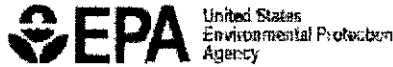


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UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460Office of Pesticide Programs

Arch Chemical, Inc.
1955 Lake Park Drive
Suite 100
Smyrna, GA 30080

Attention: Mark E. Burt
Regulatory Manager

Subject: Vanquish SL 10 Antimicrobial
EPA Registration No. 1258-1285
Notification Dated September 6, 2006

This will acknowledge receipt of your notification to correct a typographical error to remove the hyphen from the word "antimicrobial" in the label text, submitted under the provisions of FIFRA Section 3(c)(9). Based on a review of the submitted material, the following comments apply.

The Notification dated September 6, 2006 is in compliance with PR Notice 98-10 and is acceptable. This information has been added to the file.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely

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

Marshall Swindell
Product Manager (33)
Regulatory Management Branch 1
Antimicrobials Division (7510P)



Please read instructions on reverse before completing form.

Form Approved. OMB No. 2070-0060

	United States Environmental Protection Agency Washington, DC 20460	<input type="checkbox"/> Registration <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	OPP Identifier Number
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Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number 1258-1285	2. EPA Product Manager Marshall Swindell	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Vanquish SL 10 Antimicrobial	PM# 33	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Arch Chemicals, Inc. 1955 Lake Park Drive Smyrna, GA 30080 <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3) (b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. _____ Product Name _____	

Section - II

<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____	<input type="checkbox"/> "Me Too" Application.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Explain below.

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

Notification to correct typographical error on previous label - to remove the hyphen from the word, antimicrobial, in label text.

Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
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	<input type="checkbox"/> Metal <input type="checkbox"/> Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Paper <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____	If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt. No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt No. per container
* Certification must be submitted					
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input type="checkbox"/> Label <input type="checkbox"/> Container		4. Size(s) Retail Container		5. Location of Label Directions <input type="checkbox"/>	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input type="checkbox"/> Lithograph Paper glued Stenciled			<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		

Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)		
Name Mark E. Burt	Title Regulatory Manager	Telephone No. (Incl. Area Code) (770) 803-2526
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 or both under applicable law.		6. Date Application Received (Stamp)
2. Signature 	3. Title Regulatory Manager	
4. Typed Name Mark E. Burt	5. Date September 6, 2006	

PR Notice 98-10 Certification Statement

Product: Vanquish SL 10 Antimicrobial

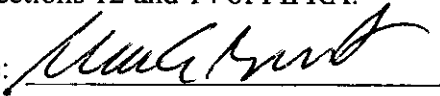
EPA Reg. No.: 1258-1285

Registrant: Arch Chemicals, Inc.

Notification to correct a typographical error on the previous label – to remove the hyphen from the word, antimicrobial, in label text.

This notification is consistent with the provisions of PR Notice 98-10 and EPA regulations at 40 CFR 152.46, and no other changes have been made to the labeling or the confidential statement of formula of this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if this notification is not consistent with the terms of PR Notice 98-10 and 40 CFR 152.46, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA.

Company Agent: M.E. Burt
Title: Regulatory Manager
Date: September 6, 2006

Signature: 

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(Center Panel)

Vanquish SL 10 Antimicrobial

An Antimicrobial / Anti-fungal Additive for Plastics

Active Ingredients:	N-butyl-1,2-benzisothiazolin-3-one.....	4.75%
	Zinc 2-pyridienthiol-1-oxide.....	4.75%
Inert Ingredients:	90.5%
Total Ingredients:	100.0%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

FIRST AID:

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. 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 by a poison control center or doctor. Do not give anything to an unconscious person.

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

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.

For additional information in case of emergency call toll free 1-800-654-6911. Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment.

NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: Possible mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage following ingestion

SEE ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS ON SIDE PANEL

Contents: Lbs Net Minimum (kg)
 US Gallons

EPA Reg. No. 1258-1285

EPA Est. No. 83801-GBR-001

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Manufactured for:
Arch Chemicals, Inc.
501 Merritt 7
Norwalk, CT 06856

Rev Date: Sep 06

Made in: UK

Lot Number: See attached label

Product Code: 45350

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LABEL REF:

(Left Panel)

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

WARNING

Causes skin irritation and moderate eye irritation. Harmful if swallowed or absorbed through the skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and chemical resistant gloves. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, or using tobacco. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS:

This product is toxic to fish. 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 the 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. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes.

