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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

NOV 07 1996

Mr. Richard A. Miller
President
Prentiss Incorporated
C.B. 2000
Floral Park, N.Y. 11002-2000

Dear Mr. Miller:

Subject: Deletion of Unsupported Malathion Uses
Addition of Stored Commodity Treatment of Corn, Barley,
Oats, Rye and Wheat
EPA Reg. No. 655-79
Amended Labeling Submitted August 11, 1992;
Resubmissions of January 6, 1995 and August 14, 1996
Federal Register Notice of April 19, 1995

The labeling amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, As Amended (FIFRA), is acceptable, provided that you:

1. Submit one copy of your final printed label incorporating the following corrections before you release the product for shipment.

a. Update the side panel precautionary statements section beginning with the statement "Harmful if swallowed." and ending with the statement "Avoid contamination of feed or foodstuffs." to read as cited below.

"Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through skin or inhaled. Causes moderate eye irritation. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Avoid breathing dust. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before use."

b. Under "Directions for Use", revise the statement, "For formulation into end-use insecticide products intended only for:" to read as stated below.

"For formulation into end-use insecticide products



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Printed on paper that contains
at least 75% recycled fiber

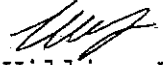
intended only for the following uses:"

2. Within 60 days of the date of this letter, submit your Confidential Statement of Formula (CSF), revised to reflect your current supplier for your alternate CSF. The supplier product registration listed as your source of the malathion on the November 4, 1988 CSF in our files designated as your alternate CSF was canceled and transferred on January 11, 1995.

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 label constitutes acceptance of these conditions.

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

Sincerely yours,



William W. Jacobs, Ph. D.
Acting, Product Manager Team 14
Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)

prentox[®]

25% MALATHION DUST CONCENTRATE

An insecticide and miticide
for formulating use only.

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Malathion: 0,0-dimethyl phosphorodithioate of
diethyl mercaptosuccinate 25.00%

INERT INGREDIENTS: 75.00%

TOTAL 100.00%

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Chemical Co., Inc. — Incorporated

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN CAUTION

STATEMENT OF PRACTICAL TREATMENT

If swallowed — Call a physician or Poison Control Center immediately. Drink one or two glasses of water immediately and induce vomiting by touching the back of throat with finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

If inhaled — Remove person to fresh air and apply respiration if indicated.

If on skin — Wash promptly with soap and water. Rinse thoroughly.

If eyes — Rinse eyes for at least 15 minutes with water and call a physician immediately.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN — 2-PAM is antidotal and may be administered in conjunction with atropine sulfate.

SEE SIDE PANEL FOR
ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

E.P.A. REG. NO. 655-79

E.P.A. EST. NO. 789-CA-1

NET WEIGHT 50 LBS.

LOT NO. _____

Manufactured by



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Drug & Chemical Co., Inc.

Plant: Kaolin Road
Sandersville, GA. 31082

Office: C. 1000
Floral Park, N.Y. 11001

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS CAUTION

Harmful if swallowed. Avoid breathing of dust. Avoid contact with skin. Wash thoroughly after using. Avoid contamination of feed or foodstuffs.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to aquatic invertebrates and aquatic life stages of amphibians. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, streams, ponds, estuaries, oceans, or public waters unless this product is specifically identified and addressed in a National Pollution Discharge Elimination Systems (NPDES) permit. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer systems without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or the Regional Office of EPA.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN — Malathion may cause cholinesterase inhibition. Atropine is antidotal.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling. Formulators are responsible for obtaining EPA registration for their formulated products.

NOTE TO FORMULATORS

Certain organophosphate insecticides have been shown to cause staining and color changes of carpets dyed with certain sensitive carpet dyes. Products made from this concentrate should carry warnings to prevent contact with carpeting by spray, mist or drift.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in EPA Letter Dated
NOV 07 1998

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
I am hereby certifying that the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No.
655-79

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: If container is damaged, stop any leaks by repositioning the container or by patching or otherwise repairing the leaks. Take care to avoid contact with pesticide and wear protective gear. On cleanup, wear protective equipment as required to prevent contact with the product. Sweep on to a shovel and put the sweepings into a salvage drum. Dispose of wastes as below.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL: Wastes resulting from the use of this product may be disposed of on site or at an approved waste disposal facility.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Completely empty bag into application 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.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE (cont'd)

For formulation into end-use insecticide products intended only for:

~~AGRICULTURAL CROPS:~~

~~Alfalfa, Avocado, Barley, Birdsfoot Trefoil, Blueberry, Cherry, Clover, Field and Sweet Corn, Cottonseed, Cucumber, Currant, Endive, Garlic, Gooseberry, Grapes, Grapefruit, Kumquat, Leeks, Lemons, Limes, Lespedeza, Head and Leaf Lettuce, Lupine and Lupine Seed, Oats, Onions, Orange, Pepper, White Potatoes, Raisins, Rice, Wild Rice, Rye, Sorghum, Squash, Strawberry, Tangerine, Tomatoes, Vetch and Wheat.~~

INDOOR:

STORED COMMODITY TREATMENT
ON CORN, BARLEY, OATS, RYE AND
WHEAT

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