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Ms. Cristina Griffin
U.S. Borax Inc.
c/o Delta Analytical Corp.
7910 Woodmont Ave. Suite 1000
Bethesda Md. 20814

Subject: Revised Labeling
Borax 5 Mol
EPA Registration Number 1624-1
Application Dated July 15, 2002

Dear Ms. Griffin:

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

Proposed Amendment:

- revised label

General Comment:

1. Add the word "safety glasses" in parenthesis after the word face shield in Precautionary Statement.
2. Delete the heading "General information" from the statement "It is a violation of Federal Law to use this product in a manner inconsistent with its labeling".

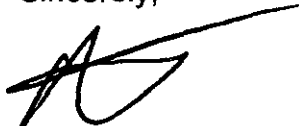
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A stamped copy of the accepted labeling is enclosed. Submit three (3) copies of yours final printed labeling before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling.

Should you have any question or comments concerning this letter, please contact me at (703) 308-6422 or Drusilla Copeland at (703) 308-6224.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'A Heyward', with a long horizontal line extending from the top of the signature.

Adam Heyward
Product Manager (34)
Regulatory Management Branch II
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Enclosure

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Borax 5 Mol Manufacturing Grade

For the formulation of algicides/insecticides/fungicides and for use as a material preservative.

Active ingredient:

Sodium Tetraborate Pentahydrate. 100%

$\text{Na}_2\text{B}_4\text{O}_7 \cdot 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$

[Boric Oxide (B_2O_3) equivalent 47.8%]

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

NOT FOR FOOD OR DRUG USE

EPA Reg. No. 1624-1

EPA Est. No. 1624-CA-2

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

General Information

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

Borax 5 Mol MG is a soluble inorganic powder for formulating into certain end-use products:algacides for water treatment in swimming pools and spas and recirculating cooling water systems, insecticides/fungicides for wood treatment: insecticides for mop, spot, and crack and crevice treatment in residential, industrial, institutional and commercial buildings; bacteriostat in/on absorbent materials for inhibiting growth of bacteria which causes odor i.e. kitty litter.

This product shall not be used to formulate or repackage a registered product for use in an broadcast carpet, rug or upholstery application. Formulators and repackagers are responsible for obtaining their own registrations.

Storage and Disposal

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

Storage: Store in a dry place. Do not store where children or animals may gain access.

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

Container disposal: Completely empty bag into application equipment. Then dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.



U. S. Borax Inc.

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Valencia, CA 91351-1847

Tel: (1) 661 287 5400

24 Hour Medical Emergency Number
(1) 661 284 5200

55.1 lb net

Notice:

Neither manufacturer nor seller shall be liable in respect to any injury or damages suffered by reason of the use of this product for a purpose not indicated by the label, or when used contrary to the directions or instructions hereon, nor with respect to breach of any warranty not expressly specified herein. Buyer accepts this material subject to these terms, and assumes full risk of usage and handling except when used or handled in accordance with this label.

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENT

Hazards to Humans and Domestic Animals

WARNING. Causes substantial but temporary eye injury. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

First Aid

Call the U.S. Borax 24 hour medical emergency number (1) 661 284 5200, a poison control center, or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have the product container or label with you when calling or going for treatment.

If in eyes - Hold the 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.

If swallowed - Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not induce vomiting unless told 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.

Environmental Hazards

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 authorities have 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.

ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
EPA Letter Dated:

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Under the Federal Insecticide,
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as
amended, for the pesticide,
registered under EPA Reg. No. 1624-1

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