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OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

March 23, 2010

Mr. Robert Rosenwasser, Director, Regulatory Affairs The Hartz Mountain Corporation 400 Plaza Drive Secaucus, NJ 07094-3688

Subject:

Amended Labeling, Response to EPA Letter Dated September 3, 2009; and EPA Meeting with

Hartz on December 15, 2009

Hartz[®] Reference 122, EPA Reg. No. 2596-153 Your Submission Dated February 18, 2010

Dear Mr. Rosenwasser:

The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), as amended, is acceptable.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, please be aware that the website becomes labeling under FIFRA and is subject to review by the Agency. If the website is false or misleading, the product would be misbranded and unlawful to sell or distribute under section 12(a)(1)(E) of FIFRA. 40 CFR §156.10(a)(5) lists examples of statements EPA may consider false or misleading. In addition, regardless of whether a website is referenced on your product's label, claims made on the website may not be substantially differ from those claims approved through the registration process. Therefore, should the Agency find, or if it is brought to our attention that a website contains false or misleading statements or claims substantially differing from the EPA-approved registration, the website will be referred to EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance Assurance (OECA). As an alternative, you may refer consumers to the company's phone number or e-mail address.

A copy of your label for this product stamped "Accepted" is enclosed for your records. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Carmen J. Rodia, Jr. at (703) 306-0327 or via e-mail at <u>Rodia.Carmen@epa.gov</u>.

Sincerely yours,

FOR

Richard J. Gebken Product Manager (10) Insecticide Branch

Registration Division (7504P)

Enclosure: Label stamped "Accepted"

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Hartz[®] Ref. 122 EPA Reg. No. 259

EPA Reg. No.: 2596-153 MASTER LABEL

Hartz[®] Ref. 122

Alternate Names:

Hartz[®] UltraGuardTM Rid Flea & TickTM Shampoo for Dogs with Oatmeal Hartz[®] Advanced CareTM 2 in 1[®] Flea & Tick Shampoo with Oatmeal Hartz[®] Advanced CareTM 2 in 1[®] Rid FleaTM Dog Shampoo with Oatmeal Hartz[®] 2 in 1[®] Rid FleaTM Dog Shampoo with Oatmeal Hartz[®] InControlTM Flea & Tick Oatmeal Shampoo for Dogs (&) (Puppies)

TOTAL 100.00%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

CAUTION: See (back) (side) panel(s) for additional precautionary statements.

NET CONTENT fl. oz. (ml)

EPA Reg. No. 2596-153 EPA Est. 2596-NJ-1

Made (in the USA) by The Hartz Mountain Corporation, 400 Plaza Drive, Secaucus, NJ, 07094

ACCEPTED

March 23, 2010

Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, as amended, for the pesticide registered under:

EPA. Reg. No: 2596-153

2/18/2010

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

HAZARDS TO HUMANS: CAUTION: Causes moderate eye irritation. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling and before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

HAZARDS TO DOMESTIC ANIMALS: Consult a veterinarian before using this product on debilitated, aged, medicated, pregnant or nursing animals. Sensitivities may occur after using any pesticide product for pets. If signs of sensitivity occur, bathe your pet with mild soap and rinse with large amounts of water. If signs continue, consult a veterinarian immediately.

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS: This product is highly toxic to aquatic organisms, including fish and invertebrates. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment wash-waters or rinsate. Drift and run-off may be hazardous to aquatic organisms in water adjacent to treated areas.

FIRST AID

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 treatment advice.

IF SWALLOWED

- •Call poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.
- •Have 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.

HOT LINE NUMBER: Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center, doctor or veterinarian, or going for treatment. For additional information on this pesticide product (including health concerns, medical emergencies or pesticide incidents), you may call 1-800-275-1414.

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DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

READ ENTIRE LABEL BEFORE EACH USE USE ONLY ON DOGS

Do not use on puppies under 6 months of age.

Do not use on cats or kittens.

[To be used on package]

- 1. Wet pet's coat thoroughly with water and rub shampoo into coat starting with head
- 2. Keep out of pet's eyes
- 3. Work backward from head to tail until coat is completely covered with foamy lather
- 4. Let stand or continue to massage in for 5 minutes
- 5. Rinse and towel dry
- 6. Repeat weekly (if necessary).

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

Pesticide Storage: Store this product in a cool, dry place that is inaccesible to children.

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: Non-refillable container. Do not refill or reuse this container. **If empty:** Offer for recycling, if available. **If partly filled:** Call your local solid waste agency for disposal instructions. Never place unused product down any indoor or outdoor drain.

OPTIONAL/ALTERNATE LABEL TEXT

Kills fleas

Kills ticks

Kills fleas and ticks

Kills 99% of fleas within (5) (24) hours

Kills 93% of ticks within 48 hours

Fast acting

Kills (Fleas) (&) (and) (Ticks) (through contact)

Kills (fleas) (ticks)

(Starts) Killing (through) contact

Kills (through) contact

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MASTER LABEL

NON-PESTICIDE RELATED CLAIMS AND OTHER OPTIONAL TEXT

Rich Vanilla Fragrance

Refreshing Herbal Fragrance

With encapsulated oatmeal beads

Deodorizing (fresh scent)

(Soothes) (Calms) (Relieves) (Comforts) irritated skin with (encapsulated) oatmeal Contains Oat Extract

Hartz® In Control™ Flea & Tick Oatmeal Shampoo was developed to kill fleas and ticks Hartz® and other trademarks are trademarks of The Hartz Mountain Corporation.

Visit (our website) (www.hartz.com) (www.hartzultraguard.com)

(www.hartzincontrol.com)

For more information, call our (flea and tick) experts at xxx-xxxx (weekdays, 9am-5pm E.S.T.)

Hartz (brand name) products are designed to complement each other in an integrated program for flea and tick management. To assure proper treatment, we recommend use of only Hartz (brand name) products.

As with all flea and tick products, they are most effective when used as part of a total program aimed at reducing fleas and ticks in the (dog's) (cat's) (pet's) environment A single female flea can lay [an average of] 25 eggs per day [on average] Be sure to treat the animal's bedding and surroundings with product registered for these uses, such as Hartz (brand name) line (products)