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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

Mark E. Burt Regulatory Manager Arch Chemicals, Inc. 1955 Lake Park Drive Suite 100 Smyrna, GA 30080

Subject:

Pace Disposable Floating Cartridge EPA Registration No. 1258-1133 Application Date: December 6, 2007 Receipt Date: December 7, 2007

Dear Mr. Burt:

The following amendments, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, are acceptable with the comments listed below:

- Addition of optional marketing statements
- Addition of optional advisory statements
- Revisions to comply with Container Regulations in subpart H Container Labeling §156.140
- · Addition of "responsible care" symbol as advisory statement

Comments

- 1. The revised labeling to comply with Container Regulation in Subpart H and additional marketing statements are acceptable.
- 2. The optional advisory statements and responsible care symbol are being reviewed by the Agency's Program Labeling Committee. The Agency cannot grant approval for the advisory statements and graphic symbol at this time.

General Comments

A stamped copy of the labeling, accepted with comments, is enclosed. Submit 1 copy of your final printed label before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

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Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact Wanda Henson at 703-308-6345.

Sincerely,

Emily H. Mitchell Product Manager (32) Regulatory Management Branch II Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

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{Attachment 2}

EPA Master Label rev Dec 07

[All text in square brackets [AAA] is optional and may/may not be included on final label]
{All text in rounded brackets {AAA} is for information purposes and will not appear on final label}

{front panel}

PACE DISPOSABLE FLOATING CARTRIDGE

Active Ingredient:
Trichloro-s-Triazinetrione
Other Ingredients
Total
Available Chlorine 90%

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
EPA Letter Dated:

JAN 25 2008

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide, registered under EPA Reg. No. 1258-1133

DANGER

Contamination or improper use may cause fire or explosion or the release of toxic gases. Do not allow product to contact any foreign matter, including other water treatment products. If product is exposed to small amounts of water, it can react to cause explosion or the release of toxic gases. Do not add water to this product. Add only into water. {The following optional statement is for use on residential use swimming pool products} [Do not mix this product with a small amount of water.

Only add directly to your pool.] Do not remove this floating cartridge from water for more than five minutes if it contains a tablet or tablet residue. Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if inhaled or absorbed through skin. Harmful if swallowed.

Read all precautionary statements on back label and first aid statements before use.

FIRST AID: {Format consistent with PR Notice 2001-1}

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 for treatment advice.

IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING: 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 SWALLOWED: Call a 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.

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

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage. IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL: 1-800-654-6911.

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Arch Chemicals, Inc. Smyrna, GA 30080

PRODUCT OF CHINA

[brand] [PACE®] [Sock It®], [Super Sock It®] and [pH Plus®] (brand name) are REGISTERED TRADEMARKS OF ARCH CHEMICALS, INC.

ITEM NO. 30952

{MARKETING CLAIMS}

{Statements available to all labels}

[90% Available chlorine]

[Concentrated chlorinator for routine use]

[Kills bacteria, destroys organic contaminants and controls algae]

[Kills algae]

[Slow dissolving]

[Totally soluble]

[Protects against bacteria and algae]

[Keeps Pool Water Clean and Crystal Clear]

[Easy, economical, convenient to use]

[Regulates chlorine levels]

[Convenient one month dosage]

[Convenient one-time use]

Tilts when empty]

[Produces sparkling clean swimming pool water]

[Sparkling pool water]

[Restores clarity to pool water]

[Can last up to one month]

{Optional statements for use only with swimming pool sanitization directions}

[Sun resistant for extended chlorine life]

[Sanitizes pool water]

[Swimming pool sanitizer]

[Good for all pool surfaces]

[Sun protected for extended chlorine life]

[Treats up to 40,000 gallons]

{back or side panel}

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER: Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Harmful if swallowed. Irritating to nose and throat.

- Open in a well ventilated area. Do not breathe dust or fumes.
- -----Do-not-get-in-eyes,-on-skin,-or-on-clothing-
- Wear goggles and rubber gloves when handling this product. For additional protection of skin, wear long sleeves and long pants.
- Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, or using tobacco.
- Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

PHYSICAL and CHEMICAL HAZARDS:

DANGER. If product is exposed to small amounts of water, it can react to cause explosion or the release of toxic gases. Do not add water to this product. Add only into water.

- Do not allow to become wet or damp before use.
- Do not remove this floating cartridge from water for more than five minutes if it contains a tablet or tablet residue.

Can react with other materials, including other water treatment products, to cause fire, explosion, and the release of toxic gases.

