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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF  
PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND  
TOXIC SUBSTANCES

FEB 26 2010

Ms. Sandi Escamilla  
Registration Specialist  
Wilbur Ellis Company  
P.O. Box 1286  
Fresno, CA 93715

Subject: Label Notifications for Pesticide Registration Notices 83-3 (Change to Pesticide Storage Language) and 2007-4

Dear Ms. Escamilla,

The Agency is in receipt of your Applications for Pesticide Notification under Pesticide Registration Notices (PRN) 83-3 and 2007-4 dated August 31, 2009 and your label resubmissions dated February 19, 2010 for the following products:

<b>Technical Sulfur</b>	<b>(EPA Registration Number 2935-480)</b>
<b>Sporax</b>	<b>(EPA Registration Number 2935-501)</b>
<b>Captan 7.5 Dust</b>	<b>(EPA Registration Number 2935-536)</b>

The Registration Division (RD) has conducted its review of these requests for their applicability under PRNs 83-3 and 2007-4 and finds that the label changes requested fall within the scope of PRNs 83-3 and 2007-4. The resubmitted labels have been stamped "Notification" and will be placed in our records.

Please be reminded that 40 CFR Part 156.140(a)(4) requires that a batch code, lot number, or other code identifying the batch of the pesticide distributed and sold be placed on nonrefillable containers. The code may appear either on the label (and can be added by non-notification/PR Notice 98-10) or durably marked on the container itself.

If you have any questions, please call me directly at 703-305-6249 or Steve Schaible of my staff at 703-308-9362.

Sincerely,



Linda Arrington  
Notifications & Minor Formulations Team Leader  
Registration Division (7505P)  
Office of Pesticide Programs

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Print Form

Please read instructions on reverse before completing form.

Form Approved. OMB No. 2070-0080. Approval expires 2-28-



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Environmental Protection Agency  
Washington, DC 20460

<input type="checkbox"/>	Registration
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amendment
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Other

OPP Identifier Number

### Application for Pesticide - Section I

1. Company/Product Number Wilbur-Ellis Company (2935-501)	2. EPA Product Manager Mary Waller	3. Proposed Classification <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Restricted
4. Company/Product (Name) Sporax	PM# 21	
5. Name and Address of Applicant (Include ZIP Code) Wilbur-Ellis Company PO Box 1286 Fresno CA 93715 <input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address	6. Expedited Review. In accordance with FIFRA Section 3(c)(3)(b)(i), my product is similar or identical in composition and labeling to: EPA Reg. No. _____ Product Name _____	

### Section - II

<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Final printed labels in response to Agency letter dated _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmission in response to Agency letter dated _____	<input type="checkbox"/> "Me Too" Application.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notification - Explain below.	<input type="checkbox"/> Other - Explain below.

**NOTIFICATION**

**FEB 26 2010**

Explanation: Use additional page(s) if necessary. (For section I and Section II.)

Submitting notification to comply with PRN 2007-4 <sup>v and 83-3</sup> See attached for additional information

### Section - III

1. Material This Product Will Be Packaged In:				2. Type of Container	
Child-Resistant Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Unit Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Water Soluble Packaging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Text <input type="checkbox"/> No		<input type="checkbox"/> Metal	<input type="checkbox"/> Plastic
* Certification must be submitted	If "Yes" Unit Packaging wgt.	No. per container	If "Yes" Package wgt	<input type="checkbox"/> Glass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paper
			No. per container	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) _____	
3. Location of Net Contents Information <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Label <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Container		4. Size(s) Retail Container 25 lb bag		5. Location of Label Directions <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On Label <input type="checkbox"/> On Labeling accompanying product	
6. Manner in Which Label is Affixed to Product <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lithograph <input type="checkbox"/> Paper glued <input type="checkbox"/> Stenciled				<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

