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PREVENTION, PESTICIDES  
AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

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Subject: **Vinyzene SB-2**  
EPA Registration No. 2829-132  
Application dated May 6, 2003

Dear Ms. Phillip:

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

Proposed Amendments

- Updated label per PR Notice 2001-1

Label Comments

The following revision must be made to the first aid statement.

1. The precautionary statement must be in the same type size, except for the heading, which is usually in large bold letters.
2. Refer to PR Notice 83-3 for the appropriate format and languages. Note that the word "Pesticide" must be added prior to .
3. The EPA establishment number must be listed on the label.

4. The First Aid Statement must follow the following order:  
  
IF ON SKIN:  
IF SWALLOWED:  
IF INHALED:  
IF ON SKIN OR CLOTHING:
  
5. Add the statement "This product is toxic to fish" at the beginning of the environmental hazards statement.

**General Comments**

Submit three (3) copies of your final printed labeling before distributing or selling the product bearing the revised labeling. A stamped copy is enclosed for your records.

Should you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please contact me at (703) 308-6422, or Lisa McKelvin at (703) 308-7496.

Sincerely,



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Regulatory Management Branch II  
Antimicrobials Division (7510C)

Enclosure

# VINYZENE SB-2

Bacteriostatic and Fungistatic Additive for Plastics

Formulated in United States  
of Material

Avg. Gross: LB KG  
Net: LB KG  
Avg. Tare: LB KG

Product  
Code  
(91)



Lot  
Number  
( )



<p><b>ACTIVE INGREDIENT:</b> 10,10'-Oxybisphenoxarsine 5.0% (Total arsenic as elemental As - 1.5%) (Water soluble Arsenic as Elemental As - Less than 0.01%)</p> <p><b>INERT INGREDIENTS:</b> 95.0% Total: 100.0%</p> <p><b>KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN</b> <b>DANGER</b> <b>FIRST AID</b></p> <p><b>IF ON SKIN:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Take off contaminated clothing.</li> <li>•Rinse skin immediately with plenty of water for 15-20 min.</li> <li>•Call a poison control center or doctor for advice.</li> </ul> <p><b>IF IN EYES:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Hold eye open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 min.</li> <li>•Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 min. then continue rinsing eye.</li> <li>•Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.</li> </ul> <p><b>IF INHALED:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Move person to fresh air.</li> <li>•If person is not breathing, call 911 or an ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably mouth-to-mouth.</li> <li>•Call a poison control center or doctor for advice.</li> </ul> <p><b>IF SWALLOWED:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•Call a poison control center or doctor immediately for advice.</li> <li>•Do not induce vomiting unless told to do so by a poison control center or doctor.</li> <li>•Have person sip a glass of water if able to swallow. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.</li> </ul> <p>Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.</p> <p><b>NOTE TO PHYSICIAN:</b> Probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.</p> <p><b>SEE SIDE PANELS FOR ADDITIONAL PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS</b></p>	<p><b>PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS</b> <b>HAZARDS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS</b></p> <p><b>DANGER</b> <b>CORROSIVE</b> <b>CAUSES BURNS</b> <b>HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR ABSORBED THROUGH THE SKIN</b></p> <p>Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear protective clothing and rubber gloves. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash before use.</p> <p><b>ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS</b></p> <p>Do not discharge effluent 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. Do not contaminate water by disposal of equipment washwaters.</p>	<p><b>STORAGE AND DISPOSAL</b></p> <p>Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage, disposal or cleaning of equipment.</p> <p><b>PESTICIDE DISPOSAL</b></p> <p>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.</p> <p><b>CONTAINER DISPOSAL</b></p> <p><b>METAL CONTAINERS</b></p> <p>Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or by other procedures approved by state and local authorities.</p> <p><b>PLASTIC CONTAINERS</b></p> <p>Triple rinse (or equivalent). Then offer for recycling or reconditioning, or puncture and dispose of in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by state and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.</p> <p><b>GENERAL</b></p> <p><b>CONSULT FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL DISPOSAL AUTHORITIES FOR APPROVED ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURES.</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>CONDITIONS OF SALE AND WARRANTY</b></p> <p>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 under normal conditions of use. 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. <b>IN NO CASE WILL ROHM AND HAAS OR SELLER BE HELD LIABLE FOR CONSEQUENTIAL, SPECIAL, OR INDIRECT DAMAGES RESULTING FROM THE HANDLING, STORAGE, OR USE OF THIS PRODUCT.</b></p> <p>Date of Manufacture: location for date EPA Reg. No. 2829-132 EPA Est. No. establishment number</p>	<p><b>DIRECTIO</b> It is a violati labeling.</p> <p>Interior App upholstery, i covers. Use (6 lb/1000 lb</p> <p>Exterior App tarpsaulins, a Use 1.0% of lb/1000 lb of</p>
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with COMMENTS  
EPA Letter Dated:

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Under the Federal Insecticide,  
Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act as  
amended, for the pesticide,  
registered under EPA Reg. No. 2829-132