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## United States Environmental Protection Office of Pesticide Programs Agency

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Attention: Valerie Phillips

Regulatory Specialist

Subject: VINYZENE ™ BP-5-2

EPA Registration No. 2829-96

Amendment Dated January 30, 2010

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

#### **Proposed Amendment**

- Update Label per PR Notice 2007-4
- Add an emergency contact number
- Align the First Aid and Precautionary Statement sections for label consistency

### **General Comments**

A stamped copy of the "accepted" labeling is enclosed for your records.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Martha Terry at (703) 308-6217.

Sincerely,

Marshall Swindell Product Manager 33

Regulatory Management Branch 1

Antimicrobials Division (7510P)

Enclosure

# VINYZENE<sup>TM</sup> BP-5-2

### **Bacteriostatic and Fungistatic Additive for Vinyl Compounds**

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106 TELEPHONE: (215) 592-3000

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT:** 

10,10'-Oxybisphenoxarsine

(Total Arsenic as Elemental As-0.60%)

(Water Soluble Arsenic as Elemental As - Less Than 0.01%)

**INERT INGREDIENTS:** 

2.0%

98.0%

100.0%

MAR - 2 2010 KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREIngicide, and Rodenticide, and Rodenticide Act as amended, for the pesticide,

registered under EPA Reg. No. 2829-96

with COMMENTS

IF ON SKIN:

• Take off contaminated clothing.

•Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 min.

•Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.

IF IN EYES:

•Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 min.

•Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 min. then continue rinsing eye.

Total:

•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

FIRST AID

mouth-to- mouth if possible.

•Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

IF SWALLOWED: •Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for treatment advice.

•Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.

•Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not give anything to an unconscious person.

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

#### IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CALL ROHM AND HAAS COMPANY 215-592-3000

#### SEE SIDE PANELS FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS

#### PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS

#### DANGER

CORROSIVE

#### CAUSES IRREVERSIBLE EYE DAMAGE OR SKIN BURNS HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED, ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN, OR INHALED

Do not get in eyes, on skin or on clothing. Avoid breathing spray mist. Wear goggles or face shield (protected eye glasses). Wear protective clothing and rubber gloves. Prolonged or frequently repeated skin contact may cause allergic reaction in Lone individuals. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS

This pesticide is toxic to fish and aquatic organisms. Do not discharge effluent containing this product into lakes, strams, ponds, estuaries, oceans or public waters unless in accordance with the requirements of National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and the permitting authority had been notified in writing prior to discharge. Do not discharge effluent containing this product to sewer without previously notifying the sewage treatment plant authority. For guidance, contact your State Water Board or Regional Office of the EPA.

#### STORAGE AND DISPOSAL PESTICIDE STORAGE

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

#### PESTICIDE DISPOSAL

Pesticide wastes are toxic. Improper disposal of excess product 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 or pressure rinse container (or equivalent) promptly after emptying. Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill, or by procedures approved by state and local authorities.

#### **GENERAL**

CONSULT FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL DISPOSAL AUTHORITIES FOR APPROVED ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES.

#### CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY

Rohm and Haas warrants that this product conforms to its chemical description and is reasonably fit for the purpose stated on the label only when used in accordance with label directions and as defined the Directions for Use on this label. ROHM AND HAAS MAKES NO OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTIES, EITHER OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS, FOR A PARTICULAR USE. Handling, storage, and use of the product by Buyer or User are beyond the control of Rohm and Haas and Seller. Risks such as ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences resulting from, but not limited to, failure to follow directions will be assumed by the Buyer or User. TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, NEITHER ROHM AND HAAS NOR SELLER SHALL BE LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL OR INDIRECT DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE HANDLING, STORAGE OR USE OF THIS PRODUCT

Date of Manufacture: location for date EPA Reg. No. 2829-96 EPA Est. No.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR USE

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

A level of 1 1/2% of Vinyzene BP 5-2 based on total weight of formulation will give excellent control against bacteria and mold organisms. This level is recommended for shower curtains, wall coverings, mattress covers and similar items.

For certain vinyl items which may be subjected to extended outdoor weathering, a level of 2 1/2% of Vinyzene BP 5-2 should be evaluated. Such items would include vinyl tarpaulins procured by military and naval agencies for protection on items subjected to extended outdoor storage.

> With COMMENTS \* EPA Letter Dated:

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