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Subject: Label Amendment – Label Modifications
Product Name: Aquarius Antifouling Bottom Paint 568 Navy Blue
EPA Registration Number: 2693-172
Application Date: September 3, 2019
Decision Number: 555731

Dear Ms. Njuguna:

The amended label referred to above, submitted in connection with registration under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act, as amended, is acceptable. This approval does not affect any conditions that were previously imposed on this registration. You continue to be subject to existing conditions on your registration and any deadlines connected with them.

A stamped copy of your labeling is enclosed for your records. This labeling supersedes all previously accepted labeling. You must submit one 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.

Should you wish to add/retain a reference to the company's website on your label, then please be aware that the website becomes labeling under the Federal Insecticide Fungicide and Rodenticide Act 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 FIFRA section 12(a)(1)(E). 40 CFR 156.10(a)(5) list 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 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 the EPA's Office of Enforcement and Compliance.

Your release for shipment of the product constitutes acceptance of these conditions. If these conditions are not complied with, the registration will be subject to cancellation in accordance

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with FIFRA section 6. If you have any questions, you may contact Joseph Daniels at (703) 347-8669 or via email at Daniels.joseph@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

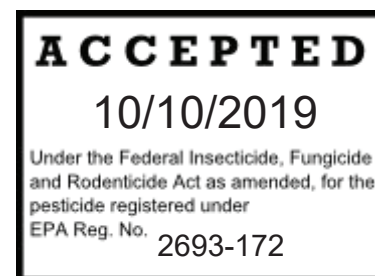
A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "E. Miederhoff".

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Office of Pesticide Programs

Enclosure

INTERLUX
AQUARIUS ANTIFOULING BOTTOM PAINT
568 NAVY BLUE

- [Hard Scrubbable Finish]
- [Easy Clean-Up with Water]
- [Solid Protection Against All Types of Fouling]
- [Colorfast Durable Finish]



Alternate Brand Names

- [Fiberglass Bottomkote Aqua YBA549 Red]
- [Fiberglass Bottomkote Aqua YBA569 Blue]
- [Fiberglass Bottomkote Aqua YBA579 Black]
- [Fiberglass Bottomkote Aqua YBA559 Green]

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EPA Establishment No. 2693-TX-1

Active Ingredient:
Cuprous Oxide = 46.45%
Other Ingredients: = 53.55%
 100.00%

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 when the product is not used as directed. 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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**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS
HAZARDS TO HUMAN AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS**

WARNING

May be fatal if swallowed or inhaled. Causes eye irritation. Harmful if absorbed through skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear protective clothing such as safety eye glasses, chemical resistant gloves, long-sleeved shirt, long pants and hat. Do not breathe vapor or spray mist. While painting or sanding or sandblasting boat surfaces, wear a NIOSH approved particulate filter with any N, R, P filter with NIOSH approval number prefix TC-84A.; or a NIOSH approved powered air purifying respirator with an HE filter with NIOSH approval number prefix TC-21C.

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:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 inhaled:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 on skin or clothing:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.
<p>Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor or going for treatment. For medical emergencies, call the poison control center at 1-800-222-1222. For general information on this product, contact the National Pesticides Information Center (NPIC) at 1-800-858-7378, Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 12 PM PST, or at http://npic.orst.edu.</p>	

ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This material is toxic to fish and aquatic invertebrates. 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 and other waters unless in accordance with the requirements of a National Pollution Discharge Elimination System [NPDES] permit and the permitting authority has been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent to sewer system 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

Combustible. Do not use or store near heat or open flame.

STORAGE AND DISPOSAL

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

STORAGE: Exposure to air and extremes of temperature must be avoided. Keep the container firmly closed. Keep out of direct sunlight. Keep the containers in a dry, cool, well ventilated space and away from sources of heat and ignition.

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 HANDLING: Nonrefillable container. Do not reuse or refill this container. Prior to container disposal, allow any remaining paint residue in the container to air dry. Dispose of the container in accordance with Federal, State or local disposal regulations.