- Keep all foreign matter, including other water treatment products, away from this product.
- Do not open and do not refill this cartridge.
- Do not allow this product to contact other water treatment products.

Strong oxidizing agent. This product can increase fire intensity.

• Keep away from heat and from flame and burning material (like a lighted cigarette).

{Environmental hazards statement for end-use products in containers \geq 5 gallons (liquid) or \leq 50 pounds (solid, dry weight)}

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, ponds, streams, estuaries, oceans or public 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.

{Environmental hazards statement for end-use products in containers less than 5 gallons (liquid) or less than 50 pounds (solid, dry weight)}

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms.

EMERGENCY HANDLING: In case of contamination or decomposition do not reseal container. Immediately remove container to an open and well-ventilated outdoor area by itself. Flood with large amounts of water. Dispose of container and any remaining contaminated material in an approved landfill area.

STORAGE & DISPOSAL: {Nonrefillable container - household/residential use}

[Keep this product dry in its tightly closed container when not in use. Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area. Keep away from heat or open flame. Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Rinse empty container thoroughly with water to dissolve all material prior to disposal. Offer for recycling if available. Do not contaminate food or feed by storage or disposal or cleaning of equipment. FOR DISPOSAL OF A CONTAMINATED OR DECOMPOSING PRODUCT SEE EMERGENCY HANDLING.] Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling if available.

{Use 1}{{Swimming Pools}}

[WHY YOU SHOULD USE THIS PRODUCT: [brand] Disposable Floater Cartridges] (brand name) are designed for simple one time use and treat up to 40,000 gallons of pool water. This floating cartridge is formulated to protect pool water against chlorine loss and dissolve slowly providing a steady source of available chlorine for complete swimming enjoyment in your pool. [For crystal clear pool water, follow [our] [brand] 4 step pool care program: Step 1: Test and adjust pool water balance, Step 2: Chlorinate and clarify, Step 3: Shock treat your pool at least once a week, and Step 4: Add algaecide regularly.]

[For best results, follow a weekly program with our [brand] System. Consult your authorized [brand] dealer for advice on the system that best suits your pool and your lifestyle.] [Take a pool water sample to your authorized [brand] dealer regularly for a detailed water analysis.]]

Always use [brand] Shock] products for regular shock treatment. Additional shocking to keep water clean-and-clear-is-recommended-after:-rain-and-heavy-winds;-high-number-of-swimmers;-increased-water-temperature; and/or increased frequency of pool usage.]

DIRECTIONS FOR USE: It is a violation of Federal law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling.

READ ALL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS BEFORE USE.

Do not attempt to open or refill this cartridge. Do not completely submerge cartridge. Do not mix with other products or dissolve before use. Reentry into treated swimming pools is prohibited above levels of 4 ppm of chlorine.

- To provide optimum product performance, swimmer comfort and crystal clear water, always maintain pH from 7.2 to 7.6, total alkalinity from 80 to 120 parts per million (ppm) and calcium hardness above 200 ppm. Test frequently using a reliable test kit that measures all of the above ranges. Adjust with appropriate product.
- 2. Shock treat with appropriate product. Follow label directions.
- 3. If water is unstabilized, stabilize with appropriate product. Follow label directions.
- 4. This product is marked in gallon increments from 5,000 to 40,000 gallons. To use this cartridge, punch out all feeder holes on both sides of cartridge up to and including the one corresponding to your pool's size. If pool is between sizes marked, punch out next higher hole. Make sure holes are punched out to allow free water flow through cartridge.
- 5. Punch out vent holes on both sides of cartridge. Place cartridge in pool. An eyelet has been provided on the cartridge so that you may secure it in the middle of the deep end of the pool if you desire.

 Maintain free chlorine residual between 1-4 ppm. If chlorine is too low, punch out an additional hole on each side of the cartridge. If the chlorine is too high, seal one hole on each side of the cartridge with waterproof plastic tape.

7. Leave in pool until thoroughly dissolved. Do not dispose of cartridge that still contains undissolved product. Doing so could contaminate product resulting in fire or explosion. Water coming out of cartridge that contains undissolved product can bleach clothing or other surfaces.

8. The cartridge will float on its side to indicate the need for replacement. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO OPEN OR REFILL THIS CARTRIDGE!

9. Do not pre-mix this product. Only add this product directly to your pool.

[For best results [during the season], follow [our] [the [brand] 4 step pool care program.]

[Brand] HELPLINE [866-HTH-POOL] [866-4-POOL-FUN]

[Toll Free

Call 7 days a week with your questions concerning pool water care. 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Eastern Time]

[Visit [brand]: www.xxx.com]

{Optional }

