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Office of Pesticide Programs

The Sherwin-Williams Company
101 West Prospect Avenue
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44115-1075

OCT 25 2011

Attention: Madelyn K. Harding

Subject: HMF Antifouling Paint
EPA Registration No: 577-570
Notification Dated: October 4, 2011

This will acknowledge receipt of your Notification to update the container handling statement per PR Notice 2007-4 and make other minor changes to the product label, submitted under the provision of FIFRA Section 3(c)(9).

Proposed Notification:

To add two EPA Establishments to the label

General Comments:

Based on a review of the submitted material, the following comments apply:

The Notification dated October 5, 2011, is acceptable, to add the following Establishment number "577-KS-01", to the label. This information has been added to your file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Zebora Johnson at (703) 308-63417.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "M Swindell".

Marshall Swindell
Product Manger (33)
Regulatory Management Branch I
Antimicrobial's Division (7501P)

Section I

1. Company/Product Number 577- 570	2. EPA Product Manager M. Swindell	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) HMF Antifouling Paint	PM# 33	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY 101 WEST PROSPECT AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44115-1075	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3©(3)(b)(I), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. _____ Product Name _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address		

Section II

Amendment – Explain below Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
 Resubmission in response to Agency letter "Me Too" Application.
 Notification – Explain below. Other – explain below.

Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)

Add new Establishment number: 577-KY-01
 Combine two label amendments that were approved on May 27, 2011 and Sept. 12, 2011 [submitted on April 20, 2011 and August 12, 2011], since the August 12, 2011 submission in advertently omitted the changes already submitted April 20, 2011 and approved May 27, 2011.

Section III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:

Child Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes* <input type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	2. Type of Container <input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Paper <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____
Certification must be submitted.		If Yes, Unit Package wt. No. per Container	If Yes,* Package wt. No. per Container

3. Location of Net Contents Information
 Label Container

4. Size(s) of Retail Container

5. Location of Label Directions
 On Label
 On Labeling accompanying product

6. Manner in Which Label Is Affixed To Product Lithograph Other (_____)
 Paper glued
 Stenciled

Section IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)

Name Madelyn K. Harding	Title Senior Corporate Manager Regulatory Affairs	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) (216) 566-2630
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Certification
 I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete.
 I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment of both under applicable law.

2. Signature 	3. Title Senior Corporate Manager Regulatory Affairs	6. Date Application Received (Stamped)
4. Typed Name Madelyn K. Harding	5. Date October 4, 2011	

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Back or Side of Label

[Product Name] is a solvent-based copper and tin free antifoulant coating, containing a unique blend of biocides to deter both soft and hard fouling.

- Contains unique organic biocide technology to comply with the IMO ban on coatings containing TBT
- Biocides are non-persistent in the environment, with very short half lives
- ~~Low VOC to comply with environmental regulations~~ Complies with VOC regulations

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

Mix thoroughly prior to use.

Application temperature 50-100 °F/ 10-38 °C.

Apply by airless spray, conventional spray, brush or roller.

Apply at 5 – 10 mils wet per coat. (3.0 – 6.0 dry mils per coat)

Recoat Time: 16 hours

Launch Time: 24 hours

Thinning: If needed, do not exceed more than 5% by volume VM&P Naphtha or High Flash Naphtha 100.

Shelf Life: 24 months, unopened

~~Note: Refer to product data sheet for additional application and performance characteristics.~~

FOR MARINE APPLICATIONS ONLY.

[OTHER INFORMATION]

VOC: Unreduced: Less than 330 g/l (2.78 lbs./gal, maximum)

Reduced at 5%: Less than 350 g/l, 2.92 lbs/gal

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide that can not be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to federal, state or local procedures under the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL

Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.

DELAYED EFFECTS FROM LONG TERM OVEREXPOSURE.

Contains solvents which can cause permanent brain and nervous system damage.

Intentional misuse by deliberately concentrating and inhaling the contents can be harmful or fatal.

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FIRST AID

IF SWALLOWED: Call a Poison Control Center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have a 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.

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. Call a *poison control center or doctor*.

IF ON SKIN: Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

IF INHALED: Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further 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

Contains petroleum distillate - vomiting may cause aspiration pneumonia.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

WARNING: HAZARDS TO HUMAN AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

Causes substantial, but temporary eye injury. Harmful if swallowed or inhaled. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Avoid contact with skin. Wear goggles, face shield, or safety glasses. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, smoking, chewing gum, using tobacco, or using restroom. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

When used in confined areas or while spraying and/or sanding boat surface, wear a mask or a respirator jointly approved by the Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, under the provisions of 30 CFR 11.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

Do not contaminate waters by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not allow chips and dust generated during paint removal to enter waters. Dispose wastes debris in an approved landfill.

PHYSICAL OR CHEMICAL HAZARDS

COMBUSTIBLE. FLASH POINT APPROXIMATELY 102°F. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Pesticide, container or rinse solution that cannot be used according to label instructions must be disposed of according to Federal or approved State procedures under Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act.

NOTICE: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.

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