### Section - IV

1. Contact Point (Complete items directly below for identification of individual to be contacted, if necessary, to process this application.)		
Name Sandi Escamilla	Title Registration Specialist	Telephone No. (Include Area Code) 559-493-2108
<b>Certification</b> I certify that the statements I have made on this form and all attachments thereto are true, accurate and complete. I acknowledge that any knowingly false or misleading statement may be punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under applicable law.		6. Date Application Received <b>(Stamped)</b>
2. Signature <i>Sandi Escamilla</i>	3. Title Registration Specialist	
4. Typed Name Sandi Escamilla	5. Date February 18, 2010	

**Addendum to EPA Form 8570-1; Section 1 – Explanation:**  
**EPA Reg. No. 2935-480**

*and 83-3*

Notification of label change per PR Notices 2007-4. This notification is consistent with the guidance in PR Notice 2007-4 and the requirements of EPA's regulations at 40 CFR §§ 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156. No other changes have been made to the labeling or the Confidential Statement of Formula for this product. I understand that it is a violation of 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 to willfully make any false statement to EPA. I further understand that if the amended label is not consistent with the requirements of 40 CFR §§ 156.10, 156.140, 156.144, 156.146, and 156.156, this product may be in violation of FIFRA and I may be subject to enforcement action and penalties under sections 12 and 14 of FIFRA."

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August 31, 2009

CERTIFIED MAIL  
Return Receipt Requested  
**70073020000132615919**

Document Processing Desk (NOTIF)  
Office of Pesticide Programs (7504P)  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW  
Washington DC 20460

Subject: Notification of PRN 2007-4  
Sporax EPA Reg. No. 2935-501

Dear Ms. Waller:

Wilbur-Ellis Company is submitting a notification to EPA to amend the enclosed label to comply with PR-Notice 2007-4

Two labels enclosed. One marked copy to show our revisions, along with a clean copy of the revision label.

Please call me at (559) 493-2108, or email to [sescamil@wecon.com](mailto:sescamil@wecon.com) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,  
  
Sandi Escamilla  
Registration Specialist  
Wilbur-Ellis Company

Enclosure(s)

WILBUR-ELLIS

# SPORAX



WILBUR-ELLIS®

**NOTIFICATION**

**A BORAX FUNGICIDE  
FOR CONTROL OF ANNOSUS ROOT DISEASE**

**FEB 26 2010**

**ACTIVE INGREDIENT**

SODIUM TETRABORATE DECAHYDRATE  
(Na<sub>2</sub>B<sub>4</sub>O<sub>7</sub>·10H<sub>2</sub>O) ..... 100%  
Boric Oxide (B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) equivalent..... 37.50%

**DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

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

**USE FOR CONTROL OF ANNOSUS ROOT DISEASE IN CONIFER STANDS:** It has been established that the fungus, *Heterobasidion annosum*, often infects cut conifer stumps following thinning or cutting operations, and that the disease can spread from infected stumps to residual trees in the stand.

Several chemical agents have been used to limit the development of annosus root disease. Research has shown that Borax prevents establishment and growth of annosus in cut stumps of conifer tree species not already infected.

Before using the WILBUR-ELLIS SPORAX for stump treatment control of annosus infection, contact Local, State or Federal Forestry or plant pathology specialists to verify the most economical and efficient methods and materials for your situation.

Use of WILBUR-ELLIS SPORAX for this purpose includes all conifer tree species occurring in the stand being treated. WILBUR-ELLIS SPORAX should be applied to stump surface of the cut tree as soon after felling as practical. For most efficient use, apply immediately after cutting, but avoid delaying treatment more than one day.

The best method of application is to sprinkle the material "salt-shaker" style on the freshly cut stump surface. Complete coverage, including exposed side areas and any splinters, is necessary. Also level rather than sloping stump surfaces are preferred, especially in areas of high rainfall. "Shaker-top" applicators are available in most farm and garden shops in one or two pound sizes.

Apply enough WILBUR-ELLIS SPORAX to lightly cover entire stump surface. At proper rates of application, one pound of this product will adequately cover 50 square feet of stump surfaces; that is, 260 six-inch stumps, 158 eight-inch stumps, 80 ten-inch stumps, or 60 twelve-inch stumps.

