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OFFICE OF CHEMICAL SAFETY
AND POLLUTION PREVENTION

Subject: Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue Label Amendment
EPA Reg. No. 2693-172
Amendment Letter dated November 22, 2013

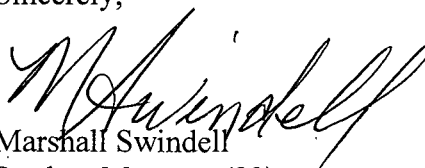
The labeling referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), Section 3(c)(5), is acceptable. The Agency has no objection to the following label changes:

- Addition of product descriptors to front panel
- Revised use directions
- Revised product description

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. The next label printing of this product must use this labeling unless subsequent changes have been approved. You must submit one (1) copy of the final printed labeling before you release the product for shipment with the new labeling. In accordance with 40 CFR 152.130(c), you may distribute or sell this product under the previously approved labeling for 18 months from the date of this letter. After 18 months, you may only distribute or sell this product if it bears this new revised labeling or subsequently approved labeling. "To distribute or sell" is defined under FIFRA section 2(gg) and its implementing regulation at 40 CFR 152.3.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Elizabeth Watkins at (703) 347-0241.

Sincerely,


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Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

ACCEPTED
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 Under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and
 Rodenticide Act as amended, for the
 pesticide, registered under
 EPA Reg. No. **2693-172**

FRONT PANEL

INTERLUX

**AQUARIUS ANTIFOULING BOTTOM PAINT
568 NAVY BLUE**

- Hard Scrubbable Finish
- Low V.O.C., Low Odor
- Easy Clean-Up with Water
- Solid Protection Against All Types of Fouling
- Colorfast Durable Finish

Active Ingredient:		
Cuprous Oxide	=	46.45%
Inert Ingredients:	=	53.55%
		<u>100.00%</u>
		EPA Registration No. 2693-172
		EPA Establishment No. 2693-NJ-1
Elemental copper		37.9%

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN

WARNING

See side panel for additional precautionary statements

NET CONTENTS: ONE U.S. GALLON (3.785 Liters)

DISCLAIMER: The performance of any marine paint or coating depends on many factors outside the control of International Paint LLC including the surface preparation, proper application and environmental conditions. Therefore, International Paint LLC cannot guarantee the suitability of this product for your particular purpose or application. **IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND MERCHANTABILITY ARE EXCLUDED. INTERNATIONAL PAINT LLC SHALL NOT UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES BE LIABLE FOR INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES.** By purchase or use of the product, buyer agrees that the sole and exclusive remedy, if any, is limited to the refund of the purchase price or replacement of the product at International Paint LLC's option.

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LEFT PANEL

PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMAN AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS
WARNING

Causes eye irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear protective clothing such as gloves, long-sleeved cotton shirt, long pants, and hat. May be fatal if swallowed or inhaled. Do not breathe dust, vapor or spray mist. While spraying and/or sanding boat surface, wear a face mask and respirator jointly approved by the Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration and by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Wash hands before eating, drinking, chewing gum, using tobacco or using the toilet.

FIRST AID

If Swallowed:

- Call a 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 a poison control center or doctor.
- Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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 inhaled:

- Move person to fresh air.
- If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth if possible.
- Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

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.

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

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This material is toxic to fish. Do not apply directly to water by cleaning of equipment or disposal of wastes. Do not allow chips and dust generated during paint removal to enter water. Dispose of paint debris in an approved landfill. 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.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Open dumping is prohibited.

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: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Triple rinse as follows: Empty the remaining contents into application equipment or a mix tank and drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Fill the container 1/4 full with water and recap. Shake for 10 seconds. Pour rinsate into application equipment or a mix tank or store rinsate for later use or disposal. Drain for 10 seconds after the flow begins to drip. Repeat this procedure two more times.

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AQUARIUS ANTIFOULING BOTTOM PAINT 568 NAVY BLUE

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue is a colorfast, smooth and durable bottom paint with low odor. The product will give premium protection from algae, slime, barnacles, zebra mussels and other forms of fouling. Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue is perfect for use on all boats, and for those who want a little extra speed, the surface can be wet-sanded to provide a smooth racing finish with less drag. Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue is low in Volatile Organic Content (V.O.C.) which limits solvent emission into our atmosphere. Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue is for use below the waterline in all waters on fiberglass, wood and properly primed metal boat hulls and parts. Do not use on aluminum.

