liquid ounces (70-120ppm) of ML-17G per 1000 gallons of water should be made easy every 1-5 days, or as needed. The frequency of additions will depend on the amount of bleedoff and the bacterial problem severity. Additions may be made to the sump or water collection trave of the air-wash system.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Keep product under locked storage, inaccessible to children. Open dumping is prohibited. Do not reuse empty container.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of capital 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 Hezardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or incinerate, or if allowed by state and local authorities. burn, if burned, stay out of smoke.



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MADE IN USA

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