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Ms. Pat Bieler The Hartz Mountain Corporation 700 Frank E. Rodgers Blvd. South Harrison, NJ 07029

Dear Ms. Bieler:

Subject: Amendment - Addition of Deer Tick Claim Longlife 90 Day Brand Collar for Cats EPA Registration No. 2596-49 Longlife 90 Day Brand Collar for Dogs EPA Registration No. 2596-50 Hartz 2 in 1 Plus Longlasting Collar for Dogs EPA Registration No. 2596-62 Hartz 2 in 1 Flea & Tick Collar for Cats EPA Registration No. 2596-63 Your Application Dated February 23, 1990

The amendment referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable provided that you additional information requested and make the labeling changes indicated below prior to release for shipment of product bearing the amended labeling.

Revise the wording of the deer tick claim as follows:
"... the Deer Tick, that may carry Lyme Disease".

The efficacy data submitted is adequate to support the claim of killing deer tick when the subject products are worn according to label direction. However please provide the following efficacy information for our records:

- 1. Please verify statement that the collar designated 8743 on pp. 4-8, 10, 13-14, and 17 (MRID 41532602) is a placebo collar as required in Section 95-30(b)(11)6.2.
- 2. Please verify that the formulation designated 8743 is not used in the manufacture of the subject collar supported by these data, since said formulation was found ineffective.

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Submit five copies of your final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment. A stamped copy of the labeling is enclosed for your records.

Sincerely,

George T. LaRocca Product Manager 15 Insecticide-Rodenticide Branch Registration Division (H7505C)

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