COMPATIBILITY: Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue can be applied over most antifouling paints as long as the old coating is tightly adhered and in sound condition. When applying over conventional antifouling paints, thoroughly sand with 80 grit wet-or-dry sandpaper. If applying over self-polishing type copolymer antifouling, heavy sanding is required. Soft rosin based coatings should be removed prior to application of Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue.

V.O.C.: 65 grams/liter (150 g/l EPA method 24)

CLEAN-UP: Soap and water. Be sure to observe Proper disposal for all antifouling paints.

THEORETICAL COVERAGE: 407 sq. ft/Gal/Coat

THINNER: Water

THINNING: Thin only when necessary, do not exceed 10% by volume.

DRY TIMES: at 73°F (23°C)

TOUCH: 1.5 Hours

OVERCOAT: 4 Hours

TO LAUNCH: Minimum 6 Hours

APPLICATION TEMPERATURE: 50°F (10°C) and above (air and hull)*

* If either hull or air temperature falls below 50°F (10°C) during the 16 hour dry time, extend the dry time to a minimum of 48 hours. **Do not apply if the air feels damp or it is raining.** If it rains immediately after application, allow to dry for a minimum of 24 hours (48 hours @ <50°F (10°C) after it has stopped raining, prior to launch or overcoat.

APPLICATION SYSTEMS

Stir thoroughly (do not shake). Apply at least 2 full coats (3 on bare wood) of Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue by synthetic brush or 3/8" nap roller. Do not apply thin coats. If during application, the brush or roller drags, thin with water to improve handling. During the drying and curing process there may appear to be color changes resulting in an uneven appearance. This discoloration will disappear as the finish dries to a deep uniform color.

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PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES – GOOD CONDITION: Remove all traces of loose paint and contamination by sanding the entire surface well with 80 grit sandpaper; wipe surface clean with tap water. Apply at least 2-coats of **Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue**, allowing proper dry times. See compatibility section for additional information.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES – POOR CONDITION: Completely remove all old antifouling paint with Interlux® Interstrip® 299E for fiberglass, epoxy and wood and by sandblasting steel surfaces to a near white metal. Proceed with application system for bare work as described below.

BARE FIBERGLASS – SURFACE PREPARATION (POLYESTER AND VINYLESTER): Clean and de-wax the entire underwater surface with Interlux Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V. Apply the product to a 10' x 10' area with a 3/8" nap roller. Thoroughly scrub with a 3M Maroon Scotch Brite Pad. Remove the YMA601V by hosing off with clean fresh water. Do not allow YMA601V to dry on the surface. Repeat until the entire hull has been cleaned. If water beads up when rinsing, wax is still on the surface and further de-waxing is required.

BARE FIBERGLASS – SIMPLE NO SAND SYSTEM: Prepare the surface as described above – Within 4 hours of preparation, apply two coats of **Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue** allowing a minimum of 6 hours between coats.

BARE FIBERGLASS – SANDING SYSTEM: Prepare the surface as described above – Sand the entire surface well with 80 grit sandpaper until a matte finish is obtained; wipe off sanding residue. Apply two coats of **Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue** allowing a minimum of 6 hours between coats.

BARE WOOD: Remove any surface contamination. Sand entire surface with 80 grit sandpaper. Wipe off sanding residue. Repair any imperfections with Interlux® Watertite YAV135; sand and wipe clean. Apply first coat of **Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue** reduced with water. Apply two additional coats unreduced. Allow a minimum of 6 hours between coats. Fill seams (if necessary) with Interlux® Seam Compound 30 between first and second coats of antifouling paint.

UNDERWATER METALS: Contact the INTERLUX® Technical Service Department at 1-800-468-7589 for full details on how to properly prime underwater metals. Do not use on aluminum.

NOTE: Keep from freezing.

Color difference may occur between actual paint and color swatch on front of can.