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Rohm and Haas Company
100 Independence Mall West
Philadelphia, PA 19106-2399

Attention: Valerie Phillips
Regulatory Manager

Subject: Rocima™ 355 Industrial Microbiocide
EPA Reg. No. 707-305
Amendment Application Date: January 30, 2010
EPA Received Date: February 2, 2010

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. The Agency has no objection to the following:

- Updating label requirements for Storage Container Disposal (PR Notice 2007-4)
- Add an emergency contact number
- Updating First Aid Language

A stamped label is included with this letter for your records. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Demson Fuller at (703) 308-8062.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M Swindell".

Marshall Swindell
Product Manager (33)
Regulatory Management Branch 1
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Attn: Marshall Swindell (PM 33)

Subject: ROCIMA™ 355 Industrial Microbicide
EPA Reg. No. 707-305
Label Amendment per PR Notice 2007-4

Dear Mr. Swindell,

Please find enclosed an application to amend the label for the Rohm and Haas Company Product ROCIMA™ 355 Industrial Microbicide (EPA Reg. No 707-305).

The purpose of the amendment is to:

- update label with the requirements of PR Notice 2007-4 “Pesticide Management and Disposal; Standards for Pesticide Containers and Containment”
- add an emergency contact number (previously requested by EPA)
- align the First Aid and Precautionary Statement sections for label consistency

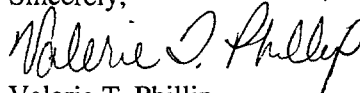
Once approved I am requesting a new stamped label.

Administrative items included to support this amendment are as follows:

1. Application form # 8570-1
2. Five (5) paper copies of proposed label
3. CD containing copy of proposed label
4. Certification with Respect to Label Integrity

Please contact me with questions regarding this submission.

Sincerely,



Valerie T. Phillip
Regulatory Specialist
DMC
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ROCIMA™ 355

Industrial Microbicide for Use in Coatings, Building Materials,
Adhesives and Tackifiers



100 INDEPENDENCE MALL WEST
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106
TELEPHONE: (215) 592-3000

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

4,5-Dichloro-2-n-octyl-3(2H)-isothiazolone	13.5%
3-Iodo-2-propynyl-butyl carbamates	6.5%

INERT INGREDIENTS:

	80.0%
Total:	100.0%

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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as
amended, for the pesticide
registered under EPA Reg. No. 707-305

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

DANGER

FIRST AID

- IF ON SKIN:**
 - Take off contaminated clothing.
 - Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 min.
 - Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
- IF IN EYES:**
 - Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 min.
 - Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 min. then continue rinsing eye.
 - 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 mouth-to- mouth if possible.
 - Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.
- IF SWALLOWED:**
 - Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.
 - Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.
 - Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not give anything to an unconscious person.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY 215-592-3000

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. Measures against circulatory shock, respiratory depression and convulsions may be necessary.

SEE SIDE PANELS FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARD TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

DANGER

CORROSIVE

CAUSES IRREVERSIBLE EYE DAMAGE AND SKIN BURNS

MAY CAUSE ALLERGIC SKIN REACTION

HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED

MAY BE FATAL IF INHALED

MAY BE FATAL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN

This product is a dermal sensitizer. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves and protective clothing when handling. Do not breathe vapor or mist. Avoid contamination of food. Do not take internally. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

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ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This product is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, 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 sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of waste. Apply this pesticide only as specified on this label.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

PESTICIDE STORAGE

This product is corrosive to mild steel. Do not store or transport in unlined metal containers. Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage, disposal, or cleaning of equipment.

PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of excess pesticide 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

Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by procedures approved by state and local authorities.

GENERAL

CONSULT FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL DISPOSAL AUTHORITIES FOR APPROVED ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES.

CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

Rohm and Haas warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purpose stated on the label only when used in accordance with label directions and as defined the Directions for Use on this label. ROHM AND HAAS MAKES NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES, EITHER OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS, FOR A PARTICULAR USE. Handling, storage, and use of the product by Buyer or User are beyond the control of Rohm and Haas and Seller. Risks such as ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences resulting from, but not limited to, failure to follow directions will be assumed by the Buyer or User. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, NEITHER ROHM AND HAAS NOR SELLER SHALL BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE HANDLING, STORAGE OR USE OF THIS PRODUCT

Date of Manufacture: location for date
EPA Reg. No. 707-305
EPA Est. No.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.
DO NOT USE FOR ANY DIRECT OR INDIRECT FOOD CONTACT APPLICATIONS

COATINGS

For use as a microbicide to control bacteria, algae and fungi in latex coatings, solvent-based paints, semi-transparent stains and solid stains. Use 0.18- 0.85 pounds of ROCIMA 355 per 100 pounds of formulation (1.8 to 8.5 pounds per 100 gallons).

BUILDING MATERIALS

For use as a microbicide to control bacteria, algae and fungi in building materials, elastomeric roof and wall coatings, EIFS coatings, masonry coatings, mastics, caulks, sealants, joint cements, spackling, stucco, and grouting. Use 0.18-0.85 pounds of ROCIMA 355 per 100 pounds of formulation (1.8 to 8.5 pounds per 100 gallons).

If necessary, higher dosages, up to 1.0 pound of ROCIMA 355 Industrial Microbicide per 100 pounds of coating or building material formulation, may be used depending on the level of control required.

Dosage levels of ROCIMA 355 will depend upon the type of formulation, the level of protection required, and the climate in which the material will be exposed.

ADHESIVE AND TACKIFIER PRESERVATION

ROCIMA 355 is recommended for the control of bacteria and fungi in water-soluble and water-dispersed adhesives and glues. ROCIMA 355 is recommended as a preservative for tackifiers derived from rosin and hydrocarbon resins. Use 0.18 - 0.85 pounds of ROCIMA 355 to each 100 pounds of fluid (1.8 to 8.5 pounds per 100 gallon).

ROCIMA 355 weighs 9.20 lbs/gallon

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Fungicide and Rodenticide Act as
a _____ pesticide,
registered under EPA Reg. No. **707-305**