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Subject: Revised Label and CSF For:
Flea Ovisterilant Collar for Cats #2
EPA Registration No. 2382-137
Application dated February 26, 1997

Dear Dr. Miller:

The amendments to the registration for the product cited above under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, And Rodenticide Act, as amended are acceptable. The amended labeling is acceptable subject to the comment listed below:

Delete the phrase, is not toxic, from the sentence, The active ingredient in this collar, Nylar, xxx adult parasites.

A copy of the stamped draft label is enclosed for your records. Submit five copies of the corrected labeling.


The Confidential Statements Of Formula dated February 26, 1997 are acceptable and have been placed into the file for this product.

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If you have any questions or comments please contact Joseph
Tavano at (703) 305-6411.

Sincerely,

RPK

Richard P. Keigwin, Jr.
Product Manager 10
Insecticide & Rodenticide Branch
Registration Division (7505C)



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Carton, front

Flea Ovisterilant Collar For Cats #2
IGR Flea Collar for Cats and Kittens

[Sterilizes fleas for 10 months]
[Sterilizes (and kills) flea eggs for 10 months]

ACTIVE INGREDIENT:

Pyriproxyfen: 2-[1-methyl-2-(phenoxy-phenoxy) ethoxy]
pyridine..... 0.25%
INERT INGREDIENTS..... 99.75%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION

**See back panel for additional precautionary
statements and directions.**

virbac®

Contains One Flea Ovisterilant Collar

Net Wt. 0.42 oz. (12g)

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**ACCEPTED
with COMMENTS
in 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.**

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Carton, back

READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE USING USE ONLY ON CATS

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS CAUTION

HAZARDS TO HUMANS: This collar is intended for use only on pet animals. Do not allow children to handle or play with this collar. Wash hands with soap and water after handling.

HAZARDS TO ANIMALS: Do not use on nursing kittens. Consult a veterinarian before using on debilitated, aged, medicated, pregnant or nursing animals. Sensitivities may occur after using any pesticide product on pets. If signs of sensitivity occur, remove collar and bathe your pet with mild soap or a non-pesticidal shampoo and rinse with large amounts of water. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE It is a violation of Federal Law to use this collar in a manner inconsistent with its labelling. Place collar around the cat's neck, adjust for proper fit and buckle in place. Cut off and dispose of excess length. The collar must be worn tightly enough to contact skin. If collar is worn too tightly, it may produce neck irritation.

This collar is designed for long term prevention and control of flea problems by preventing the build up of flea populations through its adult flea and flea egg sterilizing actions. Ideally, as a preventive measure and for maximum effect, this collar should be applied to the cat before the flea season starts. Its flea sterilizing activity, that sterilizes fleas already on the cat, starts immediately, reaches 100% effectiveness within 2 days and continues at 100% effectiveness as long as the collar is worn (at least for 300 days). Fleas already present in the cat's environment, that may reappear on the cat, will be immediately sterilized before they start to lay eggs so that only sterile dead eggs will be laid. The potential for development of new fleas in the cat's environment, that would normally reinfest the cat, will thus be prevented.

The active ingredient in this collar, Nylar®, is not an insecticide or acaricide, is not toxic and will not kill adult parasites. Therefore, if the cat or its environment is heavily infested with fleas when the collar is first applied, the collar's flea and flea egg sterilizing benefit will not be apparent for several weeks until all pre-existing environmental flea life cycle stages have developed and either found a host or died. In these circumstances it is necessary to use other means (e.g., insecticide treatments, applied to both the pet and its environment) to kill existing flea stages on the pet and in its environment. Tick infestation must always be controlled by products labelled for ticks. The collar and its active ingredient in the cat's haircoat are not affected by normal wetting or by bathing. Replace collar as needed.

DISPOSAL Do not reuse empty pouch or box.

Wrap pouch or box and put in trash collection. When discarding cut-off excess collar or used collar, wrap in newspaper and place in trash collection.

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EPA Est. 2382-TX-1

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Generic pouch label

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Made in France

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