(Right Panel)

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 applications involving direct or indirect food contact and/or drinking water contact.**

Many plastics are considered to be resistant to microbial attack, but there are significant exceptions that merit preventative action by the use of antimicrobial additives. Plasticized PVC, polyurethanes and silicones are particularly susceptible. The biodeterioration of products based on these (and other) types of plastics can be a serious problem for manufacturers. Failure to add the proper amount of antimicrobial additive can lead to premature product failure due to loss of mechanical strength, flexibility or adhesive strength. Also, adverse aesthetic problems such as musty odor, permanent staining or microbial surface growth can lead to customer complaints.

VANQUISH SL 10 antimicrobial is effective against the microbes which degrade plastic (and plastic additives) and can increase the useful life of plastic articles.

VANQUISH SL 10 antimicrobial additive is effective in most plastics compositions and can be used to preserve plastics such as PVC, polyurethanes, polyolefins and others to produce articles such as; shower curtains, coated fabric (e.g. ski wear, raincoats, tents, etc.), floor coverings, underlay & mats, vinyl wall coverings, tarpaulins and awnings, roofing membranes, synthetic leather (e.g. sneakers and training shoe uppers), swimming pool and ornamental pond liners, conveyor belts, appliance gaskets (e.g. washers, refrigerator, etc.), shoe soles and mid-soles, sealants, caulks, weather stripping, non-food contact adhesives, auto parts (e.g. landau tops, door seals, shock absorbers, etc.), foam (e.g. seat cushions, gaskets, insulation) electrical & pipe wrap, furniture (e.g. outdoor, leisure, water bed liners, cushions).

VANQUISH SL 10 antimicrobial additive has been found to be an effective polymer preservative at concentrations of 0.5% to 8.0% based on the total weight of the substrate. Typical range of concentrations on which trials can be based, are:

<u>Application</u>	%VANQUISH SL 10 Antimicrobial (based on total weight of final product)
Polyvinylchlorides	0.5 to 8.0
Polyurethanes	0.5 to 8.0
Silicones	1.0 to 8.0
Polyolefins	1.0 to 8.0

The concentration required to give protection depends on several factors. These include the susceptibility of the system to microbiological degradation, the extent to which micro-organisms can gain access, the species involved, pH, temperature, and length of time for which protection is required.

INCORPORATION OF VANQUISH SL 10 ANTIMICROBIAL INTO POLYMERS

Polyurethane: For addition to cross linked polyurethane VANQUISH SL 10 should be added to the polyol mixture at a concentration that will yield the desired use level in the final product after curing with isocyanate. For thermoplastic polyurethane see 'Melt-Processed Polymers' below.

Melt Processed Polymers: For addition to melt processed polymers (PVC, thermo-plastic polyurethane, etc.), Vanquish SL10 may be metered into the melt at the injection point in an extrusion system to yield concentrated chips (masterbatch) or the desired end use concentration. Masterbatch chips can be blended with non-preserved chips in the users plant to yield the desired end use concentration upon subsequent melt processing.

For PVC VANQUISH SL 10 may also be added to the mixed liquid components which are added to a blend of resin and other solid components, shear mixed until a dry blend is achieved and then processed through extrusion, calendering, molding or other system.

PVC Plastisols: Incorporation is very flexible and VANQUISH SL 10 antimicrobial liquid may be added to other liquid components during manufacture or blended into a ready-made plastisol. Use levels should be calculated based upon the total weight of the formulation.

For silicone sealants, the VANQUISH SL 10 may be added to the silicone oil before processing, or to the manufacturing vessel before packing off.

For polyolefin, VANQUISH SL 10 may be mixed with powdered polymer to yield the desired end use concentration then extruded, followed by fabrication to molding or film, etc. Alternatively, VANQUISH SL 10 may be made into a masterbatch by extrusion, diluted to end-use concentration with more polymer in the extruder, then fabricated as required.

Arch Chemicals, Inc. can provide guidance on the proper use of Vanquish antimicrobial.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL:

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

PESTICIDE STORAGE:

Protect from frost. If frozen, thaw and stir well before use.

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.

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.

For information on spills, call 1-800-654-6911