

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Subject: Amendment per FIFRA  
SO/SAN 30M  
EPA Registration No. 1839-57  
Application Dated: April 19, 2002  
EPA Received Date: April 26, 2002

Dear Ms. Nancy Maitzen,

The following amendment, submitted in connection with registration under 3(c)(7)(A) of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable with the comments listed below.

Proposed Amendment

- Update label Language in response to PR Notice 2001-1 (First Aid Statements )

Label Comments

1. Revise the Precautionary Statements to read: "DANGER, Keep Out of Reach of Children. Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. May be fatal if swallowed. Maybe fatal if inhaled. Harmful if absorbed through skin. *Do not breathe vapor or spray mist. Wear a dust/mist filtering respirator (MHSA/NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C), or a NIOSH approved respirator with any N, R, P or HE filter. Do not get into eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves and protective clothing when handling. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.*"
2. Revise the Storage and Disposal Statement to include: " Containers 1 gallon or less store in original container in a locked storage area in accessible to persons unfamiliar with its proper use. Do not reuse empty container. Wrap container and discard in the trash."

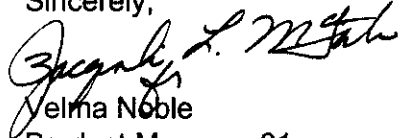
CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL	7516(c)						
SURNAME	A. Peters						
DATE	7/24/02						

General Comments

A stamped copy of the label is enclosed for your records. Please submit one(1) copy of the final printed label before releasing this product for shipment. Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at 703-308-6233.

Sincerely,



Velma Noble  
Product Manager 31  
Regulatory Management I  
Antimicrobials Division (7510 C)

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

**SO/SAN® 30M IS A CATIONIC MATERIAL. DO NOT MIX WITH SOAP OR OTHER ANIONIC MATERIALS.**

For formulation into antimicrobial products for use in laundry (commercial, vet, hospital, household) and diapers (household, presoak, hospital, commercial). Formulators using this product are responsible for providing data for the EPA registration of their formulated products.

## PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

### DANGER

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.** Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage and skin burns. Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield and rubber gloves when handling. May be fatal if swallowed or absorbed through skin. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking or using tobacco. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

#### FIRST AID

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

**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 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 poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice. Have a 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.

# SO/SAN® 30M

For formulation into antimicrobial products.

### ACTIVE INGREDIENTS:

Alkyl (60% C <sub>14</sub> , 30% C <sub>16</sub> , 5% C <sub>12</sub> , 5% C <sub>18</sub> ) dimethyl benzyl ammonium chlorides.....	13%
Alkyl (68% C <sub>12</sub> , 32% C <sub>14</sub> ) dimethyl ethylbenzyl ammonium chlorides.....	13%
<b>INERT INGREDIENTS .....</b>	<b>74%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100%</b>

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN**

## DANGER

See side panels for additional precautionary statements.

FOR FORMULATING/MANUFACTURING USE ONLY

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## HOT LINE NUMBER

You may also contact 1-800-228-5635 for emergency medical treatment information.

## NOTE TO PHYSICIAN

Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide 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 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.

## PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL HAZARDS

Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

## STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

**DO NOT CONTAMINATE WATER, FOOD, OR FEED BY STORAGE OR DISPOSAL.**

**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in a dry place no lower in temperature than 50°F or higher than 120°F.

**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.

**CONTAINER DISPOSAL:** Do not reuse empty container. Triple rinse empty container with water. Return metal drum or offer for reconditioning or recycling (if available) or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by other procedures approved by State or local authorities. Plastic containers may be disposed of in a sanitary landfill, incinerated, or if allowed by local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

ACCEPTED  
with COMMENTS  
in EPA Letter Dated:

JUL 25 2002

Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as  
amended, for the pesticide,  
registered under EPA Reg. No. 1839-57

Amend 04/19/2002

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