## RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE

for retail sale to and application only by certified applicators or persons under their direct supervision.

PRENTOX(R) SEED PROTECTANT DRILL BOX TREATMENT SOIL INSECT AND DISEASE CONTROL

A non mercural product for use on sorghum-beans-uats-corn-soybeans-wheat. Controls certain soil-born insects and disease attacking germinating seedlings.

ACTIVE INGREDIENTS: Lindane(Gamma Isomer of Benzene Hexachloride)

Lindane(Gamma Isomer of Benzene Hexachloride)	12.50%
Captan*	6.25%
INERT INGREDIENTS:	81.25%
TOTAL :	100.00%

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS in EPA Letter Dated:

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Fungacida, and tradenticide Art an encoded, for the pesticide registered under EPA Reg. No. (055-025)

\*N-Trichloromethylthio-4-cyclohexene-1,2-Dicarboxmide

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 and induce vomiting by touching the back of throat with a finger. Repeat until vomit fluid is clear. Do not induce vomiting or give anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsing person.

If inhaled - Remove victim to fresh air. Apply artificial respiration if indicated.

If on skin - Remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with soap and water.

If in eyes - Flush eyes with plenty of water. Call a physician immediately.

See side panel for additional Directions For Use.

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Plant: Kaolin Road Sandersville, GA. 31082 Office: C.B. 2000 Floral Park, N.Y. 11001

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#### PRECAUTION RAY STATEMENTS

## HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

<u>CAUTION</u> - Harmful if swallowed. May be absorbed through skin. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid contamination of feed and foodstuffs.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish, birds, and wildlife. Birds and other wildlife feeding on treated exposed seed may be killed. Do not apply directly to water. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Apply this product only as specified on this label.

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: If container is damaged: Stop any leaks by repositioning the container or otherwise repairing the leaks. Take care to avoid contact with pesticide and wear protective gear to prevent contact with the product or its vapors. Sweep the spill on to a shovel and put the sweepings into a salvage drum. Dispose of waste as below.

**PESTICIDE DISPOSAL:** Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide, spray mixture, or rinsate is a violation of Federal law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions, contact your State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the Hazardous Waste representative at the nearest EPA Regional Office for guidance.

CONTAINER DISPOSAL: Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State and local authorities.

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#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE CONTINUED

Treated seed should not be used for or mixed with food or animal feed, or processed for oil. Exposed treated seeds may be hazardous to birds and other wildlife. Dispose of all excess treated seed by burial away from bodies of water.

This is a special dry seed protectant containing graphite. It is a combination insecticide and fungicide for inhibiting certain soil-born insects and disease on seed corn, beans, oats, soybeans, wheat, barley, and sorghum.

Protects germinating seeds against seed rot, damping-off diseases, kernel smut of sorghum, seed corn maggots, Seed corn beetles and wireworms.

DIRECTIONS - Keep planter plates clean and free from grease or oil. Thoroughly mix correct amount of Parsons Seed Protectant with seed in planter or drill box according to following chart.

Field Seeds	Sunces of Fraduc per Sushel ar 100 Sts. of Seed	
Corn	8 oz. per bu	
Soybeans	41/2 oz per bu.	
Wheat Eurice, Oats	61/2 DZ per cwt	
Beans and the second se	4oz per bu	
Sorghum	8 oz per cwt	

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OFFICE OF PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Mr. Nick Sanchez Prentiss Drug & Chemical Co., Inc. C.B. 2000 Floral Park, NY 11001

Dear Mr. Sanchez:

Subject: Lindane RPAR Prentox Seed Protectant EPA Reg. 655-623 Appl. Date: November 14, 1983

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provided that you make the labeling changes listed below before you release the product for shipment bearing the amended labeling:

- 1. Delete the "RESTRICTED USE PESTICIDE" block on the front panel of the label. The seed treatment use is not restricted.
- 2. A protective clothing section must be added to the directions or "HAZARDS TO HUMANS...." section; please use the following.

"Applicators must wear long sleeved shirt, long pants, gloves, and a dust mask covering one third of the face or more.

Also add:

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"This product should be applied in a well ventilated area."

3. Revise paragraph one on the last page of the draft labeling (information in this section is incomplete) to read as follows:

"Treated seed must not be used for or mixed with food or animal feed, or processed for oil. Treat only those seeds needed for immediate use, minimizing the interval between treatment and planting. Do not store excess treated seeds beyond planting time."

"Exposed treated seeds may be hazardous to birds and other wildlife. Dispose of all excess treated seeds by burial away from bodies of water."

4. In the last paragraph of the last page (immediately preceding the chart) change "Parsons" to "Prentox", since this is the product's new name.

Submit five (5) copies of your revised final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the amended labeling.

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

If you hold a Federal registration, a supplemental registration, or a Special Local Needs registration, you may continue to produce new stocks of such products, using current labeling, until April 1, 1984. After that date, all remaining inventories of affected products will fall under the Existing Stocks provisions stated in our letter of October 28, 1983.

Sincerely yours,

George T. LaRocca Product Manager (15) Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch Registration Division (TS-767C)

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