Water-Based antifouling

[Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA]

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION: [Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA] is a colorfast, smooth and durable bottom paint. The product will give premium protection from algae, slime, barnacles, zebra mussels and other forms of fouling. [Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA] is good for use on all boats. [Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA] 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: [Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA] 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 [80,100, 120, 80-120] [grit, grade, wet or dry] sandpaper. If applying over self-polishing type copolymer antifouling, heavy sanding is required.

V.O.C.: 51 grams/liter (150 g/lit EPA method 24)

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

THEORETICAL COVERAGE: 55 sq. ft/Gal

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: [41°F, 50°F] ([5°C 10°C]) and above (air and hull) *

* If either hull or air temperature falls below [41°F, 50°F] ([5°C, 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 at [$<$, less than] [41°F, 50°F] ([5°C 10°C]) after it has stopped raining, prior to launch or overcoat.

APPLICATION SYSTEMS

Stir thoroughly and apply 2 full coats of Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA by synthetic brush or 3/8" nap roller. 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.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES - GOOD CONDITION: Remove all traces of loose paint and contamination by sanding the entire surface well with [80, 80-120, 100, 120] grit sandpaper; wipe surface clean with tap water. Apply 2 coats of Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA, allowing proper dry times. See compatibility section for additional information.

PREVIOUSLY PAINTED SURFACES - POOR CONDITION: Completely remove all old antifouling paint by [paint stripper, sanding, abrasive media blasting, sanding or abrasive media blasting] for fiberglass, epoxy or wood or 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 [Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V, Interlux Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V, Fiberglass Surface Prep]. Apply the product to a 10' x 10' area with a 3/8" nap roller. Thoroughly scrub with a 3M [brown, maroon, brown or maroon] Scotch Brite Pad. Remove the [Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V, Interlux Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V, Fiberglass Surface Prep] by cleaning off with clean fresh water. Do not allow [Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V, Interlux Fiberglass Surface Prep YMA601V, Fiberglass Surface Prep] to dry on the surface. Repeat until the entire hull has been cleaned. If water beads up when rinsing, [wax, contamination, wax or contamination] is still on the surface and further de-waxing is required.

BARE FIBERGLASS - NO SAND SYSTEM: Prepare the surface as described above - Within 4 hours of preparation, apply first coat of Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA], or one coat of [InterProtect 2000E, InterProtect HS, Interlux InterProtect 2000E, Interlux InterProtect HS] overcoating (following primer overcoating window] with two coats of Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA allowing a minimum of 4 hours at 73°F[23° C] between coats of antifouling .

BARE FIBERGLASS - SANDING SYSTEM: Prepare the surface as described above - Sand the entire surface well with [80, 80-120, 100, 120] grit sandpaper until a matte finish is obtained; wipe off sanding residue. Apply two coats of [Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA] allowing a minimum of 4 hours at 73°F [23° C] between coats of antifouling.

BARE WOOD: Remove any surface contamination. Sand entire surface with [80, 80-120, 100, 120] grit sandpaper. Wipe off sanding residue. Repair any imperfections with [Interlux® Watertite, Watertite Epoxy Filler, Interfill Epoxy Filler, Interfill, Watertite]; sand and wipe clean, apply first coat of [Fiberglass Bottomkote AQUA] reduced with water. Apply one additional coat unreduced. Allow a minimum of 4 hours at 73°F [23° C] between coats of

antifouling. Fill seams (if necessary) with Interlux® Seam Compound 30 between first and second coat 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.

MAINTENANCE

Antifouling paints effectiveness can be affected under certain conditions; pollution, usage, and natural occurrences can adversely affect an antifouling paint's performance. Therefore, we strongly suggest that the antifouling paints are checked regularly to make sure it is clean and that no growth is occurring. The less a boat is used, and the longer the idle-periods are, the higher the chance of fouling. Aggressive cleaning of antifouling paints, using tools such as scrubbing pads and brushes, will shorten the effective life of the paint, and should only be used if necessary.

Please consult your local government regulations for recommendations for volatile organic compound (VOC) limits.