



United States  
Environmental Protection Agency  
Washington, DC 20460

Registration  
 Amendment  
 Other

OPP Identifier Number  
237901

Application for Pesticide - Section I

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|---|---|--|
| 1. Company/Product Number<br>1624-39  | 2. EPA Product Manager<br>Robert J. Taylor  | 3. Proposed Classification<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted |
| 4. Company/Product (Name)<br>Tim-bor  | PM#<br>25   |  |
| 5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code)<br>U.S. Borax Inc.<br>26877 Tourney Road<br>Valencia, CA 91355<br><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:<br>EPA Reg. No. _____<br>Product Name _____ |  |

Section - II

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| <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.  |

**NOTIFICATION**  
JUL 31 1996

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

Notification per PR Notice 95-2. Notification for alternate brand name: Tim-bor Industrial.

Section - III

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

Section - IV

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| 1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)   |  |   |
| Name<br>T. Jeffrey Jones  | Title<br>Agent for U.S. Borax          | Telephone No. (Include Area Code)<br>(301) 652-5495 |
| Certification<br>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<br>(Stamped)           |
| 2. Signature<br>  | 3. Title<br>Agent for U.S. Borax, Inc. |   |
| 4. Typed Name<br>T. Jeffrey Jones   | 5. Date<br>7/19/96                     |   |



# Tim-bor® Industrial

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For the preservation, protection and preventative treatment of wood\* against decay fungi and wood-destroying insects.

(\*Also for wood-foam composite structural components.)

- Active ingredient:
  - Disodium Octaborate Tetrahydrate . . . . . 98%  
(Na<sub>2</sub>B<sub>8</sub>O<sub>11</sub> • 4H<sub>2</sub>O)
- Inert ingredient: . . . . . 2%  
(H<sub>2</sub>O - absorbed moisture)

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
Not for food or drug use.

### CAUTION

**Precautionary statements:**  
**Hazards to humans and domestic animals**  
Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contact with eyes. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid contamination of food and feed. Do not leave container where children or animals may gain access.

**Environmental hazards**  
*Tim-bor* or *Tim-bor* solutions carelessly spilled or applied to cropland or growing plants, including trees and shrubs, may kill or seriously retard plant growth. Do not contaminate water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. 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 local sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

**Statement of practical treatment**  
If swallowed, give 1 or 2 glasses of water and seek medical attention or contact a Poison Control Center.  
If in eyes, flush with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.  
If on skin, remove contaminated clothing and wash skin with water.  
If inhaled, remove victim to fresh air.

EPA Reg. No. 1624-39  
EPA Est. 1624-CA-1

**Protective equipment:**  
Wear waterproof gloves, eye protection, protective clothing (e.g. long sleeve shirt and shoes) and a MSHA/NIOSH approved dust/mist mask respirator (in confined spaces) when utilizing *Tim-bor* powder or solution. Refer to MSDS for specific information.

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

*Tim-bor* is a water soluble inorganic borate salt for the protection and treatment of wood, wood products and wood-foam composite structural components against decay fungi and wood boring beetles including Powder Post Beetles (Lyctidae), Furniture Beetles and Old House Borers (Anobiidae), and Longhorn Beetles (Cerambycidae). This treatment is not effective against wood staining fungi and may require mixing with compatible registered anti-stain products. *Tim-bor* also controls Subterranean Termites (Reticulitermes, Coptotermes, Heterotermes), Dampwood Termites (Zootermopsis), Drywood Termites (Kaloterms, Incisitermes), and Carpenter Ants (Camponotus).

*Tim-bor* is recommended for all interior and exterior wood and wood-foam composite structural components which when utilized will be protected from rain and not in direct contact with the ground. The treatment of lumber is permanent even after cutting and finishing providing the wood is not exposed to water for a prolonged period of time or in contact with the ground.

This product is toxic to wood destroying insects but surface etching of treated wood and wood-foam composite structural components may occur.

**Pressure processes:** Pressure treatment procedures must rigidly adhere to the standards of U.S. Borax and/or those of the American Wood Preservers Association. If several species are being treated at once, choose the treating schedule for the most difficult to treat species.

**Non-pressure processes:** Dip-diffusion treatment and spray applications should adhere to the standards and methods of U.S. Borax and/or those of the American Wood Preservers Association.

**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.

**Notice:**  
Because of many varying conditions affecting use and application, manufacturer warns buyer that these may mean or vary the results or effects of the use of this product. In any event, complete prevention of decay by fungi or other organisms is not guaranteed. Neither manufacturer nor seller shall be liable in respect of 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 the label. THERE ARE NO EXPRESS WARRANTIES ON *Tim-bor* OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR ANY PARTICULAR PURPOSE, EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY STATED HEREIN. MANUFACTURER SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGE BASED ON THE USE OF THIS PRODUCT.

**BEST AVAILABLE COPY**



55 lbs  
25 kg net

Manufactured by  
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USA