One pound of WILBUR-ELLIS SPORAX may also be mixed with enough water to adequately spray 50 square feet of stump surfaces; that is, 250 six-inch stumps, 158 eight-inch stumps, 80 ten-inch stumps, or 60 twelve-inch stumps. Spray applicators are available in most farm and garden shops.

When dry method is used, moisture in the exposed wood from freshly cut stumps, dew or rain, will dissolve the product and leach it into the wood.

EPA Reg. No. 2935-501

EPA Est. No. 2935-CA-01

**KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN  
DANGER**

**FIRST AID**

<b>If in eyes:</b>	Hold eyelids open and rinse slowly and gently with water for 15-20 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present, after first 5 minutes, then continue rinsing eye. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
<b>If swallowed:</b>	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 the poison control center or doctor.
<b>If on skin or clothing:</b>	Remove contaminated clothing and wash skin with soap and water. Rinse skin with plenty of water for 15-20 minutes. Call poison control center or doctor for treatment advice.
<b>If inhaled:</b>	Move person to fresh air. If person is not breathing, call 911 or ambulance, then give artificial respiration, preferably by mouth-to-mouth, if possible. Call a poison control center or doctor for further treatment advice.

Have the product container or label with you when calling a poison control center or doctor, or going for treatment.  
You may also contact: (800) 424-9300 CHEMTREC (transportation & spills); (800) 900-4044 Poison Control Center (human health); (800) 345-4735 ASPCA (animal health)

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

**DANGER**

Corrosive. Causes irreversible eye damage. Harmful if swallowed. Do not get in eyes or on clothing. Wear goggles or face shield. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling. Remove contaminated clothing and wash clothing before reuse. Do not leave container where children or animals may gain access.

**PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)**

Applicators and other handlers must wear: Long-sleeved shirt and long pants, shoes, socks and waterproof gloves.

**ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS**

Do not apply directly to water, or to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high-water mark. Do not contaminate water when disposing of equipment washwaters or rinsate. Borax carelessly spilled or applied to cropland or growing plants - including trees or shrubs - may kill or seriously retard plant growth.

**STORAGE AND DISPOSAL**

Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal.  
**PESTICIDE STORAGE:** Store in original container only and keep sealed. Store in a dry and closed storage area. Use caution when moving, opening, closing or pouring.  
**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:** Nonrefillable Container: Do not reuse or refill this container. Completely empty bag into application equipment. Offer for recycling, if available; otherwise dispose of empty bag in a sanitary landfill or by incineration, or, if allowed by State and local authorities, by burning. If burned, stay out of smoke.

**WARRANTY STATEMENT**

WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY warrants that this product conforms to the chemical description on the label thereof and is reasonably fit for purposes stated on such label only when used in accordance with directions under normal use conditions. It is impossible to eliminate all risks inherently associated with use of this product. Crop injury, ineffectiveness or other unintended consequences may result because of such factors as weather conditions, presence of other materials or the manner of use or application, all of which are beyond the control of WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY. In no case shall WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY be liable for consequential, special or indirect damages resulting from the use or handling of this product. All such risks shall be assumed by the Buyer. The exclusive remedy of any buyer or user of this product for any and all losses, injuries, or damages resulting from or in any way arising from the use, handling or application of this product, whether in contract, warranty, tort, negligence, strict liability or otherwise, shall not exceed the purchase price paid for this product or at WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY'S election, the replacement of this product. WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY MAKES NO WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE NOR ANY OTHER EXPRESS OR IMPLIED WARRANTY EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE. WILBUR-ELLIS Logo® and IDEAS TO GROW WITH® are registered trademarks of WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY.

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**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL CHEMTREC: (800)424-9300**

**NET CONTENTS: 25 POUNDS**

Manufactured by:  
**WILBUR-ELLIS COMPANY**  
P.O. Box 16458 - Fresno, California 93755  
Batch Code \_\_\_\_\_