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Subject:

SLIMACIDE V-10

EPA Registration No 1448-353 Application Date: February 5, 2010 Receipt Date: February 16, 2010

Dear Dr. Watson:

The following amendment, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA); as amended, is acceptable with the conditions listed below:

Proposed Amendment

• Update Storage and Disposal statements to be in compliance with PR Notice 2007-4

Conditions

Revise the label as follows:

1. On page 1, revise the Precautionary Statements to be consistent with the toxicity profile. The Precautionary Statements must read as follows:

DANGER: Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if swallowed or inhaled. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not breathe vapor. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear rubber gloves, goggles or face shield and protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reactions in some individuals.

- 2. On pages 4 and 5, delete the third sentence, "Offer for recycling if available", under Container Handling for non-refillable containers with a capacity of 5 gallons or less and greater than 5 gallons because it appears as the last statement in the second paragraph for this section.
- 3. On page 4, 5, and 6, revise the last statement under Container Handling for all container sizes to read: "Then offer for recycling if available or reconditioning if appropriate or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities." Since your product is packaged in both plastic and metal containers, you must remove the reference to burning as you can not burn metal containers.
- 4. On page 5 and 6, revise the refillable containers with a capacity of 55 gallons or less and greater than 55 gallons statement section by deleting the last paragraph because it references discharging of rinsate which is this language presented under the Environmental Hazards section.

General Comments

A stamped copy of the labeling accepted with conditions is enclosed. Submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact me by telephone at (703) 308-6416 or email at: campbell-mcfarlane.jacqueline@epa.gov or Heather Garvie by telephone at (703) 308-0034or email at: garvie.heather@epa.gov

Sincerely

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SLIMACIDE V-10

ACCEPTED with COMMENTS in EPA Letter Dated:

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ACTIVE INGREDIENT(S)
1,4-Bis(bromoacetoxy)-2-butene and related compounds
INERT INGREDIENTS
TOTAL

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide, registered under EPA Reg. No. 1448-353

DANGER

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 eye Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.				
If on Skin, Clothes	- 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 poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. d - Have person sip a glass of water, if able to swallow Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by the 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 by mouth-to-mouth if possible Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice. 				
	HOT LINE NUMBER				
	product container or label with you when calling a Poison Control Center or doctor or going for treatment. also contact 901-767-2722 for emergency medical treatment information.				
	NOTE TO PHYSICIAN				
Probable	e mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.				

Precautionary Statements HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

DANGER: Harmful or fatal if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through skin. May cause eye and skin damage. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Do not breathe vapors. Wear rubber gloves, goggles or face shield and protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reaction in some individuals.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This pesticide is toxic to fish. Do not apply in marine and/or estuarine oil fields. Do not discharge into lakes, streams, ponds, 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 local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board of Regional Office of the EPA.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS: Do not use or store near open flame.

FDA approved for use as an antimicrobial agent to control slime in the manufacture of paper and paperboard used in food packaging.

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Storage	and	Dispo	sal

See attached document for Storage and Disposal.

Manufactured by

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(901) 278-0330 or 1-800-282-5626

EPA Est. No.

1448-TN-1

EPA Reg. No.

1448-353

Product Weight

13.3 lbs./gal.

1.59 kg/L

Net contents are marked on the container.

HMIS / NPCA Ratings

Health 3 Flammability 1 Reactivity 1

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Directions for Use

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

FOR CONTROL OF BACTERIAL AND/OR FUNGAL SLIME IN PULP AND PAPER MILLS.

Add SLIMACIDE V-10 at beater, fan pump, hydrapulper or where largest build-up of slime occurs. Dose at regular intervals and at least once daily. Add to system where agitation is sufficient to distribute material throughout mill.

DOSAGE: Begin at 40 to 80 ml per ton of paper produced (0.15 to 0.30 lbs.). After control is obtained, reduce dosage to a level necessary to maintain the desired biological control. Consult manufacturer for technical service.

(Non-refillable Containers, capacity of 5 gallons or less)

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Do not ship with Food, Feed, Drugs, or Clothing.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Keep container closed when not in use. Spills should be absorbed in sawdust or sand and disposed of in a sanitary landfill.

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

CONTAINER HANDLING: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container ¼ full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for the later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

Then offer for recycling if available or reconditioning, if appropriate, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or, if allowed by state and local authorities by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

(Nonrefillable Containers, capacity of greater than 5 gallons)

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Do not ship with Food, Feed, Drugs, or Clothing.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Do not stack more than four drums high. Leaking or damaged drums should be placed in overpack drums for disposal. Spills should be absorbed in sawdust or sand and disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Keep container closed when not in 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 for quidance.

CONTAINER HANDLING: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Offer for recycling, if available. Triple rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container ½ full with water. Replace and tighten closures. Tip container on its side and roll it back and forth, ensuring at least one complete revolution, for 30 seconds. Stand the container on its end and tip it back and forth several times. Empty the rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use of disposal. Repeat this procedure two more times.

Then offer for recycling if available or reconditioning, if appropriate, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or, if allowed by state and local authorities by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

(Refillable Containers, capacity of 55 gallons or less)

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Do not ship with Food, Feed, Drugs, or Clothing.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Keep container closed when not in use. Spills should be absorbed in sawdust or sand and disposed of in a sanitary landfill.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Do not stack more than four drums high. Leaking or damaged drums should be placed in overpack drums for disposal. Spills should be absorbed in sawdust or sand and disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Keep container closed when not in use.

CONTAINER HANDLING: Refillable container. Refill this container with pesticide only. Do not reuse this container for any other purpose. Cleaning the container before final disposal is the responsibility of the person disposing of the container. Cleaning before refilling is the responsibility of the refiller.

To clean the container prior to refilling or disposal, use a triple rinse wash as follows: Empty the remaining contents from this container into application equipment or a mix tank. Fill the container about 10 percent full with water. Agitate vigorously. Pour or pump rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Repeat this rinsing procedure two more times.

Do not discharge rinsate containing this product 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 rinsate containing this product to sewer systems without prior approval from the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

(Refillable Plastic Containers, capacity of greater than 55 gallons)

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food, or feed by storage or disposal. Do not ship with Food, Feed, Drugs, or Clothing.

PESTICIDE STORAGE: Do not stack more than four drums high. Leaking or damaged drums should be placed in overpack drums for disposal. Spills should be absorbed in sawdust or sand and disposed of in a sanitary landfill. Keep container closed when not in 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 for guidance.

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To clean the container prior to refilling or disposal, use a pressure wash as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank. Use a pressure wash system that rinses all interior sides with water and that is rated at >40 psi and >120F. Pressure wash the container for a length of time that ensures that a minimum 25% of the container volume of water is used. During the pressure wash, ensure that the container valve is left open for continuous draining. Collect the rinsate and empty into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Allow container to drain for 10 minutes after pressure wash is completed.

Do not discharge rinsate containing this product 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 rinsate containing this product to sewer systems without prior approval from the local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.